Radcliffe Primary School

Weekly Newsletter

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Friday 23rd October 2026

Dear Parents and Carers,

What a super half term we have had! Well done everyone for settling into your classes and working so hard!

Parents' Evening & Questionnaire

Firstly, I would like to thank everyone who attended Parents' Evening. It was lovely to see so many of you and to celebrate all of the wonderful progress the children have made. I'm sure you were delighted to hear such positive reports about your child's achievements and efforts in school.

Thank you also for taking the time to complete our parent questionnaire. We really value your feedback and I look forward to sharing the results with you in the coming weeks.

Attendance

Today, we were delighted to present our 100% Attendance Medals as part of our 'Show Up and Shine' attendance challenge. This reward was chosen by our School Council, and it was wonderful to celebrate those pupils who have demonstrated excellent attendance this half term.

Unfortunately, we have had a particularly poorly week this week, which has meant that our overall attendance has dipped slightly. However, attendance throughout the rest of the half term has been much stronger, and I know we will continue this positive trend next term. Our children have already come up with some fantastic ideas to encourage even better attendance and help us climb back up to where we were... watch this space! Remember- excellent attendance will support excellent achievement!

Movie Night

Please keep an eye out for the separate Dojo post regarding our Movie Night on Wednesday 4th November. Everyone is welcome and it promises to be a fun-filled evening for all.

After-School Club & Extra-Curricular Clubs

There are still spaces available in several of our after-school clubs. These provide a wonderful opportunity for children to develop new skills, enjoy different activities and spend time with their friends.

Please also remember that we have places available in our (very reasonably priced!) After-School Club provision. If you require wraparound care or even if you want your child to pop along for an hour to see

what it's all about, please take a look at the timetable below and contact the school office for further information:

Monday: Painting and a range of indoor and outdoor play activities

Tuesday: Play dough, Lego and a range of indoor and outdoor play activities

Wednesday: Arts & Crafts and a range of indoor and outdoor play activities

Thursday: Just Dance, Lego and a range of indoor and outdoor play activities

Friday: Movie Night with popcorn and a range of indoor and outdoor play activities

The children also have the opportunity to make their own snacks throughout the sessions.

Holiday Activities and Food Programme (HAF)

If your child is entitled to Free School Meals, HAF places have now been allocated and booking codes have been sent out. Please don't miss the opportunity to book a place for your child during the October half-term holiday. If you haven't already booked, please have a look on Dojo where we have put some information about local providers and activities.

Diary Dates

Friday 23rd October	Finish for half term
Tuesday 3rd November	Children back in school
Monday 9th November- Friday 13th November	Book Fair in school
Friday 13th November	Children In Need (more information to follow)
Week beginning 16th November	Anti-Bullying Week
Week beginning 16th November	Year 6 Bikeability
Tuesday 17th November	Individual photographs
Tuesday 24th November	4-week transport programme for Year 6 to start
Thursday 3rd December	Pantomime in school
Wednesday 9th December	Christmas Fair
Thursday 10th December	Christmas Jumper & Dinner Day
Thursday 10th December	Christmas Messy Church
Tuesday 15th December	EYFS/KS1 Nativity @2pm

Wednesday 16th December	EYFS/KS1 Nativity @9.30pm
Thursday 17th December	Special Christmas Surprise!
Friday 18th December	Finish for Christmas Holidays

Finally, I would like to thank you all for your continued support this half term. We hope you have a wonderful, restful holiday and look forward to welcoming everyone back to school on:

Tuesday 3rd November.

Have a fantastic break and see you next term!

Mrs Walsh



