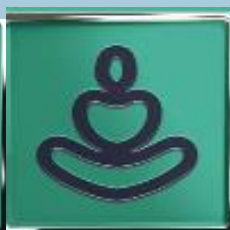




Newsletter

Autumn Term 8th September 2023
secretary@jennetts.bonitas.org.uk
John 10:10 Live life in all its fullness



Dear Parents and Carers,

A huge welcome to our new families.



I spent the majority of this week marvelling how well your children settled into learning and to being with their peers. Why? Because I'm so impressed that our children 'get' how you should be able to work with their friends, neighbours and families—we call this our Rainbow Promise. [Our Rainbow Promise | Jennett's Park \(bonitas.org.uk\)](#) They understand they need to hold a great job in their future—our Owl learning skills. Nothing made me prouder than hearing our new year sixes describe how we can be like our Football Lionesses in assembly.

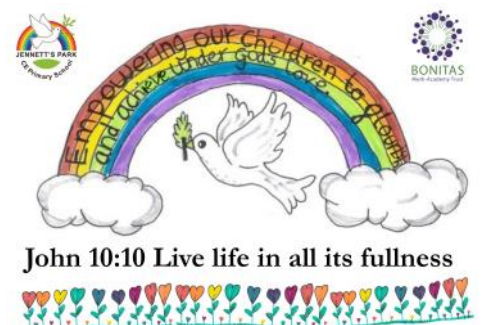
Parents student and staff feedback results [Survey responses 2023 | Jennett's Park \(bonitas.org.uk\)](#)

3 - 4 year old wraparound care survey– we are in our feasibility phase and need your views to help us shape any future plans!
<https://forms.office.com/e/3LMfRD3RpJ>

Meet the teacher sessions and links to your child's Curriculum Newsletters can be found on page 3.

Remember we don't use phones or ride scooters onsite. Please pass this onto anyone collecting or dropping off to avoid frustrations or embarrassment.

**See you on gate
Liz Savage, Headteacher**



Meet the teacher dates

Please do feel most welcome to come and meet our teaching teams at 9am at the following times:

Year 1: Monday 18th

Year 2: Friday 15th

Year 3: Thursday 14th

Year 4: Wednesday 20th

Year 5: Thursday 21st

Year 6: Friday 22nd



We understand many parents work and may not be able to attend, these sessions provide an opportunity to meet the teaching team otherwise they look forward to meeting you soon.

Curriculum news

Our Spring Curriculum Newsletters and plans are available on our website:

[Nursery & Reception](#) - to follow next week once children finish settling in.

[Year 1](#)

[Year 2](#)

[Year 3](#)

[Year 4](#)

[Year 5](#)

[Year 6](#)



PTA AGM



Our Parent Teacher Association (PTA) is hosting its Annual General Meeting (AGM) on **Wednesday 20th September at 6:30pm** and we would love to see you there!

At the AGM, we will be sharing details about the fantastic fundraising achievements of last year. It will be an opportunity for you to learn about the various activities and events that took place, as well as the positive impact they had on our school community.

The AGM also marks the beginning of the planning phase for this year's events and fundraising initiatives. We are excited to meet with new parents who have an interest in joining the PTA team and contributing to our efforts. Together, we can raise even more funds to support the school and our children to live life in all it's fullness!

Whether you are an experienced PTA member, someone who has previously attended meetings, or a completely new face, we welcome everyone to participate. Your presence and input will add valuable perspective to the discussion, helping us shape the future events and determine the fundraising goals for the academic year.

Please mark your calendars for **Wednesday 20th September at 6:30pm for the PTA AGM**. It will be held in the meeting room in school. We kindly request that you confirm your attendance by contacting the school office or through the PTA Facebook page to help us know how many seats we will be needing!

We truly believe that parent involvement is vital in creating an outstanding educational experience for our children. By actively participating in the PTA, parents can contribute to the growth and development of our school community, making a lasting impact on the lives of our students. We look forward to seeing you on the 20th and working together to plan an exciting year ahead.

