

Beaumont Leys School

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Tuesday 13th October 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

As we approach the end of the first half-term, I thought that some reminders would be helpful to jog memories and inform new parents.

Most importantly, due to serious air-borne allergies we are a **nut free school**. Please help us to keep our students safe by never sending nuts into school.

We will keep you informed of school life through our **fortnightly newsletter** – The Griffin.

Homework is an area where parents can really play their part. Please check that your child is completing the homework set for them. If you have forgotten your login for Satchel One, please email ICTSupport@beaumontleys.leicester.sch.uk and we will sort it out for you.

Students' free school meal (FSM) allowance is **£2.66 per day**. The FSM allowance is available to be spent during the lunchbreak only.

Mobile phones are allowed to be brought into school, but are not necessary from our point of view. If you would like your child to have their phone in school for use on the journey to and from school, the rule is that they must be **out of sight and turned off** at all times while students are on our site (inside our gates). If a student does not follow this rule, their phone will be confiscated and returned at the end of the day on the first occasion. On the second occasion, a parent or carer will be required to collect it. Don't worry if you are busy – we can keep them safe until you are able to collect it. If students cause an issue with their phone, they will lose the privilege of bringing it into school.

Similarly, **jewellery** will be confiscated and returned on the first occasion. After that, it will need to be collected by a parent or carer.

Key dates for this year are below. Please make a note of them in your diary or calendar so that you are able to take part in the parent events. Attendance at subject and progress evenings is very important for us and for our students. They are your opportunity to find out how your child is progressing, so please ensure that you attend.

There are always a number of things to update you on throughout the year, and we will use **email** for this. Please ensure you keep us informed if your email address changes. We also need **two separate emergency contacts** for each student. Please make sure that you keep us informed of any changes to your contact numbers. There is nothing worse than being with an ill child and being unable to contact their parent or carer.

As ever, if you have any questions please let us know.

Key Dates for your diary:

Date	Time	Event
Wednesday 14 th October	4.00 – 7.00 (remote)	Y11 Subject Evening
Friday 16th October – INSET Day – School closed to students		
Half Term Break 19th to 23rd October		
Wednesday 28 th October	4.45 – 5.30 (at school)	Y11 Revision Event
Friday 27th November – INSET Day – School closed to students		
Thursday 3 rd December	4.30 – 6.30	Christmas Concert
Tuesday 8 th December	5.00 – 6.30	Y11 Celebration Evening Invitation only
Monday 14 th December	5.00 – 7.00	Y7 & 8 Christmas Disco
Christmas Break 21st December to 1st January		
Monday 4th January – INSET Day – School closed to students		
Thursday 14 th January	4.00 – 6.30 (at school)	Y7-10 Progress Evening Attend one date only
Wednesday 20 th January	4.00 – 6.30 (at school)	
Thursday 11 th February	4.00 – 7.00 (remote)	Y11 Subject Evening
Half Term Break 15th to 19th February		
Thursday 18 th March	4.00 – 7.00 (remote)	Y9 Subject Evening
Easter Break 22nd March to 2nd April		
Thursday 8 th April	4.00 – 7.00 (remote)	Y10 Subject Evening
Wednesday 14 th April	4.30 – 6.30 (at school)	Y8 Options Evening
Monday 3rd May – Bank Holiday – School closed		
Half Term Break 31st May to 4th June		
Thursday 10 th June	5.00 – 8.30 (at school)	Presentation Evening Y7-10 Invitation only
Thursday 24 th June	4.30 – 6.30	Summer Concert
Wednesday 30 th June	4.00 – 5.45	New Y7 Induction Evening
Friday 9th July - School closes for Summer Break		

I also thought it would be useful to share (below) the term dates for next academic year, in case any of you are looking to book summer holidays. In August 2027 students will return to school on Tuesday 31st August. Please note that our teacher training (INSET) days may be different to other schools.

As ever, if there is anything we can help with, please get in touch.

Yours sincerely



Dawn Parkinson
Headteacher

Term and Holiday Dates 2027-2028

Autumn Term

Schools Open	Tuesday 31 August 2027
Half Term Holiday	Monday 18 October 2027 to Friday 22 October 2027
Schools Close	Friday 17 December 2027

Spring Term

Schools Open	Wednesday 5 January 2028
Half Term Holiday	Monday 21 February to Friday 25 February 2028
Schools Close	Friday 7 April 2028

Summer Term

Schools Open	Monday 24 April 2028
Half Term Holiday	Monday 29 May to Friday 2 June 2028
Schools Close	Friday 14 July 2028

Bank Holidays

30 August 2027
27 and 28 December 2027
1 January 2028
14 and 17 April 2028
1 May 2028
29 May 2028

Teacher (inset) Days where school is closed

26 and 27 August 2027
26 November 2027
4 January 2028
17 July 2028

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Deputy Headteachers: Sam Nadolski, Andy York, Keval Thakrar **Strategic Resources Manager:** Jayne Bickmore
Business Manager: Joe Sheahan **Assistant Headteachers:** Josh Radford, Rachel Dunbavand, Mat Whitaker
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