THE FLYER

October 2025 Edition

Beccles Primary Academy

HEADTEACHER'S HELLO

Dear Families,

We've had a really positive start to the Autumn term.

The children are enjoying our new playground markings and sports resources during playtimes, guided by our new team of Positive Playleaders, who are already demonstrating impressive leadership skills.

This year, we'll be focusing on one of our core values each half term.

This term's focus is resilience.

We've explored what resilience means, listened to stories that highlight it, and watched videos of public figures like Harry Kane sharing moments when they've had to show resilience in their careers.

Resilience is a vital skill for children—it helps them grow as learners and supports their independence.

More information about how to support your child(ren) in building resilience will be available on our website soon!

Warm regards, Mrs Wells

DATES TO NOTE

Monday 20th October Early Years Open Evening

Tuesday 21st October Parents Evening Day 1

Thursday 23rd October Reception to Year 6 Flu Immunisation

Thursday 23rd October Parents Evening Day 2

Friday 24th October Spooky Disco 4.30-6pm

Monday 27th October HALF TERM

Monday 3rd November PD Day

Tuesday 4th November Children return to school



NEWS AND UPDATES



We would like to let you know that Mr Galea-Pace, our Year 5 teacher, will be leaving us at the end of this term to take on a new challenge at a school closer to his home.

Mr Galea-Pace joined us straight after qualifying four years ago and has made a significant impact on the learning journeys of many of our pupils. His dedication, enthusiasm, and care have been truly appreciated by children, families, and staff alike.

He will be greatly missed, and we wish him lots of luck and success in his next chapter!

Following his departure, Mr Burch will be taking on the Year 5 teaching role from November and I'm sure we will give him all a huge welcome. We will be informing the children tomorrow (Tuesday 14th October).

We are also sending our well wishes to Mrs Crowfoot who is recovering after a long-awaited surgery this week. We miss you Mrs Crowfoot!

FLYER FOCUS

We're excited to introduce a fresh approach! Each edition will spotlight a few classes at a time, giving them the recognition they deserve.

To celebrate all achievements more regularly, we'll be sharing updates on Facebook and Instagram — so please consider following us! Don't forget to like, share, and comment on our posts to help spread the joy and support our amazing community.

Year 5 have been discovering the meaning of reversible and irreversible reactions in Science.

To bring their learning to life, they took the classroom outdoors for ar exciting experiment — the classic Coke and Mentos reaction.

This reaction is irreversible because once the gas escapes from the

bottle, it cannot be put back in. It's a

perfect example of a chemical

change that cannot be undone.

The students were full of curiosity and enthusiasm as they observed dramatic fizz and learned how science can be both educational

and fun.



Art & Crafts Club

We discovered the beauty of transformation through creativity. Our latest project turned simple natural materials—sycamore seeds and sticks—into stunning dragonflies. With a splash of colourful paint, these plain elements have been brought to life in vibrant, imaginative ways!











This week in Reception, we've been learning all about mass through fun, hands-on activities. The children were introduced to new vocabulary including: heavy, light, heavier, and lighter.

To help us understand these words, we became human balancing scales! The children had a brilliant time tipping their bodies to show which objects were heavier or lighter in comparison. It was a fantastic way to bring learning to life and deepen their understanding through movement and play.