Volunteering at JPCE!

Are you aware of the exciting opportunities for you to get involved in our school community?

As you know, learning is a collaborative effort, and we strongly believe in the importance of parental involvement. We are looking for people who are willing and able to volunteer to support the children in our school. There are a variety of tasks including hearing readers, supporting with times tables practice, and offering general classroom assistance. When you apply to volunteer, we will discuss how and where you can help out!

If you are interested in becoming one of our regular volunteering superstars, please contact me via the school office to let me know and get started in helping you join the volunteer team.

Miss Szadowski

Volunteers needed next week!

Helen from Artists in Schools will visit Years 3-6 next week to undertake a felting workshop where the children will create a large felt banner to display in our hall around. We would appreciate any parent (or willing grandparents!) volunteers between Tuesday 12th – Thursday 14th September.

If you can spare any time during the school day to come and support children with this workshop please do let us know via the secretary@ email address.

Clubs

Our selected partner-run clubs are now available to book (see below table).

Our breakfast and after school club can be booked online via **MagicBookings**. Please see our [parent guide](#) for how to access MagicBookings.

We are planning more after-school activities and will release these for booking next Friday at 3pm.

Club	Years	Time	Day	Book via
Rocksteady	Y1-6	Mornings	Wednesday	Rocksteady
Football Club	Y1-6	3:15-4:30pm	Friday	JustPlaySports
Chess Club	Y1-6	3:15-4:10pm	Thursday	Magic Booking
Brickies Lego	Y1-6	3:15-4:10pm	Thursday	Click here
French Club	Y1/2	Lunch	Friday	Click here
Spanish Club	Y1/2/3	Lunch	Monday	Click here
Minecraft Club	Y2*/3/4/5/6 *7yrs+	3:15-4:15pm	Monday	Click here
Minecraft Club	Y2*/3/4/5/6 *7yrs+	3:15-4:15pm	Wednesday	Click here
Berkshire Maestros Singing	Y3/4/5/6	Lunch	Monday	Berkshire Maestros
French Club	Y3/4/5/6	Lunch	Tuesday	Click here

Please note: Brickies, Rocksteady, Singing, Football, Minecraft & Language clubs are bookable directly with the organiser (see links above).

Outstanding Owl and Rainbow Promise Learners



Each week children are chosen for showing Owl learning behaviours or following our Rainbow Promise.



Our Rainbow Promise underpins everything we do at school. Just as the Rainbow was a sign of God's promise to Noah that from that moment God would enable Noah and the people of the earth to flourish and experience life in all its fullness. So as a school community we promise to do our best to enable all the pupils and adults of our school to flourish academically and professionally so that they might reach their potential.

The Rainbow is also a symbol of the diversity of our school community, but as a church school we recognise that we are all created and valued by God, and so as a school community we commit to care for and value each other.

The dove symbolises our need to persevere in some aspects of life as it is not always the first time we find success. It was not the first time that Noah had tried to find dry land and so we much seek strength within ourselves and from God to achieve.

 *Forgiveness*

 *Patience*

 *Support*

 *Kindness & Joy*

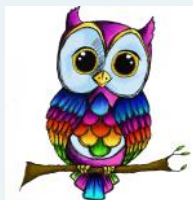
 *Love*

 *Honesty*

 *Respect*

 *Peace*

These are our Values we try to live each day



Our Owl Learning Behaviours:

C - Collaboration O - Optimism

P - Perseverance P - Pride

I - Inspiration C - Challenge

MD - Managing Distractions

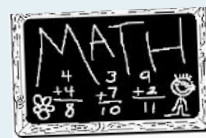


Pages for Children



Our Rainbow Moments this week

Robins	Welcome to JP!
Woodpeckers	Welcome to JP!
Stonechats	Teddy P
Whinchats	Liam & Rivalee
Canaries	Logan
Yellowhammers	Ethan
Greenjays	Bonnie
Parakeets	Alexander
Kingfishers	Esme
Macaws	Whole class!
Mockingbirds	Rose
Peacocks	Shravya
Sabrewings	Ella
Sunbirds	Abigail



