Weekly Newsletter 19th June 2026

Your weekly newsletter about our school!

Kindness Teamwork Curiosity

"At our school, we are growing learners who sparkle for life"

This week at School

We have had a brilliant week at school, learning lots and taking part in lots of activities. We had the pleasure of welcoming the Mayor of Scunthorpe into our school this week. She came in so that she could officially open our Bushfield Food Bank. This is now open to all families that may need a little bit of extra help. If you need to use this, you will be warmly welcomed and you will be given privacy. if you would prefer to phone the school office to speak to someone about arranging a preferred time to come in, you are welcome to do this. As a school, we had a fantastic time taking part in the Circus Skills activities that Get Ahead set up and led with our children this week. We embraced our school value of teamwork and worked together so well 🙂

September Clubs

We are pleased to announce that from September 2026, we will be introducing a range of in-school and after-school clubs as part of our ongoing school improvement work and commitment to enhancing our children's personal development. These clubs will provide valuable opportunities for pupils to develop new skills, explore their interests, and build confidence in a fun and supportive environment. Further information, including the clubs on offer and how to sign up, will be shared at the beginning of September.

Year 2 Leavers' Assembly

We are pleased to announce that our Year 2 Leavers' Assembly will take place on Wednesday 15th July at 10am or 2pm in the school hall. Further information on how to book your place has been shared via the Arbor App. We look forward to sharing your child's special memories and celebrating their learning journey with you.

What are we learning in school?

It has been another busy and engaging week across the school, with lots of exciting learning taking place. In Nursery, the children have been creating special Father's Day cards, carefully practising their cutting and ordering skills, and they are very excited to share these at home. They have also been developing their dribbling skills and improving their coordination in P.E. through fun activities. In Reception, the children have been writing for a purpose by creating posters about how to stay safe at the beach, and they were very proud to share these with the KS1 pupils ahead of their upcoming trip to Cleethorpes. In KS1, pupils had a fantastic time taking part in circus skills activities with the Get Ahead partnership, enjoying a range of sporting games. They have also begun an exciting science experiment, covering patches of grass to investigate what happens to plants without sunlight, and are looking forward to observing the results in two weeks' time.

Attendance Update

At Bushfield Infant School, we are committed to providing high quality education for all of our children. In order for a child to reach their full potential, we expect a high level of attendance.

- Whole school weekly attendance percentage: 93.6%
- National average: 94.5% - This is below national.

If your child's attendance drops below 95%, you will receive a letter highlighting this to you. Attendance under 90% will involve a letter requesting a meeting and a request for support from the local authority to rapidly improve your child's attendance. Whilst we understand children sometimes become poorly, attendance at Bushfield must improve.

School Dinners & Packed Lunches Update



Please check your Arbor to see attached a pack from our new catering provider starting in September. You will see that this is an exciting menu offering a main meal, Jacket Potatoes with filling and sandwich options. There is something for all dietary requirements catered for.
You will be asked to create an account where you will be able to choose your child's dinner options. We require you to do this on a weekly basis or the further option to choose for longer.
Reception, Year 1 & 2 will still receive free lunches.
There will however be a cost for the Nursery children of £2.50, which is cheaper that the current provider. Please look out for an email from the company we are moving to called Dolce to create your account. So from September no children need to bring a packed lunch as this is a daily option to cover this. Any queries please refer to the attached document or contact the school office.

Grow, Connect, Thrive – Join the Togetherness Course

We are pleased to share an opportunity for parents and carers to take part in Togetherness, a free 6-week course designed by clinical psychologists, practitioners, and parents. This supportive programme focuses on helping you understand emotions, improve communication, and build stronger relationships with your child. Throughout the course, you will have the chance to reflect on your relationship with your child, learn how to recognise and respond to both your own emotions and theirs, and gain practical strategies to support behaviour and emotional wellbeing at every stage of development. If you would like to take part in this valuable opportunity, please contact the school office to request a form. We will be happy to support you with completing this.

Dates for your diary



30th June - KS1 trip to Cleethorpes - more information coming after Easter.
7th July - Sports day (1:30pm)
9th July – Girls Games day – Year 2 girls (out of school)
15th July - Nursery and Reception school trip to Play Avenue
15th July - Year 2 Leaver's Assembly
17th July - End of Summer Term (six weeks holidays)
3rd September - School reopens - Children back to school
23rd October - Finish for half-term.
18th December - End of Autumn Term (Christmas holidays)

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