



BINSTED C.E.V.C. PRIMARY SCHOOL
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At Binsted we believe in the Christian values of Faith, Hope & Love.

5th May 2026

Dear Parents,

Now that we are getting some warmer weather, it is particularly important that your child brings a water bottle into school each day. Could you also ensure that sun cream is applied at home as staff are not able to do this. Children may bring sun cream into school if you are confident they can apply this independently – the roll on variety seems to work best for the children. Please do not send aerosols into school.

SATS Breakfasts

Next week our amazing Year 6 children will be doing their SATs. These statutory tests are another step on the road of growing up and we are incredibly proud of all of them. We ask that they are brought in for 8am in order that they can have a bacon roll (or veggie equivalent) and settle down in class before the busy-ness of drop-off. The tests are daily Monday to Thursday.

Curriculum Evening

We have a curriculum evening planned for Thursday 14th May at 6pm. This is a chance for parents' to see how your curriculum is planned at Binsted and how each child's journey through the year groups is mapped out. It will hopefully be a fun, interesting presentation with lots of chance to ask questions about mixed year group schools.

Walk to School Week – 18th to 22nd May

We will be running the Walking Bus again from the Binsted Rec. I would like some parent volunteers this year to help me walk the children down to school. We will be meeting at 8.15am in the car park of Binsted Rec. Please refrain from parking in Church Street during that week and drop off from 8.15-8.30am at the rec. You will be able to leave your child at this point with me and the parent volunteers.

Class Assembly and Booklooks

We are holding our Class Assemblies and Booklooks again for this Summer Term. The dates are on the calendar but are also below to make it easy for you to find. Please do try and attend as they are a brilliant chance to see all the amazing things going on in your child's class and look through their school books. Each assembly starts at 9am.

Beech Class- Friday 22nd May
Silver Birch- Thursday 4th June
Oak Class- Thursday 11th June
Rowan Class- Friday 19th June

New Year R Places

We still have a few spaces for Year R next year so if you know of anyone who is unhappy with their allocated place for next year please let them know. The places will be released on Thursday 16th April and anybody who is not happy with the school they have been allocated can still switch their choice in time for September.



BenBinFro Prayer Week

The Benbinfro (Bentley, Binsted, and Froyle) Church Benefice is holding a "God With Us" prayer week from **May 17th-24th, 2026**, featuring creative prayer stations at Bentley Church Hall. Open daily from 6 am-8 pm, the event offers space for quiet reflection, prayer, and after-school activities, with booking available on 24-7prayer.com. We will be taking the children along for a slot in classes during the week.

Kind Regards,

Henry Jennings
Headteacher

We at Binsted CE School take our safeguarding duties very seriously and if you have any concerns regarding a child, young person or adult who may be at risk of harm please contact one of the following in the strictest confidence:

Designated Safeguarding Lead	Henry Jennings
Deputy Safeguarding Lead	L-J Lucas
Safeguarding Governor	Sally Hibbert

The School's Safeguarding and Child Protection policies for 2025 to 2026 on the school website.

Our SENCo is Jenny Matthews who can be reached via Senco@binsted.hants.sch.uk

Our Mental Health lead is Vicki Boxley who can be reached via adminoffice@binsted.hants.sch.uk

SCHOOL CALENDAR ACADEMIC YEAR 2025 – 2026 NOTABLE DATES

May		
Mon 4 th May		BANK HOLIDAY
Tues 5 th May	8:00 – 8:30	SATS Breakfast – Group 1
Thurs 7 th May	3:45 – 6:15	SATS ASC - Group 2
Mon 11 th – Thurs 14 th May		SATs Week running until Thursday 14 th May
Thurs 14 th May	6pm	Parents Curriculum Evening
Mon 18 th – Fri 22 nd May		Walk to School Week BenBinFro Prayer Week – God With Us
Wed 20 th May		KS2 – Alice Holt
Thurs 21 st May		Silver Birch Rewards Day
Friday 22 nd May	9am	Beech Class Assembly
Mon 25 th – Fri 29 th May		HALF TERM
June		
Mon 1 st June		INSET DAY
Tues 2 nd – Fri 5 th June		Alton Arts Week
Wed 3 rd June		Eggars Induction Day – Year 6
Thurs 4 th June	9am	Silver Birch Class Assembly
Wed 10 th June		Class Photos
	1 – 3:30	Moving Up Afternoon
	6:00 – 7:00	New Year R Parent Information Evening
Thurs 11 th June	9am	Oak Class Assembly
	PM	Girls Cricket Festival - TBC
Tues 16 th June		Rowan Class – FAST Museum Trip
Fri 19 th June	9am	Rowan Class Assembly
	PM	Womens T20 World Cup – By Invitation Ulilita Bowl
Wed 24 th June	1 – 3:00	Moving Up Afternoon



	3:00 – 3:30	Eco Fair
Thurs 25 th June		Year 5 Taster Day – Amery Hill
Fri 26 th June		Year 6 Leavers Service – Winchester Cathedral
Fri 26 th June		Reports to Parents
July		
Thurs 2 nd July	3:30 – 5:00	Informal Parents Evening
Fri 3 rd July		Amery and Eggars Induction Day – Year 6
Tues 7 th July	2:00 – 3:30	KS2 Performance Dress Rehearsal
Wed 8 th July	1:00 – 3:30	Moving Up Afternoon
	6:00 – 8:00	KS2 Performance
Thurs 9 th July	6:00 – 8:00	KS2 Performance
Sat 11 th July	9:00 – 12:00	Eggars Open Day
Mon 13 th July	2:45 – 3:30	End of Year Awards Assembly
Wed 15 th July	1:00 – 3:30	Sports Day and Governors Awards Ceremony
Thurs 16 th July		Leavers BBQ
Mon 20 th July	TBC	Reserve Sports Day
Tues 21 st July	11:00- 12:00	Leavers Service – Holy Cross Church
	12:00- 1:00	End of year picnic – school grounds
Wed 22 nd July		INSET DAY
		END OF TERM

