



BRADON FOREST SCHOOL
PARENTS' BULLETIN
FRIDAY 3 JULY 2026



WHAT'S ON

Week 2	World Challenge Trip Y10 Work Experience Week Y9 Paris Trip
Monday 6 July 2026	
Tuesday 7 July 2026	Athelstan Trust Speech & Debate Day
Wednesday 8 July 2026	
Thursday 9 July 2026	Y9 Trip to Oxford
Friday 10 July 2026	House Challenge Day House Belonging Day
Week 1	World Challenge Trip
Monday 13 July 2026	
Tuesday 14 July 2026	Y7/8 PGL Trip
Wednesday 15 July 2026	
Thursday 16 July 2026	Whole School Sports Day (re-arranged) School Leavers Event - 3.30pm
Friday 17 July 2026	School Closes at 12.30pm

SCHOOL NOTICES

SCHOOL UNIFORM

As we approach the end of the exam season and uniform, and equipment are no longer needed, we would be very grateful for any donations of things that you may otherwise throw away or take to the charity shop eg. uniform, PE kit, equipment and revision guides. If you or your child can, please drop these off in Reception. Thank you.

EARRINGS – PE LESSONS

A reminder that the earring policy at school with regards to PE is that earrings must be removed and no tape can be used. If your child is thinking of getting their ears pierced, the summer holiday period is ideal to allow the recommended 6 weeks so they can be safely removed in September. Please could students also remember that school policy is that only one pair of earrings in the lower lobe are allowed.

WILTSHIRE COUNCIL SUMMER COURSES

Family and Community Learning Courses

Discover Opportunities - Develop Skills - Achieve Ambitions



Wellbeing Courses

For bookings scan the QR code or contact: 01225 770478
familyandcommunitylearning@wiltshire.gov.uk
<https://workwiltshire.co.uk/family-and-community-learning/>



Discovering Wellbeing



Monday 3 August
10:30am-1pm
Salisbury - St Paul's Church

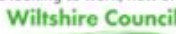
Tuesday 4 August
10:30am-1pm
Devizes
Nursted Community Centre

Thursday 6 August
10:30am-1pm
Trowbridge Museum

Tuesday 25 August
1pm - 3:30pm
Chippenham Museum

Bookings close 7 days before the start of each course

Courses are no cost to learners who meet our eligibility criteria. Learners must be aged 19+ years, have a Wiltshire postcode, and meet residency requirements. Learners must also be able to tick **one** of the following criteria: individual income less than £25,750 a year; in receipt of benefits (other than child benefit); be a care leaver, foster carer or carer; be a military family or ex-armed forces personnel; have refugee or asylum seeker status; have a learning difficulty or disability; be looking to work, now or in the future.

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Free Online Courses



Bookings close 7 days prior to the start of each course.

Supporting My Teen with Anxiety
Tuesday 21 July 10am - 12pm
Monday 17 August 10:30am-12:30pm

Supporting My Teen to Understand their Skills
Tuesday 4 August 10:30am-12:30pm

Supporting My Teen with Wellbeing
Friday 7 August 10:30am-12:30pm



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Online Family Courses

Ideal for parents and carers of primary school-aged children

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Helping My Child Prepare Positively for Change
Friday 17 July - 10am-12pm

Helping My Child Build Concentration and Resilience
Monday 20 July - 4pm-6pm

Helping My Child Build Positive Connections
Time for parents/carers and then children join to learn together

Thursday 23 July 10:30am-12pm	Monday 27 July 10:30am-12pm	Tuesday 11 August 10:30am-12pm
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Helping My Child Develop Listening and Attention Skills
Time for parents/carers and then children join to learn together

Friday 24 July 10:30am-12pm	Thursday 30 July 10:30am-12pm	Thursday 13 August 10:30am-12pm
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Helping My Child with Anxiety and Worry

Tuesday 28 July 10:30am-12:30pm	Friday 14 August 10:30am-12:30pm
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WHOOSH ACTIVITIES - TERM 6 2025/2026

If you are interested in attending an activity, just come along to the room indicated!