Our Owl Learners this week

Robins	Welcome to JP!
Woodpeckers	Welcome to JP!
Stonechats	Max
Whinchats	Joshua
Canaries	Thea
Yellowhammers	Darcey
Greenjays	Ronnie
Parakeets	Oliver M
Kingfishers	Ruby
Macaws	Leah
Mockingbirds	Edward
Peacocks	Josh
Sabrewings	Taya
Sunbirds	Maya

Menu Change - Wednesday



This Wednesday 13th September we will offer the following meals:

- Cheese, Tuna, Chicken Mayo Wrap Meals
- Jacket Potato with Beans / Cheese / Tuna

All meals served with vegetable sticks and a pudding and all dietary requirements can be catered for.

Nut-free school

We remain a nut-free school.



Suggested items to double check:

- Chocolate spreads
- Hazelnut chocolate bars
- Cereal and snack bars
- Cookies and biscuits
- Bakery items
- Pesto-based sauces (pinenuts)

If you have any questions, please do contact the office.



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Come see us:

Open Evening -Wednesday 27th September 5- 7. No need to book.

Full tours- 9:15, 9:45, 10:15 or 10:45

Thursday 5th October Thursday 19th October

Thursday 9th November

Thursday 23rd November Thursday 30th November

Email secretary@jennetts.bonitas.org.uk to secure your space or ring 01344 301269





"It [JPCE] can be likened to a phoenix rising from the ashes.

Everyone is 'singing from the same hymn sheet', helping to breathe newness of life into Jennett's Park.

SIAMS 2019



"The school's distinctive 'rainbow values' help pupils to respect each other and develop strong friendships. The school's leaders have developed an ambitious and engaging curriculum."

OFSTED 2021

"Many congratulations on the highly impressive work that you have put in place for staff, families and children! Your commitment to public life, your dedication and expertise are truly remarkable. Very well done!" Wellbeing Award 2022



The school's inclusive ethos ensures that children are at the heart of the school. Staff know the children well and have a good understanding of their strengths and challenges and how to address these, enabling access to quality education

SEND Inclusion Award 2023



2023-2026



WE'VE HAD A GREAT YEAR @TEAM JPCE 2023



We've had a great year here at Jennett's Park CE Primary. Thank you for being part of our journey. Below are some great highlights we'd like to share:



1) We have had great results in EYFS, MTC, PHONICS, End of KS1 and End of KS2. At or above National in most aspects. We are so proud of our children, staff and community!



2) WE HAVE GREAT ATTENDANCE

You know being in school makes a difference every day. Our children are in school Nursery to Year 6 96% of the time. Bravo!

3) WE GAINED OUR SEND INCLUSION AWARD

" JPCE places inclusion at the heart of everything the school does, and as such SEND is part of the school development plan and is a strategic priority. The number of children on the SEN register is higher than national average, despite this, children's strengths and challenges are well understood, and funding has been utilised effectively so that children are well supported both by adults in the classroom, alongside the use of assistive technology."

WE DID WELL IN SPORTS AGAIN...



The Boys first placed first and the Girls third in their leagues. Gold and Bronze. The Girls cricket won Gold, the Boys 'B' team Gold and the Boys 'A' team Silver. A wonderful achievement!

Oh and on top of all we are proud to say we won the county Cricket finals!

WE CELEBRATED LIFE IN ALL ITS FULLNESS

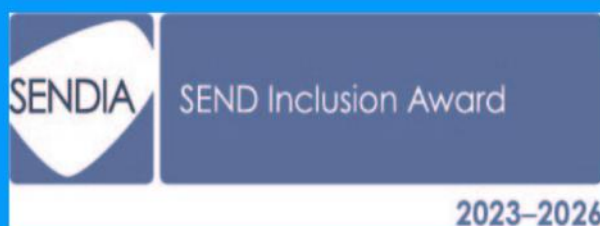
Most of all we celebrate life in all its fullness. There were over 100 events across the year paid and unpaid and allowing each child to flourish.



