

BLACK HISTORY MONTH

exhibition

During October we celebrated Black History Month at De Beauvoir Primary School in a variety of lessons and assemblies. On the first day back to school after the half term we also held a Black History Art Day, during which each year group learned more about a famous artist or art form and produced a high quality piece of art.

The children's work from Black History Art Day has been put together to form an exhibition in the entrance of the school and the lower hall. We would really like you to join us to celebrate the amazing

Medical Helpers

To recognise the fantastic work of Miss Icilda's team of medical helpers, the children are going to be completing a certified medical course! Medical helpers nominate themselves to Miss Icilda and have been trained so that they can assist her during play and lunch times. Now this will be formally recognised!



Can You Help?

Children in Nursery and Reception really enjoy using cardboard packaging for junk modelling. The only problem is that resources run out quickly! Please help us by bringing any clean empty cardboard packaging to the Reception classroom or to the school office.

Thank you!



Lunch Times

We are starting an indoor provision at lunch times. This will be a safe supervised space for drawing, playing Lego, board games or games on iPads. Lunch Club will have space for 20 children. Places will be revised on a regular basis.

We are also introducing 'Playground Buddies' at break times. These children will help to run playground games and involve children who may be finding play times difficult.



Coats



The weather has suddenly become much colder. Please remind your child to wear a warm coat and school jumper each day so that they don't get chilly during break times. Children are also welcome to wear hats, gloves and scarves to keep out the chill. Naming clothing will help to ensure that it is not lost at school.

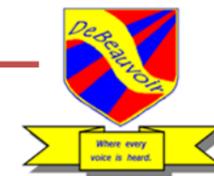
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De Beauvoir Primary School Newsletter



November 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

Welcome to another edition of our school newsletter.

This half term, the curriculum theme for children in Year 1 to Year 6 is 'Recent History'. Your child should have brought home their Curriculum Newsletter, which outlines learning for the rest of this term. Many parents say they find it useful to keep curriculum newsletters somewhere handy (like on the fridge) as a reminder or talking point for their child's learning. On the back of the newsletter is a 'Knowledge Organiser'. This contains key facts, concepts and information linked to the topic your child is learning about. If you ask your child about the information on this we are confident that they will be able to tell you many interesting facts!

Please join us in the lower hall on Thursday when you collect your child to see the amazing artwork produced to celebrate Black History Month. We are all very proud of the work the children have produced and we would love to share this with you. If you are unable to attend on Thursday it is possible to view the exhibition on an alternative day; just contact the office to arrange an alternative time.

We recently put in a bid to develop the school playground with planting through the 'Edible Playgrounds' organisation and are very excited to have been approved! This will involve development of parts of the playground to provide spaces for children to grow plants and to learn about biodiversity and the benefits of growing and eating healthy food.



Best wishes,
Rebecca Mackenzie
Headteacher

IMPORTANT DATES - AUTUMN 1 2018

Book Fair	Monday 12th—Wednesday 14th November, 3:00pm
Black History Month Exhibition	Thursday 15th November, 3:30pm
Children in Need	Friday 16th November
Year 2D Sharing Assembly	Tuesday 20th November, 3:00pm
Year 2B Sharing Assembly	Tuesday 27th November, 3:00pm
Year 1 Sharing Assembly	Tuesday 4th December, 3:00pm
Year 1-3 Disco	Wednesday 5th December, 4:00—5:00pm
Year 4-6 Disco	Thursday 6th December, 4:00—5:00pm
Parent / Carers' Evenings	Wednesday 12th / Thursday 13th December
Winter Fair / Carol Concert	Monday 17th December, 3:30pm
Reception Nativity	Tuesday 18th December, 2:30pm
Key Stage 1 Nativity	Thursday 20th December, 2:30pm
End of Term	Friday 21st December, 2:00pm

Packed Lunch

We have had to review our packed lunch policy to ensure that all children are eating healthy meals at school.

If you your child has a packed lunch, their meal could include:

- Bread, rice, potato or pasta;
- Meat, fish, eggs or beans (which could be included as sandwich fillings);
- Cheese or yoghurt;
- Fruit;
- Water.

The following items may not be provided in packed lunches :

- Biscuits;
- Chocolate;
- Sweets;
- Crisps;
- Juice.



Children in Need



This Friday, 16th November, is Children in Need Day. The theme is 'Wear your Spots'. Children can come to school wearing any clothing or accessories that have spots on them. This might include t-shirts, socks, headbands or any other items with spots!

Please come wearing spots and donate £1!

We are also selling colour changing wristbands and pin badges to raise money for Save the Children.



PE Kit

Please make sure that your child has the correct kit for PE:

- Navy blue tracksuit bottoms or leggings;
- White T Shirt
- Trainers or plimsolls.



