



Friday 13th September 2019



An exciting world of learning

Welcome back! We have had a very smooth and successful start to the new academic year, children have been well behaved and hard working. Some classes have already been on trips - Year 4 went to "We the Curious" this week to learn more about Science. Children had a great time finding out more in an exciting way - great for learning!

We have also had **Reading cafes** already. This week was for new Reception parents and was a huge success. We will be running reading cafes every week for different year groups and classes - timetable will follow next week.





Uniform

The children are looking very smart! Please remember, hijabs should be plain and shoulder length (not sparkly) and white, black or red in colour. Shoes should be sensible, black school shoes and not trainers.



PE kits should be in school at all times for all children. White tee-shirt with black shorts or leggings are expected along with daps or trainers. PE is an important part of the children's learning, they need to be equipped for this so that no learning is missed.



Our Language of the Term is Kurdish

Children will be learning about the language and learning to say a few words in Kurdish over this term. If you speak Kurdish, we'd love you to come and visit - Please see your child's teacher. If you don't speak Kurdish, ask your child about it! We have planned a celebration of learning about the Kurdish language at the end of this term, children will be sharing what they know in a whole school assembly.

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Parent Forums

As many of you will be aware, parent forums take place in the Family Room at 9:00am on Wednesday's (unless otherwise stated). If you wish to attend, please visit the main office once you have delivered your children to school. Upcoming parent forums:

Wednesday 18th September: Class Parent Meetings

Wednesday 25th September: Home Learning/Homework

Wednesday 2nd October: Curriculum

Wednesday 9th October: Reading

Wednesday 16th October: Pupil well-being

Homework

Homework is available on our website each Friday - thank you for your ongoing support with this. It benefits the children to have their education supplemented and prioritised by parents and carers. The link is:

<http://www.bartonhillbristol.org/832/homework?search=homework>



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