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LET OTHERS KNOW PLEASE

If you can do one thing- please spread the word of what we do here. You are are best and our most fearless cheerleaders. Thank you for being a brilliant community. You make us smile every day.



Supporting Your Children Workshops

To book a space please email which course you'd like to attend, your name and contact number to Inge.Taylor@bracknell-forest.gov.uk

Courses are for adults supporting children not the children themselves and each course is a standalone 2-hour session.

**Please be aware that spaces are offered on a first come first served basis
Once you have completed an enrolment form your space will be confirmed.**

Please only book onto the sessions if you are going to be able to attend to avoid other parents missing out on the opportunity to have a place

Helping children to overcome anxious thoughts and worries

A 2-hour session looking at

- What happens when children become anxious
- Impact current events have had on children's mental health
- Techniques for helping children deal with their fears / worries



Tuesday 19th September 2023

@ Bracknell Open Learning Centre

6.30 – 8.30 pm

Wednesday 11th October 2023

@ Bracknell Open Learning Centre.

9.30 – 11.30 am

Priority for Fox Hill parents although there may be spaces for parent from other schools

Managing Behaviour in a Positive Way

A 2-hour session looking at

- Gain insight into your parenting style / relationship with your child
- Learn or revisit positive ways of managing behaviour
- Strategies to deal with unacceptable behaviours



Monday 18th September 2023

@ Bracknell Open Learning Centre

9.30 – 11.30 am

Wednesday 4th October 2023

@ Bracknell Open Learning Centre

6.30 – 8.30 pm

Friday 6th October 2023

@ Bracknell Open Learning Centre –

9.30 – 11.30 am

Priority for Fox Hill parents although there may be spaces for parent from other schools

Supporting Children to get a Healthy Night's Sleep

A 2-hour session looking at

- The different sleep issues facing our families
- Tips on how to get a good night's sleep.
- Help children develop good sleeping habits



Thursday 12th October 2023

@ Bracknell Open Learning Centre

6.30 – 8.30 pm

Parenting pre / early-teens in a Positive Way (aged 10 – 13)

A 2-hour session looking at

- Gain insight into the impact of your parenting style
- Positive techniques for managing older children's behaviour
- Boosting your relationship and communication with your child



Wednesday 18th October 2023

@ Bracknell Open Learning Centre

9.30 – 11.30

Reducing Sibling Rivalry

A 2-hour session looking at

- Encouraging a more harmonious sibling relationship
- Learn / revisit techniques for children to cope with being a sibling
- Boosting children's emotional literacy





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Thursday 28th September 2023 @ Bracknell Open Learning Centre	6.30 – 8.30 pm
Single Parent, Separated and Blended families – supporting children to cope with different family dynamics <i>A 2-hour session looking at</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Different family dynamics and how they can work • Parental conflict resolutions • Being the best parent that you can be for your child 	
Monday 25 th September 2023 @ Bracknell Open Learning Centre	9.30 – 11.30
Supporting a smooth transition to secondary school (YR 5/6 parents) <i>A 2-hour session looking at</i> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • What the transition involves • The positives and concerns of transitioning to a new setting • Boosting your child's ability to have a smooth transition 	
Please let me know if you would like to add your name to the waiting list for next year	

