



PARENT BULLETIN | 28TH NOVEMBER 2025

SCHOOL NEWS

CALENDAR



Monday 24th – Sunday 30th November
UK Parliament Week

Saturday 29th November
MASKS Christmas Fayre

Tuesday 9th December
Carol-fest

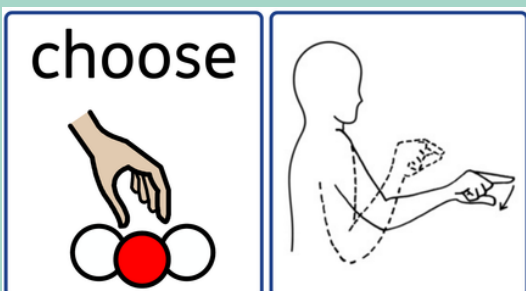
Thursday 11th December
Christmas Lunch & Christmas Jumper Day

Friday 19th December
Last day of Term

****Christmas Break: 22nd December to 2nd January****
Monday 5th January – INSET Day
Tuesday 6th January
Students return to school

SIGN OF THE WEEK

Core Word



MESSAGE FROM HEAD OF SCHOOL

Thank you to those who've been sending in gifts, chocolates and bottles for the Christmas Fayre – these donations are very gratefully received and help us to make it a great day. If you have raffle tickets at home and haven't sent in your money, please bring these along on Saturday, you can still be entered into the prize draw. This half term some of our class groups are focussing on measuring. This week I have examples of using standard and non-standard measure, with physical objects on the desktop and on the whiteboard. It was lovely to see how the students had progressed with this so far this half term. I enjoyed sitting in on some literacy sessions. I know how hard everyone has been working on implementing phonics groups and Write Dance, so it was great to see students so engaged in these. I hope to see some of you tomorrow at the Christmas Fayre being held at Booker Park School.

Rhonda



MASKS CHRISTMAS FAYRE

We look forward to welcoming you to our annual MASKS Christmas Fayre this **Saturday 29th November**, at **Booker Park School, Stoke Leys Close, Aylesbury, Buckinghamshire, HP21 9ET**. There will be crafts, food, games and lots of fun activities for children and adults to get involved in, as well as lots of wonderful prizes to be won from our raffle. See you tomorrow!





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USEFUL INFORMATION

The Family Hub Team have just released new dates for their parenting and youth sessions for January to March 2026. These sessions are designed to help parents, children, and young people build stronger relationships, improve emotional wellbeing, and develop practical skills for everyday life. Please see below poster for full details:

Youth and Children's Courses

Free Youth and Children's Courses

Our free online and in-person courses help children and young people understand and manage their emotions better, so they can handle life's changes more easily.

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WELLBEING MATTERS
(7-11 YEAR OLDS)

- Helps children develop emotional awareness through using the Five Ways to Wellbeing in a creative way.
- Introduces practical tools to help build emotional resilience.

HOW TO COPE WITH STRESS, ANXIETY AND LOW MOOD
11-19 YEAR OLDS (UP TO 25 WITH SEND)

- Introduces creative strategies to feel better and to deal with setbacks.
- Helps young people plan for a brighter future.

HOW TO BUILD CONFIDENCE AND SELF-ESTEEM
11-19 YEAR OLDS (UP TO 25 WITH SEND)

- Explore ways to increase confidence and self-esteem.
- How to deal with peer pressure and setbacks.
- Explores how the online world affects self-esteem.

MOVING UP TO SECONDARY SCHOOL FOR YEAR 6'S

- Explores what to expect at secondary school.
- Learn skills to make friends, deal with peer pressure and address any worries about the move.
- Practical tips about getting organised.

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Parenting Programmes

Free Parenting Programmes

Our parenting programmes will help you develop new and existing parenting skills, offer advice and build your confidence as a parent.

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LITTLE TALKERS
18 months to 3 years old

- Focuses on children's speech, language and communication skills and how parents can promote them
- Designed by Buckinghamshire Speech and Language Therapy

PARENT PUZZLE
0 to 5 years old

- Understand challenges and how to address them
- How to support your child's growth for calmer parenting

TALKING TEENS
11 to 18 years old

- Focuses on relationships within the family, communication, negotiating, decision-making and strategies to reduce conflict
- Learn more about teenagers and their needs

THE NURTURING PROGRAMME
7 to 11 years old

- Help deal with the challenges that come with parenting
- Think about what we do, why we do it and how it makes us feel

BALANCEABILITY
2.5 to 5 years old

- Accredited learn to cycle programme
- Develops confidence, spatial awareness, dynamic balance, and how to ride without stabilisers

KEEPING YOUR CHILD IN MIND
All ages

- Work together in ways that support growing children and a calmer family life
- Explore the conflict between parents/carers both in a current or previous relationship

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Have a great weekend.

Bradley Taylor, Principal

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