Bernards Heath Infant and Nursery School

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Foundation Stage 2 – Transition 4

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are looking forward to seeing you all on Transition Day, Thursday 9th July, when your children will spend a morning in their new classroom. Please ensure your child brings a named water bottle with them. Please drop them to their classroom door at 9:20am and collect them from the same place at 10:30am.

There will be a New to FS2 Meeting, for adults only, at 9:30am, in the hall. This is an information session with Mrs Rimmer.

You can now sign up for your Meet and Greet session in September either by our online booking system or in person on Thursday morning at the office. If you have any trouble logging in please give us a call.

Milk

Every child under 5 is entitled to free milk – simply register your child online.
Every child over the age of 5 is entitled to milk at a subsidised cost – register your child and pay online.

Please see the attached information on how to register your child.

School Meals

All children in Foundation Stage 2 (Reception), Year 1 and Year 2 receive a free school meal every day (Universal free school meals). Uptake at Bernards Heath Infant and Nursery School is high – over 90% of children enjoy a school lunch every day. Our expectation is that all parents and carers take advantage of this government initiative and choose a school prepared meal for their child/children for which there will be no charge.

Children choose their lunch in the morning with their teacher at school. They can choose from a hot meat meal, a hot vegetarian meal, or school prepared packed lunch. If you prefer, your child can bring in a home packed lunch. Please click here to read our home prepared packed lunch policy.

If you child requires a special allergy menu (e.g gluten free/dairy free/egg free etc) please click here.

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We are committed to ensuring that your privacy is protected and we strictly adhere to the provisions of all relevant Data Protection Legislation, including GDPR, ensuring all personal data is handled in line with the principles outlined in the School's Data Protection Policy. Information about the types, use and retention of personal data we collect can be found on our website under Statutory Information - Data Protection Policy.

Pre-loved Uniform

You can order pre-loved uniform online via Classlist (see attached information) and collect from the school office during your Stay and Play.

Please complete the following forms

- Pupil Premium and Service Premium
- Register for benefit related free school meals

From September 2026 the eligibility criteria for Free School Meals (FSM) will be changing. All parents and carers in receipt of Universal Credit will be eligible regardless of the amount received. Benefit related free school meals are different to universal free school meals, so please make sure you register for this using the link above, as school may receive extra funding called pupil premium.

Please complete this form if you have not already done so

- Photograph/Video Consent and Permission Form

We are looking forward to seeing you all very soon.

Mrs Steadman
Assistant Head and FS Lead