Upcoming Dates for your Diary

12-14th September	Y3-6 Felt Workshop
w/c 18th September	After-school clubs begin
w/c 25th September	Y6 Bikeability
29th September	Cardboard Challenge Day Sukkot begins
2nd October	Black History Month begins
5th October	National Poetry Day / World Teacher's Day
6th October	Y6 Trip to Oxford
10th October	Hello Yellow / Mental Health Day
11th October	School Photographs
18th October	YR Harvest Assembly 9:00-9:45am
20th October	Show Racism the Red Card (wear red)
23th-27th October	Half term <u>Camp Beaumont in school</u>
31st October	YR-Y3 Drama4all workshops Parents Evening (in person)
2nd November	Flu Vaccinations YR-Y6 Parents Evening (virtual)
6th November	Maths Week begins
10th November	Number Day
13th November	Odd Socks Monday
7th-14th November	Scholastic Book Fair
13th-17th November	Anti-bullying Week
22nd-24th November	Diwali Dance Workshops

Term dates 23/24

Autumn Term 2023	
Professional Training Days	Friday 1st September 2023 Day 1 Monday 4th September 2023 Day 2
Start of Term	Tuesday 5th September 2023
Half Term	Monday 23rd October to Friday 27th October
End of Term Nursery	Thursday 14th December 2023
End of Term	Friday 15th December 2023 1:30pm
Spring Term 2024	
Professional Training Day	Tuesday 2nd January 2024 Day 3
Start of Term	Wednesday 3rd January 2024
Half Term	Monday 12th February to Friday 16th February 2024
End of Term Nursery	Wednesday 27th March 2024
End of Term	Thursday 28th March 2024 1:30pm (Good Friday 29th March 2024, Easter Monday 1st April 2024)
Summer Term 2024	
Start of Term	Monday 15th April 2024
Half Term	May Bank Holidays 6th and 27th May 2024 Monday 27th May to Friday 31st May 2024
End of Term Nursery	Wednesday 17th July 2024
End of Term	Friday 19th July 2024
Professional Training Days	Monday 22nd July 2024 Day 4 Tuesday 23rd July 2024 Day 5 (Day 4&5 taken as staff TOIL)

Term dates 24/25

Autumn Term 2024	
Professional Training Days	Tuesday 3rd September 2024 Day 1
Start of Term	Wednesday 4th September 2024 Children return
Half Term	Monday 28th October to Friday 1st November 2024
End of term Nursery	Thursday 19th December
End of Term	Friday 20th December 2024 1:30pm
Spring Term 2025	
Professional Training Day	Monday 6th January 2025 day 2
Start of Term	Tuesday 7th January 2025
Half Term	Monday 17th February to Friday 21st February 2025
Start of Term	Monday 24th February 2025
End of term Nursery	Wednesday 3rd April 2025
End of Term	Thursday 4th April 2025 11:30 pm
Spring Holidays	Monday 7th April - Monday 21st April 2025 (Good Friday 18th April 2025, Easter Monday 21st April 2025)
Summer Term 2025	
Start of Term	Tuesday 22nd April 2025
Half Term	May Bank Holidays 5th and 26th May 2025 Monday 26th May to Friday 30th May 2025
End of term Nursery	Wednesday 16th July 2025
End of Term	Friday 18th July 2025 1:30
Professional Training Days	Monday 21st July 2025 Day 3 Tuesday 22nd July 2025 Day 4 Wednesday 23rd July 2025 Day 5 (Day 3,4,5 taken as staff TOIL)

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Here's what you need to know:

- Lessons are held during the school day. There's no experience necessary and all instruments are provided, so it's very inclusive and accessible.
- Your child can choose from **drums, vocals, keyboard, electric or bass guitar** (subject to availability). They'll join their band mates for a weekly 30-minute lesson, where together they'll learn to play their favourite songs.
- You can proudly watch as your child performs in their end of term performance, showing you and their friends just how far they have come, and how far they could go. You can also **follow their musical journey** in your **Parent Timeline** from your Backstage account.
- Loved and trusted by thousands of schools, lessons are taught by experienced professional musicians who make music education fun. Your child's band leader will support and **inspire** them, while making sure they progress at their own pace.
- Your child will become either a **Mini Rocker** (Reception to Year 2), **Rock Hero** (Year 3 and Year 4) or a **Rock Icon** (Year 5 and Year 6).

