# Summer 2

## July 2026

We have reached the final week of another school year, it has certainly been a very busy year with lots happening for every year group. A real highlight for me this year was seeing our Year 5 children perform at the Royal Birmingham Conservatoire with children from the other collaboration schools, alongside musicians and a choir, it was brilliant! At this time of year, I always reflect on the progress the children have made, particularly after the Nursery Graduation last week, both the Nursery and Reception children have all made such progress since they started school back in September. All children across the school have had a successful year which has been great to see.

We are saying goodbye to three teachers this week, Mrs Higgins, Mrs Begum and Ms Ellis. Thank you for your hard work and commitment to the school and the children of Bordesley Green, you will be missed! Miss Dunn has also started her maternity leave and gave birth last week to a little girl. Mrs Mahmood will be returning to school in September, we have appointed Mrs Khan to the post of Year 1 teacher, Mrs Shah is joining us full time in Year 5 and Miss Bibi will continue tin her role as Year 5 teacher too. I would like to take this opportunity to say thank you to all the staff who work here every day, from the admin team, to the site manager, lunchtime supervisors, cooks, TA's, cleaners, teachers and leaders who all ensure that we are the best we can be for your children.

We are also saying goodbye to our Year 6 children, many of the year group were in Reception when I started here as Headteacher, we have been a journey together! They have been brilliant and worked so hard this year achieving some great outcomes. They are now ready for the challenges that await them in Year 7 at their new schools. They had a great day out at West Midlands Safari park last week and have produced a fantastic Leavers Assembly, what a way to finish the year, you will all be missed.

Thank you for your support and understanding regarding the early closure of school during the hot weather over the last few weeks.

Finally, I would like to say thank you to you all for your support this year, I look forward to continue to work with you all next year. I hope that you all have a super summer break, we return to school on Thursday 3rd September, when we return to in September we will be having a Culture Day on Friday 4th September, which will give children and their new teachers to celebrate and get to know each other.

Mr K.Holmes
Headteacher

**Breakfast Club**

We are really excited to be starting our free Breakfast Club from September. If you have not already done so, please speak to the school office about your child attending. We need to know numbers so that we can order the right amount of food. The Breakfast Club will be from 8.10-8.40am each day can be accessed through the top school gate. The gate will be opened between 8.05am-8.15am each day. Children will not be able to access the club through the main office. Breakfast will be served between 8.10-8.20am each day.

**Mobile Phones**

From September mobile phones must not be used on the school site when children are present. This is statutory guidance that all schools must follow. Therefore, I am asking that when coming into school for assemblies, parents evening or workshops, or at the start and end of the school day, you are not using your mobile phone. Thank you for your understanding and support with this.

**PE Kit**

Following the successful introduction this year, we will continue to ask children to come into school in their PE kit on the days they have PE. This should be a plain white t-shirt, black shorts or black tracksuit bottoms and plain black trainers. Hoodies and football shirts must not be worn. More information will be shared at the Information Sharing meetings next term.

**School Dinners**

From September 2026, school dinners will increase in cost to £2.75 a day/£13.75 a week. Milk money continues to be £9.00 per half term for children from Nursery to Year 2.

**After School Clubs**

After School clubs will continue to be charged at a rate of £10 per half-term in advance to cover costs of providing staffing and resourcing. Pupils will be expected to commit to regular attendance at clubs. Refunds will not be provided for non-attendance.

**New Year Group Parents Information Meetings**

Please see the dates below for a chance for you to come and hear from your child's new teacher in September. These are important meetings where we will share important information for the year group and our expectations for the year ahead.

**Statutory Outcomes**

Please see the table below for our end of year data in the statutory assessments.

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| **EYFS-Good level of Development** | 69% (+2% on 2025) |
| **Year 1 Phonics Screening Check** | 77% (+5% on 2025) |
| **Year 2 Phonics Screening Check** | 88% (10% on 2025) |
| **Year 4 Multiplication Times Table Check** | 62% achieved a score over 20 (+6% on 2025) |
| **Year 6 Statutory Assessments (SATS)**<br>*EXP+=Achieved the Expected standard. A scaled score of 100+*<br>*GDS=Greater Depth A scaled score of 110+* | Writing (Teacher Assessment)=56% at EXP+ 1% at GDS |
| | Reading EXP+=<br>No data available |
| | SPAG EXP+=<br>No data available |
| | Maths EXP+=<br>No data available |

**Training Days**

The training days next year will take place on the following days:

Tuesday 1st September

Wednesday 2nd September

Friday 2nd October

Monday 4th January

Monday 12th April

School will be closed to children on these days.

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact any member of the Leadership team, Mrs Jenkins (AHT for EYFS and Year 1), Miss Dovey (SENDCO and AHT for Years 2 and 3), Ms Clayton (AHTs for Years 4, 5 and 6), Ms Burgess (Deputy Headteacher) or I.

## Dates for your diary

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| **Tuesday 1st September** | Training Day-School closed to children |
| **Wednesday 2nd September** | Training Day-School closed to children |
| **Thursday 3rd September** | Y1-6 Children return to school<br>Reception and Nursery Stay and Plays |
| **Friday 4th September** | Culture Day<br>Reception and Nursery Stay and Plays |
| **Monday 7th September** | Year 5 Information Sharing Meeting for parents @ 2.40pm |
| **Tuesday 8th September** | Year 4 Information Sharing Meeting for parents @ 2.40pm |
| **Wednesday 9th September** | Year 3 Information Sharing Meeting for parents @ 2.40pm |
| **Thursday 10th September** | Year 1 Information Sharing Meeting for parents @ 2.40pm |
| **Friday 11th September** | Year 2 Information Sharing Meeting for parents @ 2.40pm |
| **Tuesday 15th September** | Year 6 Information Sharing Meeting for parents @ 2.40pm |
| **Tuesday 13th October** | Year 1 Phonics Parents Workshop @ 9.00am |
| **Tuesday 20th October** | Reception Phonics Parents Workshop @ 9.00am |
| **Wednesday 21st October** | Parents Evening |