

What is happening at Beechview

Curriculum Meetings

Thank you to all the families that attended the curriculum meetings - it was a lovely opportunity to meet the staff working with your children as well as having a look around the classroom. Key information was shared with the organisation of the year during this meeting and have since been made available to parents electronically as a resource to keep referring back to.

Celebration Opportunities

We have had our first few celebration assemblies now and it has been wonderful to celebrate the children. During the school week we celebrate our pupils in the following ways:

- **Star of the Week** at the end of the week. This can be for showing Beechview Values, wonderful pieces of work and so much more.
- **Class Dojo winners** (see something to celebrate box)
- Competing with National percentage for **attendance as a school** - the children like to challenge the average!
- **House Points** - all dojos earned are added to the children's individual houses which adds a lovely community level of competition especially with our soon to be appointed year 6 house captains.

Important Information:

Parking

Parking around the school has always been an issue due to the location of the school and the busy roads around us. This is even more of an issue with increased numbers of pupils. As a school we have made a parking promise to Buckinghamshire, that parents will park legally and safely to keep our children safe. Unfortunately this is not always happening, with parents parking on pavements forcing children to walk on the road. Buckinghamshire Council have had a number of reports from parents, neighbours and local people regarding this and are sending parking wardens consistently. To prevent getting a parking ticket make sure you are parking legally as per the highway code.

Top Tips:

- Give yourself time to find safe parking
- If possible, catch a bus, walk or cycle to school (Helps our Healthy School Award)
- Consider carpooling with other families
- If asked to move due to parking unsafely, please move promptly and avoid being abusive or arguing, especially in front of our children.

Allergy Awareness – Keeping Everyone Safe

From September 2026, new statutory allergy-safety requirements, often referred to as **Benedict's Law**, strengthen how schools protect children with allergies. We have pupils in school with **severe, potentially life-threatening allergies** and ask every family to help us keep our community safe. **Please do not send nuts or products containing nuts into school**, including chocolate spreads. We are a **nut-free school** and appreciate parents checking food labels carefully. Even a small amount of an allergen can cause a serious reaction for some children. Thank you for helping us keep **every child safe and included**.

Please ensure, if you are ordering school meals, you order through **School Grid**: schoolgrid.co.uk

Parent Survey - Start of term feedback!

Please take a moment to complete [this short survey](#) and share your thoughts around the start of the new school year. We'd love to hear how your child is settling into Beechview Academy.

We are grateful for all your feedback!



Attendance:

Last year the **national average** was **94.7%**. Beechview's was 94.2%!

The running attendance for this current year is: **94.6!**

Message from the Headteacher

What a wonderful start to the academic year. I have thoroughly enjoyed welcoming all the children on to the Beechview site - it has been an absolute delight seeing Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 join us. The Year 3's have settled in so wonderfully it is as if they have been here forever.

As you are aware, we had a very busy summer with a tight timescale to get ready to welcome the infant children on to the site but we made it happen. Although there has been a few snagging issues, which we will continue to address and improve, it has been a reasonably smooth start. I want to thank all parents and families for your support and most importantly your patience at this time. It has been lovely meeting you all, and welcoming you in the morning and I am excited for the year ahead.

Yours Sincerely,
Mrs Parry-Woolner

Something to celebrate!

Children at Beechview earn dojos for many reasons, from showing the Beechview values to completing challenging work, and much more. Each week in celebration assembly we celebrate the pupils in each class that have managed to collect the most dojos that go towards their house points.

Year 1 and 2 will be joining this list below next week, now they understand the point of dojos.

Friday 18th September Winners:

3 Oak - Nishvik
4 Cedar - Audrey, Esme
4 Elm - Alex
5 Hazel - Harper
5 Willow - Aliza
6 Maple - Jacob
6 Pine - Ayesha
House: Wisdom



Reporting Absences & Pupils Signing In and Out

When reporting a pupil absence, please contact the school office by phone or email - Do not report absences via Class Dojo.

Also, when your child is leaving for an appointment ensure you sign them out and back in when they return using the Inventory system in the school reception. This is the same for late drop offs and pickups.

Stars of the Week

18/09/2026



Whole school
Attendance 14th
Sept.

93.46%

Whole school
Attendance 7th
Sept.

94.23%



Important dates this term:

Mon 21st September - School Photographs
Mon 12th October - Open Day for Reception Starters 2027 (9:15am & 3:30pm)
Wed 14th October - Open Day for Reception Starters 2027 (9:15am & 3:30pm)
Weds 14th October - After school Christmas Choir Starts
Mon 19th October - Year 4 Verulamium Trip
Fri 23rd October - School Finishes at 3:15pm/3:30pm
Mon 26th Oct - Fri 30th Oct - HALF TERM
Mon 2nd Nov - SCHOOL STARTS