Places are offered on a first come, first served basis. Selecting different instrument options will also give you the best chance of getting a place.

For more details on availability and cost, visit rocksteadymusicschool.com and find your school on the sign up page **or call 0330 113 0330**.

Best wishes,
Rachel Hawker | Director of Education



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HERE'S WHAT SOME PARENTS AND HEADTEACHERS
HAVE TO SAY ABOUT ROCKSTEADY LESSONS



Dear Parents and Carers,

Over the next few weeks I will be at your child's school offering **FREE** trial singing lessons. Please reply by email to book a space.

<i>Why singing?</i>	<i>How do lessons work?</i>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Singing is fun and makes you feel happy! Research shows that children who sing and play musical instruments perform better academically. Singing can help develop confidence, concentration, memory, and teamwork skills. There are exciting opportunities to perform in a wide variety of venues. 	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Lessons can either be individual (20mins or 30mins) or in small groups of 2 to 5 pupils. Group lessons cost from just £10 per lesson; full details are on the website. Children are taught on a rotating timetable so there is minimal disruption to their classroom learning.
	<i>Are there any other benefits?</i> *If you are having Voice lessons then you will be entitled to a 20% discount on joining Berkshire Maestros County choirs: Berkshire Children's Choir Yr 4-6, Berkshire Young Voices Yr 7-9 (auditioned grade 3+), Berkshire Youth Choir Yr 10-13 (auditioned grade 5+).
<i>What happens next?</i>	
<p>If your child would like to take up this opportunity to have a free taster singing lesson then please email me the following information:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Child's name School Year Group Parent's name Parent's email address <p>This does not commit you to anything but will help us coordinate your Free Taster Singing Lesson.</p>	

If you have any queries please contact me or visit www.berkshiremaestros.org.uk

Kind Regards,

KAT HITTI

Voice Teacher - Berkshire Maestros

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9th July 2023

Dear Jennett's Park families,

RE: BilinguaSing clubs

We are now taking bookings for the autumn term of BilinguaSing lunch clubs at Jennett's Park CE Primary School.

'BilinguaSing' runs sensory bilingual music classes that stand out from the usual language clubs on offer and our 'On y Va!' and ¡Vamos! ('Let's Go!') programmes are specifically designed for Primary Schools. We introduce languages in a fun, accessible way supporting the children with the key language skills – listening, speaking, reading and writing. The following clubs are available:

Mondays: Spanish club, open for years 1-3. For those children keen to get a head start on learning Spanish before they start learning it as part of the school timetable in year 3.

Tuesdays: Key Stage 2 French club (years 3-6). For older children wishing to learn French, this programme is specifically designed to be compatible with the KS2 languages curriculum.

Friday: Key Stage 1 French club (years 1&2). For children interested in learning French through our mix of songs and props to capture their imagination.

Classes start from Monday September 25 - Friday December 8 and it will cost £50 for an 10 week course. To register your child, please do so by clicking [here](#). Places will be given on a first come, first served basis. Discounts apply for siblings or children wishing to do both languages – please contact me for more information.

No prior language knowledge is required, but if you would like to support your child's learning at home, I sell membership packs, which include a lifetime 5% discount on all BilinguaSing products – please email me if you would like some more information.

If you have any questions, please contact cari@bilinguasing.com and I look forward to seeing your children in class in September.

Merci! / ¡Gracias! / Thank you!

Cari Weston, Owner, BilinguaSing Wokingham & Bracknell

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French & Spanish lunchtime clubs Autumn term:

Mondays, Spanish

12:15–12:45pm
years 1–3



Tuesdays, French

12:30–1:00pm
years 3–6 (KS2)



Fridays, French

12:15–12:45pm
years 1–2 (KS1)

£50 for an 10 week block of classes starting from
Monday 25th September.

Places are limited so please click here to **BOOK NOW**
to reserve your child's place.



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