



# Bunwell in Brief

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Together, we will strive to ensure that we C.A.R.E and our children are: confident, able learners, responsible members of the community and effective learners.

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### Ladybirds:

Ladybirds have been learning about their 'people who help us' topic. The children have been looking at a range of people who help us in our day to day lives, as well as role playing different scenarios. They have been exploring people who helped us in the past and present. Ladybirds have continued to tend to their plants this term and are observing their continuing changes.

In maths, nursery have been working on their number recognition, exploring patterns and finding the odd one out. Reception have been exploring patterns and doubling.

### Badgers:

In English, we have been learning about the features of a diary. The children have written diaries from their personal perspective and have also planned and written a diary from the viewpoint of a character from our class book - Oliver and the Seawigs.

In math, the children have been learning about decimals which led nicely into our module on time. They have looked at the 12 hour clock and 24 hour clock along with analogue and digital time. Science, we have been studying the life cycle of plants. We have conducted experiments using prediction, research and observation skills to see how plants survive in different conditions and how water and nutrients are transported using food coloring.

During history, we have studied King Henry VIII. The children have learnt about the ruling of King Henry VIII, how he came to be in power, Henry's six wives along with the reformation of the Church of England with Pope Clement VII.

During R.E, we have explored Buddhism and key aspects within their religion. We have looked at how Buddhists follow their religion, pray and celebrate special days. We have done this through means of research, writing and drawing.

### Dates for your diary

**Monday 30th – Friday 3rd**—half term

**w/b 6th June**—Y1 Phonics screening check

**Tuesday 7th June**—Hedgehogs to Go Ape

**Wednesday 16th June** - Nursery open morning for prospective parents.

**w/b 20th June**—Y4 multiplication check

### Attendance

Attendance is getting better, please send your child to school even if they are a little under the weather, if they aren't well enough to get through the day we will contact you. Here at Bunwell, as with all other schools, we aim for **96%** attendance. Here are the attendance figures for each class for the last two weeks.

Ladybirds		96%
Hedgehogs		96%
Badgers		90%
Foxes		95%
Whole School		94%

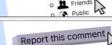
### Hedgehogs:

In Hedgehogs we have been researching the Great Fire of London in books and online, we then worked as a team to compile our findings and create fact files. The Year 2s completed their KS1 SATs, showing determination and positivity throughout. The Year 1s continued their work on time in maths and worked on comprehension skills in English.

### Foxes:

Foxes Class had a wonderful three days at Caythorpe Court, taking part in adventurous activities and, for some children, staying away from home for the first time. They really were a pleasure to take away. We have just started rehearsals for our end of year production, Robin Hood and the Sherwood Hoodies - keep practising those lines, KS2!

### 8 tips to stay safe online

- 1 Be nice to people online. 
- 2 Take care with what you share. 
- 3 Keep personal information private. 
- 4 Check your privacy settings. 
- 5 Know how to report posts. 
- 6 Keep your passwords safe. 
- 7 Never meet anyone in person you've only met online. 
- 8 If you see anything online that you don't like or you find upsetting, tell someone you trust. 

### Before and After School Club

Breakfast club starts at 7:45am and children are served toast, cereal or fruit. After school club runs until 5:30pm and there is a choice of sandwiches, fruit and vegetables for tea. Sessions cost £5 for breakfast club and £8 for after school club. Book your sessions via Wisepay.

### Safeguarding at Bunwell

At Bunwell all staff have a responsibility to safeguard children. If you ever have a concern about a child or a member of staff then please contact one of our designated safeguarding leads: Miss Husbands or Mrs Brookes. You can also ring the number 0344 800 8020 if you have a concern about a child outside school.

Bunwell Primary School is registered with Operation Encompass. This means that Norfolk Police will contact the school concerning any domestic incidents which involve the families of our children the day after the incident occurred.

