

Bude Primary Academy

Head of School – Mr James Pritchard

Friday 20th September 2024

Dear Parents,

We have had another great week as positive routines across the school have become embedded by all of the staff and children. The school is calm, purposeful and everyone is feeling the positivity. During a visit this week, Trust leaders commented on how calm the school felt, the enjoyment of learning and the positive behaviour by our children. Well done everyone!

Stars of the Week - Our Ways of Learning

Congratulations as ever to our marvelous children who have all shown what it means to be a learner by demonstrating their Creativity, Reflection, Empathy, Independence, Resilience, and Curiosity. Your character shines brilliantly among so many stars, embodying our ways of being **Ready**, **Respectful**, and **Safe – Together**. Well done!

















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School Uniform and PE Kit

Our children are looking incredibly smart at the start of this term, with their uniform reflecting a sense of equity, collective identity and growing pride in our school. At the end of last term, we made the decision to streamline the PE kit so that only turquoise school jumpers or cardigans are to be worn over the turquoise T-shirt on PE days. This change was necessary due to the variety of different coloured hoodies being worn. However, we understand that some parents may have already purchased a school PE hoodie from our recognised suppliers. It makes financial and sustainable sense to continue using these during an interim period, but only on PE days. As always, if support is needed with uniform needs, please contact us.



Staffing update

We are sad to say we are bidding farewell to Leila who supports Poppy class, our ARB. Leila has worked for Bude Juniors for many years, and we are thankful for all of her hard work. We wish her all the best for the future.

Poppy class parents and carers will know that Mrs Goodearl is currently teaching in Poppy class every morning. Mrs Dingle is supporting our SEND provision one day week, thank you for your patience during this period of reduced staffing.

Diary dates

Tuesday 24 th September	Nasal flu vaccinations
Wednesday 16 th October	Parent Digital Safety Workshop
Tuesday 22 nd October	PTA Bag2school collection
Tuesday 22 nd October and Wednesday 23 rd October	Parent Meetings
Friday 25 th October	End of autumn 1
Monday 4 th November	Start of autumn 2
Friday 20 th December	End of autumn 2

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