

Becket Primary School News! Issue 2 2026



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This weeks Celebrations

Last week

STAR of the week - Y2 Grayson - Y3 Chris - Y4 Luke - Y5 Sofia - Y6 Logan

Celebration Certificate - YR All of Reception - Y1 Ivy-Marie and Hasan - Y2 Ronnie and Sybil - Y3 All of Y3 - Y4 All of Year 4 and Hallie - Y5 Josh H and Alfie - Y6 Leo and Ami

Presentation Super star - Y1 Adeline - Y2 Mark - Y3 Harrison R- Y4 Olive - Y5 Jasleen - Y6 Nayara

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Celebration Certificate - YR All of Reception - Y1 Arthur and Crystal - Y2 Daniel and Elise - Y3 Noah and Olivia - Y4 Jose and Freddie - Y5 Aurora and Oliver - Y6 Anwen and Melodi

Presentation Super star - Y1 Hugo - Y2 Sybil - Y3 Khloe - Y4 Yanely - Y5 Evelyn - Y6 James



SLT Blog



It has been a wonderful week at Becket Primary School. We can already see the children beginning to settle back into school life, quickly re-establishing routines, building friendships and engaging positively in their learning.

Classrooms have been busy with exciting activities, and it has been lovely to see the enthusiasm, confidence and resilience that our children are showing as they embrace the new academic year. Staff have been incredibly impressed with the positive attitudes and excellent behaviour demonstrated across the school.

We are pleased to report that our current attendance rate is **95.4%**, which is a strong start to the year. Thank you to all families for supporting good attendance and punctuality, as every day in school helps children make the most of their learning opportunities.

To support these early efforts with attendance we are asking for parents support with lateness. We have noticed that an increasing number of children have been arriving late to school recently. While we understand that occasional delays can happen, it is important that your child arrives on time each morning. Coming into school late can have a significant impact on a child's start to the day. Entering the classroom after their classmates have

already settled can be unsettling for some children and may make it more difficult for them to engage with learning straight away. Arriving promptly helps children feel confident, secure, and prepared for the day ahead. It allows them to take part in morning routines, connect with their friends, and begin learning alongside their peers from the very start of the school day.If you are experiencing any difficulties that are affecting your child's attendance or punctuality, please do not hesitate to contact us. We are here to support you and will do our best to help.

Receptions Teddy Bears Picnic



Teddy Bears Picnic

Wednesday 21 October

14:30–15:10

National Recycle Week



National Recycle Week

Next week is **National Recycle Week** and we will be exploring ways that we can recycle more and reduce waste in school. We would love families to get involved too. Could you challenge yourselves to think of ways you might be able to recycle more at home? Small changes can make a big difference!Please see the attached flyer for more information. A reminder that if your child has grown out of any **good-quality school uniform**, it can be donated to our **School Uniform Bank**. Families are welcome to take replacement items completely **free of charge**, helping both the environment and our school community.Thank you for your support in helping us become a greener school. 🌍♻️

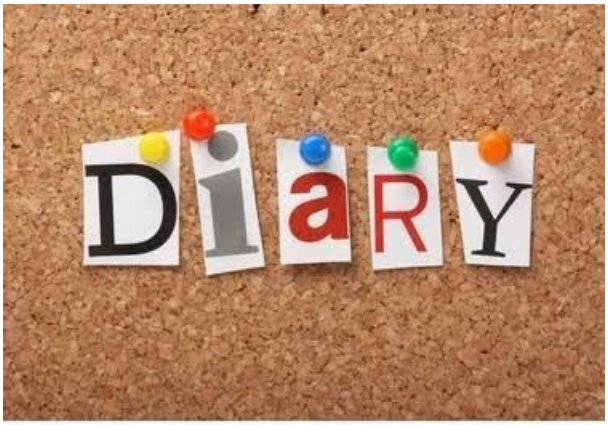
2026-2027 Term Dates

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- Term 1 - Thursday 3 September 2026 to Friday 23 October 2026 **(inset 3rd and 4th Sep and 23rd October)**
- Term 2 - Monday 2 November 2026 to Friday 18 December 2026 **(inset 2nd November)**
- Term 3 - Monday 4 January 2027 to Friday 12 February 2027 **(inset 4th Jan)**

- Term 4 - Monday 22 February 2027 to Thursday 25 March 2027 **(inset 22nd February)**
- Term 5 - Monday 12 April 2027 to Friday 28 May 2027
- Term 6 - Monday 7 June 2027 to Friday 23 July 2027

Diary Dates



Upcoming important dates

21-25th September National Recycling week

23rd September Camp meeting (Year 6)

25th September Active Wear Day

16th December Christmas Dinner Day

Polite reminders and useful information:

- Reminder: Children are parent's responsibility from the time we hand over at the end of the day.
- Please ensure you park safely and respectfully when dropping off or picking up children.
- Please make sure all clothing and coats are named.
- Following NSPCC guidance: All KS1 pupils must be collected by an adult (18 years or older)
- KS2 pupils can be picked up by anyone 16 or older.
- Please remember that Becket School has a no nuts policy.

- Please do not allow children to play in the pre-school area afterschool. This area is for pre-school only.
- All children in Reception, year 1 and year 2 are entitled to a free school meal as part of the Universal Free School Meal campaign.
- Aspens – to book your child's school meals please visit https://select.aspens-services.com/
- Breakfast club is available daily from 7.45am and must be pre booked on https://app.parentpay.com/

Changes to Free School Meals

Are You Receiving Universal Credit?

If you receive Universal Credit, your are now entitled to FREE school meals. ✅ Save money on school lunches ✅ Ensure your child receives a healthy, nutritious meal every day ✅ Help the school access additional funding through Pupil Premium.

Check Your Eligibility Today, it only takes 1 minute.

Click on the link.https://fsm.lgfl.net/

📞 Contact the school office for more information



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