



17th October 2025

Dear Parent/Carer

As you may be aware, Ms Rider is currently not in school. During her absence, IET will continue to provide support as they have done this week. This will involve a number of people, but mainly Mr Woolley (Director of Primary Education at IET). Mr Woolley will be in school most days to support the amazing staff team and ensure the continued smooth running of the school. Mr Woolley will be at the school gate in a morning and afternoon whenever he can, and available to speak to throughout the week. If you wish to meet or speak with him, and do not see him in person at the start or end of the day, please contact the office who will be happy to help. Mr Woolley will also be working closely with Mrs Symington, as Assistant Principal who will be happy to speak with you, when she is not in class. Contact details for the academy can be found on our new website which can be accessed [HERE](#)

We are looking forwards to continuing to work with you all.

Kind Regards

SJ Sprack
CEO
Isle Education Trust



Burton-upon-Stather Primary Academy

NEWSLETTER

Bikeability – Year 5

This week Year 5 have taken part in Bikeability! It has been exciting and we have learnt new skills.

We have learnt how to safely ride on the road. This includes positions on the road, signalling and how to ensure that you are seen. Bright or reflective clothing should be worn along with a cycle helmet. This should be fitted properly.

We started the session by checking our bikes. We had to check the tyres, breaks, gears and chain. We then cycled on the playground. We learnt how to signal and cycle safely before going on the road.

We have found Bikeability great fun and we have learnt a lot.

By Poppy and Rosie





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Celebration



Readers Award

Reception: Ravi

Year 1 - Flynn

Year 2 – Georgie

Year 3 – Alfie

Year 4 – Rex, Lilly

Year 5 – Alice

Year 6 - Alf



Stars of the Week

Reception – Arthur

Year 1 - Myla

Year 2 – Edward

Year 3 – Gracie

Year 4 – Emily

Year 5 – Arabella

Year 6 – Mia

Bronze Award

Year 1 – Mars, Harley

Year 2 - Inger

Year 3 – Rowan, Oscar

Year 4 – Lilly, Oliver

Year 5 – Thea, Toby,

Florence

Year 6 – Ekhira,

Juwairiyah

Silver Award

Year 1 – Rosie

Year 2 - Reeva

Year 3 – Scarlett, Elsie

Year 4 – Gabriel

Gold Award

Year 4 – George, Rowan,

Nate



Good Friend Award

Year 1 - Elijah

Year 2 – Jasper

Year 3 – Brooke

Year 4 – Ava

Year 5 – Poppy

Year 6 - Miles



TT Rockstar Award

Year 3 – Harper-Rose

Year 4 - Benas

Year 5 – Rosie

Year 6 - Danny

Congratulations!



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY & FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Monday 20 th October	Y3 final Forest School
Tuesday 21 st October	Y5 Hands on History Trip
Thursday 23 rd October	Y3 Get Glowing Event
Monday 27 th October – Friday 31 st October	Half Term
Monday 3 rd November	Children Return to School
Monday 3 rd November	Y4 Forest School begins
Thursday 6 th November	Y1 Target Games event – More information to follow
Tuesday 11 th November	Y6 Armistice Day Event – More information to follow
Tuesday 2 nd December	Y4 Trip to Eureka – More information to follow
Thursday 11 th December	Christmas dinner/Christmas jumper day

Arbor

Polite reminder to please download the Arbor app which is now being used for school communications – please email admin@burtonuponstatherprimary-iet.co.uk if you need any help with this. Thank you



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Extra-Curricular Activities

Final week of the below clubs:

Day	Time	Activity	Key Stage
Monday	3.30-4.30	Target Games	Year 1 & 2
Monday	3.35-4.15	Chess Club	Years 3, 4 & 5
Monday	3.35-4.15	SATs Maths Club	Year 6
Tuesday	3.30-4.15	Story Explorers	Reception, Years 1 & 2
Tuesday	3.35-4.30	Cross Country Club	KS2
Tuesday	3.35-4.15	Book Club	KS2
Thursday	3.35-4.15	Art Club	Years 3, 4, 5
Thursday	3.30-4.15	Art Club	Years 1 & 2
Thursday	3.35-4.15	SAT's Reading Club	Year 6

Next terms Extra-Curricular Activities

Available to book via Arbor from Monday at 6pm

Day	Time	Activity	Key Stage
Monday	3.35-4.30	KS2 Dodgeball and Benchball	KS2
Tuesday	3.30-4.30	Football	Rec & KS1
Tuesday	3.35-4.15	Book Club	KS2
Thursday	3.30-4.15	Board Buddies	Rec & KS1
Thursday	3.35-4.15	SATs Club	Year 6

Attendance

Our whole school attendance this week is 94.7%

Well done Year 1 for the highest attendance this week – 95.5%

We are aiming to reach **97%**.

Please ensure that all general doctor and dentist appointments are booked outside the school day unless they are an emergency.