Pupil Parliament

Following elections held in each class, the nominees from each class were voted for at a whole school level. We are really proud to introduce the nominated representatives from each class:

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| Y6: Markel & Jessie | Y3D: Izabella & Ayaan |
| Y5D: McCoy & Mariola | Y3B: Navaya & Alisha |
| Y5B: Kaeden & Isabelle | Y2D: Shayon & Freya |
| Y4D: David & Rose | Y2B: Amra & Christian |
| Y4B: Du'Jay & Sienna | Y1: Olivia & Zayd |

The first piece of work that Pupil Parliament is going to be doing is helping to decide the After School Club offer for Spring term. If there are any clubs you would like to see offered, please tell your child so that they can tell their class Pupil Parliament representative!

School Meals

We are really proud of our school meals, cooked by chef Vera Bamfo. Please see the menu for this term here.

Week one
22/10 19/11 10/12 07/01 28/01 25/02 18/03

Monday
Choose a main meal... Mac-N Cheese Y
Mild Potato & Chickpea Curry with Rice
on the side... Sweetcorn Peas
for dessert... Fajita with Fruit Slices

Tuesday
Choose a main meal... Chicken Mayo Bun with Jacket Wedges Creamy Broccoli & Sweetcorn Pasta
on the side... Roasted Vegetables Carrots
for dessert... Pear & Ginger Crumble with Custard

Wednesday
Choose a main meal... Roast Turkey with Roast Potatoes & Gravy
Sweet Potato & Chickpea Roast with Roast Potatoes & Gravy
on the side... Green Beans Cauliflower
for dessert... Chocolate Ice Cream

Thursday
Choose a main meal... Beef Kaorma Curry Vegetable & Cream Cheese Crumble with New Potatoes Y
on the side... Carrots Broccoli
for dessert... Brownie Cake

Friday
Choose a main meal... Crispy Fish & Chips Quorn Dippers with Chips
on the side... Baked Beans Crunchy Cobsalaw
for dessert... Lemon Shortbread

Week two
05/11 26/11 17/12 14/01 04/02 04/03 25/03

Monday
Choose a main meal... Mizzaglia & Tomato Pizza with Pasta Salad
Vegetable Biryani
on the side... Broccoli Sweetcorn
for dessert... Vanilla Ice Cream

Tuesday
Choose a main meal... Chicken Sausages with Cheesy Mash Vegetarian Sausages with Cheesy Mash Y
on the side... Baked Beans Roasted Vegetables
for dessert... St Clements Sponge Cake

Wednesday
Choose a main meal... Roast Turkey with Roast Potatoes & Gravy
Chicken & Broccoli Cheese Bake with Roast Potatoes Y
on the side... Carrots Roast Parsnip
for dessert... Cello Biscuit with Fruit Slices

Thursday
Choose a main meal... Chicken & Tomato Lasagne with Garlic & Herb Bread Wedge
Vegetarian Tagine with Rice
on the side... Green Beans Cauliflower
for dessert... Apple & Berry Crumble with Custard

Friday
Choose a main meal... Golden Fish Fingers & Chips Mediterranean Tart with Chips
on the side... Baked Beans Peas
for dessert... Banana & Apricot Flapjack

Week three
12/11 05/12 21/01 11/02 11/03 01/04

Monday
Choose a main meal... Mizzaglia & Tomato Pizza with Jacket Wedges
Tomato & Vegetable Savoury Rice Y
on the side... Roasted Vegetables
for dessert... Strawberry Ice Cream

Tuesday
Choose a main meal... Chicken & Broccoli Pie with New Potatoes Creamy Tomato and Basil Pasta
on the side... Carrots Green Beans
for dessert... Raspberry Ripple Cake

Wednesday
Choose a main meal... Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes & Gravy
Quorn Roast with Roast Potatoes & Gravy Y
on the side... Seasonal Cabbage Carrot & Swede Mash
for dessert... Peach Slice

Thursday
Choose a main meal... Beef Mizzaroni Bake with Garlic Herb Bread Wedge
Vegetable Korra with Rice
on the side... Broccoli Sweetcorn
for dessert... Shortbread Fingers with Fruit Slices

Friday
Choose a main meal... Salmon Fish Fingers with Chips Baked Beans & Cheese Quesadilla with Chips
on the side... Peas Crunchy Cobsalaw
for dessert... Pineapple Upside Down Cake

Informational Banners:
 - All our milk is Red Tractor approved
 - WE BUY 95% of our seasonal vegetables and fruit from British growers
 - FRESH SALAD IS AVAILABLE ON A DAILY BASIS
 - REDUCING OUR CARBON FOOTPRINT OVER 30% of our products are transported by vehicles that run on biofuel!
 - All our bananas are FAIRTRADE
 - ALL OUR BREAD IS FRESHLY BAKED EVERY DAY
 - FARM TO FORK We can trace every cut of meat back to the farms of origin
 - We only use Lion Quality British Eggs
 - WE SUPPORT BRITISH DAIRY FARMS 82

On Request Admin@hmr Menu 2018
Special Packs & Salad Bar, Cook Request, Fresh Fruit & Veg served daily
All subject to availability