

## **Reminders**

### <u>Parking</u>

Please can we remind everybody who drives to make safe parking choices. The safety of our children is paramount and if it takes you a few more minutes to park in a safe space that may be a bit further away then please do. Parking on zigzags is not allowed and you will be asked to move. Thank you for your co-operation in keeping all of our community safe.

#### **After-school clubs**

As a school we pride ourselves on being able to offer a wide range of after-school clubs. These are voluntarily run by staff members and the club offer would not be possible without their generosity. There is a one-off charge of £2 for all staff run clubs to fund resources so that your children can have an enriching experience. Please remember to pay this £2 either online or hand into the office -many thanks.

### **Upcoming Dates**

w/c Monday 5th January
Children's Mental Health Week

Tuesday 6th February

Railway Safety Sessions for all classes

**Wednesday 7th February** 

Class photos

Thursday 8th & Friday 9th February

Mental Health Workshops

**Thursday 8th February** 

Family Skills - Art of Maths

Friday 9th February

Wear your SCARF to school day

Last day of Term 3 - we will see you all on Monday 19th February

# Dear Parents/Carers,

This year is whizzing by and we are in the final week of this half term next week. To finish off this term, we will be taking part in Children's Mental Health Week. During this week, we want all children at Bovington to be able to say – and believe – "My Voice Matters". This is about empowering children by providing them with the tools they need to express themselves.

When we feel empowered, this can have a positive impact on our wellbeing. Children who feel that their voices are heard and can make a difference have a greater sense of community and self-esteem. This year, we want children to be empowered to work together to create a positive change for their mental health and wellbeing.

On Friday 9th February, we are asking all children to wear their favourite scarf to school. On 'Wear Your SCARF to School Day' children are invited to wear a special or favourite scarf all day. We will be doing some special activities to help us remember and celebrate SCARF's important values of Safety, Caring, Achievement, Resilience and Friendship. There will also be workshops for every class at the end of the week.

As a school, we believe mental wellbeing is important for all children now more than ever.





# **Headlines**

### <u>iOi STEM OnlineWorkshops</u>

Children in Years 2, 3 and 4 took part in an online STEM workshop this week. We have had moving robots in Studland/Kimmeridge and animation in Poole. Our children excelled in their learning and used their science, technology art and computing skills to develop prototypes they should be very proud of. Well done everybody - we have been so impressed!

### Volunteer helpers in school

If you have any time to spare and would like to read with our children, then please contact Mrs. Muraro via the school office email address (office@bovington-aspirations.org). It is so rewarding to watch the progress children make with that little extra support!



# **Family Learning**



**FREE Family Learning Course for** Parents, Carers and Grandparents

#### FA2340F The Art of Maths

at Bovington Academy

An engaging short course that promotes the use of early maths through art projects that incorporates early maths skills within activities.

#### 4 week course starting Thursday 1st February 2024 | 9:30am - 12pm

This course will allow parents and children to explore maths concepts in a playful and creative way that is more enjoyable and memorable to support your child's learning.

Children welcome!



#### Enrol today!

Spaces are limited so please call our friendly Customer Services Team on: 01202 123444

### **Girls' Football**







I am a Military Family



## **Children's Evening Craft Club** Click here for more info

锅 🗱 Join the Fun at Our Children's Craft Club! 🌈 🎇



Calling all young artists and creators aged 8 years and above! Our Children's Craft Club is the place to be every Tuesday evening (Term Time Only) from 5:30 PM to 7:30 PM. Join us for a world of imagination, creativity, and endless fun. 🏂 🍳

- Club Highlights:
- Explore a New Craft Every Week
- Bear Building, Science Experiments, Pottery Painting, Movie Nights, Games, and More!
- Make New Friends in a Creative Environment
- O Unleash Your Imagination and Create Masterpieces
- Pricing:
- Full 6-Week Session: £10 per Week (£60) Choose to pay in one payment or pay weekly (£15 per week for the first 4 weeks and the last 2 weeks are
- Adhoc Visits: £15 Per Week
- PLocation: Little Tokens Studio Unit 1 Drax Avenue Wareham BH20 4DJ