

Happy Wednesday!

The first half of the **Autumn Term** is usually the longest at **eight weeks** and the children are all ready for the break. As we head into the half-term **break**, I hope that all of our children have a **wonderful** and **well-deserved** rest. We look forward to **welcoming** the children back on **Monday 2nd November**. Mrs Robinson

Mobile Phones

A further reminder that children should put their **mobile phones away** the moment they enter the **school grounds**. On occasion, we see children with their phones out immediately before or after the school day and have to remind them to put them away. Please can you reinforce this key **safeguarding message** at home if your child comes to school with a mobile device. **Inside** school we have a **no** mobile phone **policy**, inline with Government guidelines. Please ensure you do not use your phone inside the building. Thank you

Wheely Good Fun

On Friday, the children in **Early Years** were very excited to discover that we had taken delivery of two new **trikes**, two new **scooters** and four new **balance bikes**! Before setting off, the children learned how to use the new equipment **safely**. They discovered that if it has two wheels, they need to wear a helmet, giving them a great opportunity to practise their **counting skills** too! The children loved taking turns and **developing** their **balance**, **coordination** and **gross motor skills** as they explored the new equipment. These fantastic new additions to our outdoor provision will support the children in building their **confidence**, **physical strength** and **control** while encouraging lots of **active learning** and **fun**.



Poppy Appeal

When we return to school we will be selling poppies and poppy related items (pencils, wrist bands, zip pulls) on behalf of the Royal British Legion, to **commemorate** those who have served in **times of conflict**. Please come to the office if you would like to buy something, and **'wear your poppy with pride'**.



Harvest Donations



A huge **thank you** to everyone who was able to donate to our **Harvest Collection**. We packed everything into boxes and Mr Luke-Green and Mrs Thompson took it down to the **Hope Centre**. Your donations will be given to families in **need**, in the local community. We also dropped off spare **uniforms** so pop down if you're running low!



Halloween Raffle

Thank you for **supporting** our raffle. We are very **pleased** to let you know that we raised **£319**, which will go towards more **exciting** outdoor work on the playground.

School Photographer

A reminder that the **photographer** will be in school on **Tuesday 3rd of November** to take the annual school **photographs** for all children. **Further information** on purchasing **will follow** after this date.

TTRS Medals



We have **double** cause for **celebration** today as two children in Year Four have achieved their times table **medals**! Both have scored **25/25** in their Soundchecks for the last four weeks and show quick recall of all of their times tables facts up to 12 x 12. **Marvellous work!** KS2, remember to **practise** your **times tables** on TTRS for a few minutes a day to **develop** your **fluency** and **confidence**. Perhaps you will be next!

Autumn/Winter menus

When we return to school on **Monday 2nd November**, we will re-start on **week 1** of our new Winter menus. These were sent out earlier in the week for you to have a look at the changes. I am sure you will agree there are some very **tasty** Winter dishes on there.

On the Menu After Half Term (new menu, week 1) . . .

Beaconhill Primary School Winter Menu 2026/27 WEEK ONE



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Course Choices	Chicken Pie Cheesy Pasta Sandwich with a Choice of Fillings	Spaghetti Bolognese Gnocchi in Tomato Sauce Jacket Potato with a Choice of Fillings	Sweet and Sour Chicken Cheese Toastie Sandwich with a Choice of Fillings	Roast / Veggie Roast of the Day Sausage/veggie Sausage Jacket Potato with a Choice of Fillings	Cheese Pizza Fish Fingers Sandwich with a Choice of Fillings
Potatoes Pasta/Rice	Mashed Potatoes Crusty Bread	Spaghetti Garlic Bread	Noodles Potato Waffles	Roast Potatoes	Chips
Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables
Salad Bowl	Seasonal Salad	Seasonal Salad	Seasonal Salad	Seasonal Salad	Seasonal Salad
Desserts	Mini Fruit Muffin	Fruit Cheesecake	Homemade Sponge Cake	Fruit And Melon Boat	School Pudding of the Day

Fresh Fruit and Breads are always available daily
Dairyfree options are available
Drinking Water is Available Daily **Menus are Subject to Change**