Bury School News



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Dear Parents/Carers,

We've had a busy week in school and some very important little visitors to the school. Our new Reception children, who will be starting in September, have visited their classroom for taster sessions – they all seemed to enjoy themselves and I think they are looking forward to joining us soon. It's an exciting time for the other children in school who will be moving up to their next year groups from September (see more information below). And, of course, for our Year 6 children who will sadly be leaving us soon.

Reception parents/carers joined the children this morning for our annual teddy bear workshop, followed by Come to Lunch. It was so nice to see the children excited about their adults joining them to build their bears and eat lunch with them. I can't believe we are almost at the end of their first year in school – they have all come on so much and we're really proud of them.

The children will be spending the morning of Monday 14th July with their new teachers (we will update you on teacher allocations on next week's newsletter). The children should come into school through their usual entry point and will move into their new classrooms during the morning. They will return to their original classrooms before the end of the day so will leave school through their usual exit point.

Please ensure you have read the email we have sent out about our school vision and values – we would appreciate it if you could all complete the form by 9am on Monday morning.

Have a lovely weekend.

Miss Heanes

Head Teacher

Weekly Attendance	
Whole School: 97.3%	Year Three: 94.1%
Reception: 94%	Year Four: 100%
Year One: 98.1%	Year Five: 98.2%
Year Two: 99.4%	Year Six: 97.3%
Whole School Year to Date: 95.9%	





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Mobile phones in school:



Could we remind parents/carers not to bring mobile phones into school during visits/school events/assemblies. There were several being used/out on show today which we do not allow for safeguarding purposes. If you must bring your phone with you, please keep it stored away in a bag/pocket and do not take it out whilst inside the school. You are welcome to use your phone outside the front of school if you need to take or make an urgent phone call.

Parking:



Unfortunately, we have had further complaints regarding parking around the school. There are now double yellow lines on parts of Owls End, as well as yellow zig zag lines. Stopping or parking is prohibited in these areas and they are in place to ensure the safety of pedestrians, particularly children near schools, and to maintain clear access for emergency vehicles. Stopping or parking on double yellow lines is not allowed at any time.

Please, parents/carers, when you are bringing your children to school or collecting them, **do not** park on these yellow lines.

We have also been informed that some parents/carers have been parking next to the corner of Owls End/Brookfield Way. Please avoid this – it can cause obstruction and is dangerous.

OPAL:



Thank you for the donations we have received so far for our OPAL (playground) project. We are very excited that we are able to introduce this to the children next week. More involved use of the project will take place from September.

Y6 Production:



We are all looking forward to the Y6 production of Pirates of the Curry Bean next week. This will be taking place on Monday 7th July (2pm) and Tuesday 8th July (10am). Seating will be available on a first come first served basis (no tickets) but we would ask that you restrict your numbers to a maximum of three people (per child) per performance. This is to allow for maximum seating capacity and fire safety in the hall.

Y6 Wicksteed Trip:



Y6 are going on their Wicksteed trip next Thursday (10th July). Children may wear casual clothing (no strappy tops please). We will be leaving school at 9.15am and returning at approximately 4.30pm. Please remember to send your child with a packed lunch and plenty of drinks. It would also be advisable to send a sun hat and suncream and/or a waterproof jacket as necessary! Please limit any spending money to a maximum of £5.

Grafham payments and forms:



Final payment should have been made by 1st June 2025. Reminders have been emailed to those with outstanding amounts. Please check and make payment if you have not already done so. Information forms (Google form) and medical consent forms should also have been returned – if you have not yet done this, please do so by **Monday** as we need to send information off to Grafham prior to our visit.



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Bury Church News:

Wistow Church are holding a Heritage Weekend on Saturday 5th and Sunday 6th July with a flower festival in the church on both days and a songs of praise service at 10am on Sunday. See flyer below for more details.

Broughton village are opening up some of their gardens for the National Garden Scheme (NGS) on Sunday 6th July (11am – 6pm). See flyer below for more details.

Services:

Sunday 6th July 9.30am – Café Sunday @Bury

Sunday 13th July 11.15am – Holy Communion with children's groups

Sunday 20th July 9.30am – First Bite in Bury School Hall 11.15am – Morning Worship

Sunday 27th July 11.15am – Sunday Praise



This week's Collective Worship theme: Courage

"Be strong and brave. Do the work. Don't be afraid or discouraged. I ne Lord God, my God, is with you." 1 Chronicles 28:20





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SCHOOL TERM AND HOLIDAY DATES 2025/2026

Autumn Term Opens Professional Day (school closed) **HALF TERM** School Re-opens Autumn Term Closes Wednesday 3rd September 2025 Friday 24th October 2025 **27th October – 31st October 2025** Monday 3rd November 2025 Friday 19th December 2025

Spring Term Opens HALF TERM School Re-opens Spring Term Closes Tuesday 6th January 2026 **16th February – 20th February 2026** Monday 23rd February 2026 Friday 27th March 2026

Summer Term Opens May Day (school closed) HALF TERM School Re-opens Summer Term Closes Monday 13th April 2026 Monday 4th May 2026 **25th May – 29th May 2026** Monday 1st June 2026 Friday 17th July 2026

Further Professional Days (school closed):

Monday 1st September 2025 Tuesday 2nd September 2025 Friday 24th October 2025 Monday 5th January 2026 Monday 20th July 2026

