



# Bewsey Lodge Primary School

## Weekly Newsletter

### Friday 19<sup>th</sup> September 2025

#### Multi-Academy Trust

I am excited to share with you that after a period of consultation, we will be converting to an academy and joining the Emmanuel Diocese of Liverpool Academies Trust (EDLAT) on Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> October. Nothing will change for our children and families at this time and we will be sharing more information about this conversion soon, including a special celebration day so please watch this space for more details!

#### Staffing

Mrs Lander, who has been a valued and respected member of staff for over 20 years, is retiring today. Mrs Lander is looking forward to spending time in her new home and with her family. I am sure you will all join me in wishing her a very healthy and happy retirement.

#### September 2026

We are inviting families who have a child starting school in September 2026 to attend one of our Reception Open Evening; stay and play sessions. Please can you share this with any friends and family this may apply to.



**RECEPTION OPEN EVENING**  
Stay and Play 2025

Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> September 3.30pm-5.30pm  
Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> October 3.30pm-5.30pm

Bewsey Lodge Primary School are excited to invite families to attend our Reception Open Evening: Stay and Play sessions ready for September 2026 admission. You can meet our staff, view the setting and even 'stay and play'.

**BOOK NOW**

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## Happiness is ... being with my buddy.

This week I wanted to introduce one of our new initiatives in school; our buddy system. This is designed to support our youngest and newest children as they begin their primary school journey; helping them to feel a sense of belonging, confidence and enthusiasm towards school life. Each child in reception has been paired up with a Year 6 buddy to offer them support, guidance and friendship throughout their reception year. During the summer holidays our reception children were excited to receive a letter from their buddy telling them a little bit about themselves, the school and of course how much they were looking forward to meeting them! During the first few days in school the children met their buddy for the first time and had the opportunity to spend some time together in school. Last week we held a Teddy Bear's Picnic for our new children and families and the Y6 buddies came along too. This was a lovely event which captured the aim of our buddy system perfectly. Our Y6 children looked after, helped and played with their buddies all afternoon. We are so proud of all the Year 6 children and how they have taken on their new role and responsibilities with such maturity, compassion and kindness; they really are being fantastic role models to our new children. Throughout the year, our buddies will continue to spend time together reading, playing, going to assemblies and whole school events together and lots more. Thank you to all our families for your support with this new initiative, we will continue to share these events with you.



Have a lovely weekend everyone,

Mrs Bailey

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## Stars of the week

Nursery - Vasile	Orange - Zac
Red - Leon	Green - Dominic
Yellow - Johanna	Purple - Grayson
Blue - Mahdi	Gold - William
Silver - Noah	Sapphire - Loretta
Diamond - Lettie & Erik	Topaz - Jacob C
Opal - Rhys	Amethyst - Myla
Emerald - Leo	

**Well Done Everyone!**

## Attendance

From 8<sup>th</sup> - 12<sup>th</sup> September 2025

Class	
Orange	98.8%
Red	95%
Silver	96.9%
Blue	97.9%
Green	95.5%
Purple	95.6%
Yellow	96.7%
Amethyst	98.3%
Diamond	97.9%
Emerald	97.6%
Gold	95.7%
Opal	97.1%
Sapphire	88.3%
Topaz	91.9%
Total	95.7%

What a great week for most of our children – all classes are well above the expected 95%+. Orange class have made a great start to the term with 98.8% for Early Years and Key Stage 1. In Key Stage 2 it's Amethyst who achieved the top percentage at 98.3%.

### Attendance Update from the Local Authority

The link below will take you to the LA updated webpage with information about penalty notices. There have been changes made by the Department for Education.

[School attendance | warrington.gov.uk](https://www.warrington.gov.uk/school-attendance)

## Headteacher Awards

*Sophia - Red*

*Finnley - Orange*

## Home Hero Award

*Jenson - Orange*

*Well done, everyone!*

## Polite Reminders

**Parent Pay - School meals balances MUST be at zero or in credit**

**School is now cashless, payments for trips, snacks etc. need to be made via ParentPay. Snack payments MUST be paid by Monday at 8:30am for the child to receive school snack for the week.**

Please Read SchoolPing Daily - At least one parent of every child needs to be accessing SchoolPing on a regular basis. Please ensure you Check the 'My Message' tab as well as 'School News'. Individual/class/group messages are found there.

Little Links - please remember to complete a registration form before your child attends little links (before or after school) even if they are only going to be attending once. The forms are available at the office, thank you.

## Dates for your Diary

**Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> September** - Y6 SATS meeting will be held from 2.45pm-3.15pm.

**Friday 10<sup>th</sup> October** - non uniform day for a harvest festival food donation.

**Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> October** - 'Paint a Pot' (family craft event) from 3.15pm - 4.15pm.

**Friday 17<sup>th</sup> October - INSET DAY SCHOOL & NURSERY CLOSED**

**Friday 24<sup>th</sup> October** - School closes at 1pm for half term. There will be no afternoon nursery or Little Links on this day.



*Further details on these events to follow...*

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