ST BEDE's SCHOOL NEWS

Autumn Term 1 Week 5

2nd October 2026

SAFETY ALERT!

Please remind your children to come off their scooters at the top of the drive and lead them into school.

Parents arriving on bikes must also adhere to this rule to keep all our children safe.

Please also ensure your children are with you at all times and wait for the main gate to open fully before letting your child go through.

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ALLERGY AWARENESS UPDATE

Following the introduction of Benedict's Law this September (a law passed in September to ensure strict safety standards across schools, following the death of 5 year old Benedict Blythe, who died tragically from an anaphylactic reaction at school in 2021) all staff have been trained in allergy awareness and KS1 and KS2 children have watched an online Assembly: 'How can we make our school allergy aware?'

Please also see our new Allergy Awareness policy on our website.

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LA RETRAITE YEAR 13 STUDENTS VISIT

On Tuesday we welcomed 15 La Retraite students for the morning, as part of their childcare qualification. They enjoyed observing and interacting with our Early Years and Key Stage 1 pupils, and we hope they will come back soon to lead on playground games at lunchtimes.

NATIONAL POETRY DAY —1st October

All classes have been learning to recite their favourite poems and shared them with the whole school in our Thursday Assembly. Amazing!

WORLD SMILE DAY—2nd October

We celebrated World Smile Day on Friday! It was a fantastic opportunity to share our smiles and make others feel good. Our theme for the day was: 'do an act of kindness, make one person smile!

GOLDEN BOOK ENTRIES

Very well done to all the following children for sharing their amazing work with us this week:

Ethan, Lloyd,Joel (Year 6)

Sasha,Israel,Jovaan,Jenelle,Jarvis,

Romeo, Maria, Gabriel, Gabriela(Year 5)

Bsrat,Skylar,Gwen,David,Senai,Isaac, Oliver,Elsa,Felix,Arielle,Isaac (Year 3/4)

Jeremy, Gabby, Hanzel, Zara, Jeanne,Theo,JoJo (Year1/2)

Rotiana, Jenaya, Antonio, Arianna, Mohammed,Ivy (Nursery)

Attendance this week

Nursery AM	95.9%	NFT	93.3%
Reception	96.7%	Year 1	99.2%
Year 2	98.2%	Year 3	94.6%
Year 4	100%	Year 5	98.8%
Year 6	96.4%		

Well done to Year 4 this week - 100%!

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Our House winner this week is St Josephine House. Well done!

Advance dates for diaries….

Black History Month in October: 'Honouring our Communities'

Children will be learning about various people who have made life better for everyone in the UK. A letter will follow with more details.

16th October @ 9.30am

Harvest Mass led by Year 5. All welcome!