# Barnett Wood Infant School

9th October 2026

# WEEKLY BULLETIN

## Weekly Attendance Update

Attendance for 5th - 9th October:

| Hedgehogs | Squirrels | Owls | Rabbits | Badgers | Foxes |
|---|---|---|---|---|---|
| 99.6% | 98.1% | 98.6% | 100% | 98.3% | 98.5% |

Well done to Rabbits Class for having 100% attendance this week!

## Parent Volunteers

Thank you to everyone who participated in the Safeguarding for Parent Volunteers session this morning. If you're interested in volunteering at the school but were unable to attend, please reach out to the school office for information on how to apply for a DBS check.

## 'Bake and Taste' Open Morning for current and prsopective parents - TOMORROW!

A friendly reminder that our 'Bake and Taste' Open Morning is taking place tomorrow, Saturday 10th October, from 10am-12pm. We warmly invite all current and prospective families to come along, explore our classrooms, take part in some fun activities and enjoy delicious refreshments from our cake sale! We look forward to welcoming you!

## Harvest Festival - Tuesday 13th October 9.15am

Our Year 1s and 2s are really looking forward to sharing songs and learning with families at St George's Church on Tuesday morning. Thank you to all the parents who have volunteered to help on the walk between school and church for the rehearsal on Monday (which Reception classes attend) and on the day of the Harvest. We are collecting donations for Epsom and Ewell Foodbank - please see the list below for items that are needed. Thank you.

## Individual School Photographs - Thursday 15th October

Our school photographer Sue King from Flashlight Photography will be in school on Thursday morning to take individual and siblings photographs. Please remind your children to bring their biggest smile on Thursday!

## Reception Classes 'Share their Learning' - Thursday 15th October 2.15pm

Our Hedgehogs and Squirrels have had an amazing first half term at Barnett Wood and they want to share their successes with their parents and carers. Parents/carers are invited to come and watch the whole year group perform a couple of songs before spending some time in your child's class and taking a look at their fantastic learning. Siblings are welcome, but please leave pushchairs outside. We look forward to seeing you there!

## Year Group Pages

Please click the links below for latest news, updates and reminders from each year group.....



Year R

Hedgehogs and Squirrels



Year 1

Owls and Rabbits



Year 2

Badgers and Foxes

Follow us

Parents and families are warmly invited to

join us for our

# Harvest Festival

## Years 1 and 2

## Tuesday 16th October

## 9.15am

## at St George's Church

This year we will be collecting food donations for Epsom and Ewell Foodbank, who tell us:

"Over 90% of the food distributed by foodbanks in The Trussell Trust network is donated by the public – that's why your donations are absolutely vital to our ability to give everyone referred to us a balanced and nutritious three-day supply of food.
Our shopping list below shows the items that we need right now.
Thank you for your continued support."

Epsom & Ewell Foodbank
Together with Trussell




Please help if you can, we need all items but these are the most urgent - List updated 25th September 2026:

- Tinned Meat
- Custard
- Ketchup
- Brown Sauce
- Mayonnaise
- Jam/Honey/Marmalade
- Peanut Butter
- Chocolate Spread
- Pasta Sauce
- Sweetcorn

- Cooking Sauce
- Tinned Fruit
- Tinned Potatoes
- Tinned Vegetables
- Beans
- Noodles
- Sugar
- Pulses
- Squash
- Tinned Spaghetti

- Tea (bags)
- Instant Coffee
- Sponge Pudding
- Cereal Bars
- Chocolate Biscuit Bars
- Biscuits
- Male / Female Deodorant
- Hair Conditioner
- Children's Toothpaste and Toothbrushes (0-2 ONLY)
- Washing Powder

- Washing Up Liquid
- Adult Toothbrushes
- Shampoo
- Toilet Paper

PLEASE, NO MORE OF THESE ITEMS as we are at capacity:

- Pasta
- Tinned Soup
- Dog Food
- Cat Food

**Collection boxes will be in the playground week beginning 7th October.**

THANK YOU