

Friday 18th
September
2026

Balderstone Bulletin

Our Values



NEXT WEEK.....

Mon

Year 1 Forest school

Tues

We have a special visit

Thurs

Year 3 and 4 at Sports event

At Balderstone our vision is for all who come here to be rooted and established in love, so we may grasp how wide and long and high and deep the love of Christ is, and to know this love surpasses knowledge so we can all flourish (Ephesians 3: 17-19). This is where our Love God, Love each other and love learning comes from. As part of this, we have four core values that run through everything we do in school.

CLUBS:

Monday - Tennis and KS1 bike riding at lunch time

Tuesday - Homework club 8:15am. This is an opportunity for children to complete their homework with supervision.

Y5/6 Boys football lunch time

Gardening club after school for Year 3 upwards

Wednesday - Fundamental movement skills KS1 lunch time

Thursday - Little Voices 3:10 - 4:00 - this is a paid club.

Friday - ks2 netball at lunch time

Can you help?

EYFS are looking for.....

Toni box characters

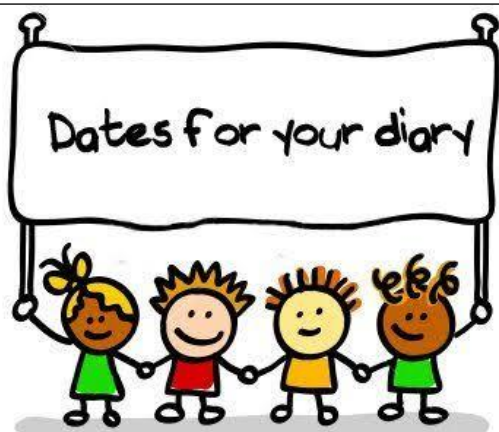
Old rotary telephone

Tall lamp

Umbrellas

Type writer

Mashers



Friday 2nd October - Harvest Celebration worship

Monday 5th - Friday 9th October - Open week

Wednesday 7th October - Open evening until 7:00pm

Monday 19th and Tuesday 20th October - Year 5 Bikeability

Tuesday 20th October - Parents Evening

Thursday 22nd & Friday 23rd October - INSET days

Monday 26th October - Friday 30th October - Half term

Wednesday 2nd December - Coffee Creative

Wednesday 9th December - Nativity 1:30pm and 4:00pm

Enrichment activities:



Year 2 have made a great start to their cookery lessons. They made cheese and leek scones in the shape of a pumpkin. If they taste as good as they look and smell, they will be amazing!



Balderstone Home School Agreement

The school will endeavour to:

- Provide the highest standard of education for your child, within a caring, calm Christian environment
- Keep your child safe
- Encourage your child to flourish and grow as an individual
- Provide extra curricular opportunities for your child to thrive and flourish
- Inform you of your child's progress through Parents' Evenings and reports
- Recognise and reward good behaviour
- Contact you if there is a problem with attendance and punctuality
- Keep you informed about school life through the website, weekly newsletters and Parentmail.
- Deal with any incidents of bullying or unkind behaviour swiftly and according to our behaviour policy
- Set regular homework



As a pupil I will:

- Work hard and achieve my best
- Follow the rules in school
- Show respect to all adults who work in school
- Show respect to children
- Wear the correct uniform
- Look after my belongings and school's resources



EYFS have made some exciting discoveries in the Forest school area. They came to the conclusion that there may have been dinosaurs down there. Watch this space!



As a parent I will:

- Support the school's aims and mission statement
- Ensure my child attends school regularly and on time
- Notify school promptly of any absence
- Avoid holidays during term time
- Encourage my child to behave well in school and support school if there is a problem
- Listen to my child read regularly and support with homework
- Read the weekly newsletter so I am informed of what is going on in school
- Treat all school staff with respect
- Ensure my child wears the correct uniform and has the necessary resources
- Support my child to develop independence

Thank to those of you who have signed the Home school agreements. When we all work together, we achieve the very best for the children in our Balderstone family. Your support is something we value. Please encourage your child to behave well in school, complete homework and show kindness to others. It makes such a difference!