

# **BEAUFONT FIRST SCHOOL**

## **FRIDAY 1ST OCTOBER 2021**

### **SCHOOL NEWS**

#### **Nursery - Funded Hours Eligibility Form**

Thank you to those parents who have already returned their 'Parental Declaration for 2, 3 and 4 Year Old Funded Entitlement' forms. Please note that unless completed forms are returned, we may not be able to claim your 'funded hours' entitlement for this Term. **Please ensure that all forms are returned to school by Monday 4th October.**

Thank you

#### **Class 1 - Visit to the Discovery Museum, Newcastle upon Tyne - Thursday 25th November**

A reminder that the children in Class 1 will be visiting the Discovery Museum in Newcastle on Thursday 25th November. Please look out for further information in the coming weeks

#### **EYFS**

**Urgently need lots of empty cartons please (not plastic milk ones but the ones that hold almond milk or orange juice in cardboard please).**

#### **Teacher Training Day - Friday 22nd October**

A reminder that there will be a Teacher Training Day on Friday 22nd October (the Friday prior to the Half Term break).

#### **Applications for September 2022 - Middle/High School Entry**

A reminder for parents of children who are now in Year 4, that the Online Admission Portal for Applications for Middle School is open and that all admissions are made via this portal. Please look on Northumberland County Council's website - School Admissions for details of how to apply. If you have problems accessing the portal, please contact the Admissions Team at Northumberland County Council - [schooladmissions@northumberland.gov.uk](mailto:schooladmissions@northumberland.gov.uk). **Please note that the closing date for all applications for a place at Middle School is Sunday 31st October. 'Offers Day' will be 1st March 2022.**

#### **Applications for September 2022 - Reception Class**

For parents of children due to start Reception Class in September 2022, the Online Portal for Applications will open on **Monday 1st November 2021** for all applications. All admissions are made via this portal. Please look on Northumberland County Council's website for details of how to apply. If you have any problems accessing the portal, please contact the Admissions Team at Northumberland Council - [schooladmissions@northumberland.gov.uk](mailto:schooladmissions@northumberland.gov.uk). **Please note that the closing date for all applications for a place in Reception Class in September 2022 is Saturday 15th January 2022. 'Offers Day' will be 15th April 2022**



**We all want to keep our children as safe as possible. There are things we can do to keep them safer whilst still having access to the internet.**

### **Web browsers:**

A child-friendly web browser is designed to protect children online by limiting access to specific types of content, such as adult pages or violent content. There are a number of child-friendly web browsers such as:

- [Kiddle](#)
- [Swiggle](#)
- [Amazon Kids](#)

Child-friendly web browsers can help to reduce risk, but remember that if they switched to a normal browser they could access inappropriate content so you should be around to see what they are doing.

## **DIARY DATES**

*Please note that new dates are shown in italics*

### **2021**

<b>Thursday 21st October</b>	<b>School closes for Autumn half term</b>
<b>Friday 22nd October</b>	<b>Teacher Training Day</b>
<b>Sunday 31st October</b>	<b>Admission portal closes for applications to Middle School</b>
<b>Monday 1st November</b>	<b>Admission portal opens for applications for Reception Class</b>
<b>Monday 1st November</b>	<b>School reopens</b>
<i>Thursday 25th November</i>	<i>Class 1 visit to Discovery Museum, Newcastle upon Tyne.</i>
<b>Friday 17th December</b>	<b>School closes for Christmas Break</b>

### **2022**

<b>Tuesday 4th January</b>	<b>School opens for Spring Term</b>
<b>Saturday 15th January</b>	<b>Admission portal closes for applications for Reception Class</b>
<b>Thursday 17th February</b>	<b>School closes for Spring half term</b>
<b>Friday 18th February</b>	<b>Teacher Training Day</b>
<b>Monday 28th February</b>	<b>School reopens</b>
<b>Friday 8th April</b>	<b>School closes for Easter Break</b>
<b>Monday 25th April</b>	<b>School reopens for Summer Term</b>
<b>Friday 27th May</b>	<b>School closes for Summer half term</b>
<b>Monday 6th June</b>	<b>School reopens</b>
<b>Friday 22nd July</b>	<b>School closes for Summer Break</b>