Day	Activity	Time/Place	Person to Contact
MONDAY LUNCHTIME	Hub Club (by invitation) – All Years	8.00am/Break/Lunch LS Hub	Ms Paisey
	Language Ambassadors	12.35pm ML2	Mrs Marsh
TUESDAY LUNCHTIME	Hub Club (by invitation) – All Years	8.00am/Break/Lunch LS Hub	Ms Paisey
	Y9 Art Club	12.35pm AR1	Mrs Holmes/Mr Martch-Harry
	Lego Club	12.35pm E1	Ms Main
	Pitch Up & Play	12.35pm Field	PE Team
TUESDAY AFTER SCHOOL	Mangro	3.20pm Sports Hall	Mr Nawaz
	Y10 Art Club (2D and 3D)	3.20pm AR2	Mr Martch-Harry
WEDNESDAY LUNCHTIME	Hub Club (by invitation) – All Years	8.00am/Break/Lunch LS Hub	Ms Paisey
	Anime Club	12.35pm E4	Ms Collins
	DT Club	12.35pm TE5	Mr Sturla
	KS3 Singing Club	12.35pm MU1	Mr Koniarski
	Y7/Y8 Book Club	12.35pm S4	Mrs Harris
	Pitch Up & Play	12.35pm Field	PE Team
WEDNESDAY AFTER SCHOOL	Art Club (Y7 & Y8)	3.20pm AR1	Mrs Holmes
	Mountain Biking (Max 20)	3.20pm Field	Mrs Purcell
THURSDAY LUNCHTIME	Hub Club (by invitation) – All Years	8.00am/Break/Lunch LS Hub	Ms Paisey
	Unique Club – All Years	12.35pm E3	Miss Gibb & Mrs Harris
	Strategy Club	12.35pm M1	Mr Duncan
	All Years Art Club	12.35pm AR1	Mrs Holmes/Mr Martch-Harry
	Pitch Up & Play	12.35pm Field	PE Team
THURSDAY AFTER SCHOOL	Y9/Y10/Y11 Bradon Book Club	3.20pm S4	Mrs Harris
	Summer Sports	3.20pm Field	PE Team
	Warhammer	3.20pm AR2	Mr Martch-Harry
FRIDAY LUNCHTIME	Hub Lunch Club (invitation only)	12.35pm Break/Lunch LS Hub	Ms Paisey
	Y8 Alternative Notation Practice Sessions	12.35pm MU1	Mr Koniarski
	Cricket	12.35pm Field	Mr Bray

Don't forget to log your credits for the Exceptional Scheme!!!!

ELLISONS' LATE BUSES DEPART AT 4.40PM

North Swindon & Cricklade (BLUE)

TADPOLE GARDEN VILLAGE

Greene Street Bus Stop

OAKHURST

Tortworth Road

Hartington Road

REDHOUSE

Abbey Park School

Dowland Close

Fenton Avenue

BLUNSDON ST ANDREW

Blunsdon Arms

Jovial Monk

ABBEYMEADS

Abbeymeads Village Centre

MOREDON

Rother Close

Larchmore Close

Rodbourne Arms

Bourne Road

The Boundary House

HAYDON END

Woodhall Bridge

Clary Road

Orchid Vale School

CRICKLADE

Turning Circle & Bishopsfield

LEIGH

Hillside, Swan Lane

Lydiard Millicent, West Swindon, Sparcells, Ridgeway Farm, Mustang Way & Tawny Owl (RED)

Lydiard Millicent (Church)

Middleleaze (Alba Close)

Ramleaze (Shaw Shops)

Grange Park (Sleaford Close)

Grange Park (Bradenham Road)

Freshbrook (Bloomsbury Close)

Westlea (Ashington Way)

Link Centre (Bus Stop)

Shaw (Old Shaw Lane)

Nine Elms (Standings Close)

Peatmoor (Horseshoe Crescent)

Peatmoor (Linden Way)

Ridgeway Farm (The Buffer)

Sparcells (Gairlock Close)

Mustang Way

Tawny Owl Pub, Taw Hill

KEY STAGE 3 HOMEWORK TIMETABLE: TERM 6

YEAR 7						
w/c 01/06	w/c 08/06	w/c 15/06	w/c 22/06	w/c 29/06	w/c 06/07	w/c 13/07
English Maths Drama MFL Science	Design English History Maths MFL Science	Art English Geography Maths MFL RS Science	English Maths MFL Music PD Science	Design English History Maths MFL Science	Art English Geography Maths MFL RS Science	Optional

YEAR 8						
w/c 01/06	w/c 08/06	w/c 15/06	w/c 22/06	w/c 29/06	w/c 06/07	w/c 13/07
Art English Geography Maths MFL RS Science	English Maths Drama MFL Science	Design English History Maths MFL Science	Art English Geography Maths MFL PD RS Science	English Maths MFL Music Science	Design English History Maths MFL Science	Optional

YEAR 9						
w/c 01/06	w/c 08/06	w/c 15/06	w/c 22/06	w/c 29/06	w/c 06/07	w/c 13/07
Design English History Maths MFL Science	Art English Geography Maths MFL RS Science	English Maths Drama MFL Science	Design English History Maths MFL PD Science	Art English Geography Maths MFL RS Science	English Maths MFL Music Science	Optional