'And now we have these three: faith and hope and love, but the greatest of these is love.'

1 Corinthians 13:13



Faith

Hope

Love

Goodbye and welcome

Mrs Pole, our catering manager, will be retiring after half term. Mrs Pole has been with the school for several years catering for the children and we wish her a happy retirement. Mrs Murdanaigum is the new catering manager and we would like to welcome her to the school.

Outdoor Clothing

Please be reminded that we do go outside every day, including on the school field. Therefore, all children need to be coming into school every day with appropriate clothing and footwear.

Breakfast Club

Our breakfast club opens at 8.00am; the club is now open to nursery children. The club offers healthy breakfast options for £2.00 a day. Please book your child's place via Arbor. Free spaces available for children receiving pupil premium (free school meals).

Lost Property

We already have a huge amount of lost property around school. This can easily be avoided by clearly labelling everything that comes into school. Thank you for your support in this.

Parents Evening

It was lovely to see so many of you this week in school for parents' evening. We had 90% of parents attend meetings with class teachers which shows how committed you are to your child's learning. Thank you for your support this half term, it really does make a huge difference to your child's education.

Wild Worship

After half term we will begin our 'wild worship' sessions in our outdoor forest area. These will take place on Wednesdays and classes will be on a rota. Class teachers will let you know in advance so that your child can bring in their wellies to make the most of this experience. In our wild worship, we are exploring rocks, we talk about how God is our rock and how he will protect us.

Food Bank



The food bank will not be open next Monday 16th October as it is half term.

The food bank runs on a Monday at school from 8.45am - 09.30am. Please remember to be able to have a food parcel you will need to have had a referral. To do this please email admin@belgrave.risemat.co.uk to make an appointment to see Sarah Varia. Please do not come to the school office; Sarah is your first point of contact. We can also offer hygiene packages, fuel support and debt advice. If you feel that you need any confidential support for any of these please ask to speak to Sarah Varia.

Mental Health

We were lucky to have Alice and Shannon talk to us about Mental Health Awareness Week. We have been thinking about how we can look after our own mental health.



Learning we've been buzzing about this week!

Harvest Festival

Well done to our children for putting together a fantastic Harvest Festival. Thank you to Alex from Holy Trinity for speaking to us about giving thanks. Our donations will go to our community foodbank - thank you for giving generously.







Nursery News

Nursery have been learning about harvest time and we used vegetables/fruit to print with and we created lots of lovely pictures.









Reception News

This week in reception we have been reading 'The Little Red Hen' and finding out where bread comes from. We have also been little red hens ourselves, baking our own bread which tasted delicious





Year 2 News

Year 2 have been rehearsing their song for the harvest festival which we were so pleased to share with the whole school in our Harvest Festival collective worship on Thursday. We thank God for all the food that is in our trolley.

Year 3 News

Year 3 have been doing DT, exploring how compressed air works! Today we tried to blow a balloon up in lots of different ways! We have also made a new friend in Year 3: please meet our new friend Isaac NEWTon!









Year 5 News

This week we have been wrapping up our Islamic Art Module with some wonderful architectural drawings of Islamic Architecture and our sketching and block printing of geometric patterns. It was tough and trying but we persevered and made good progress



Year 6 News

In Year 6 we have been planning and making cardboard masks inspired by African cultures.







Term Dates

Autumn Term

Mid Term Break Monday 16th – Friday 20th October 2023 School Closes Friday 22nd December 2023

Spring Term

School Opens Tuesday 9th January 2024 Mid Term Break Monday 19th - Friday 23rd February 2024 School Closes Friday 22nd March 2024

Summer Term

School Opens Monday 8th April 2024 May Day Monday 6th May 2024 Mid Term Break Monday 27th May - Friday 31st May 2024 School Closes Wednesday 10th July 2024

School Attendance

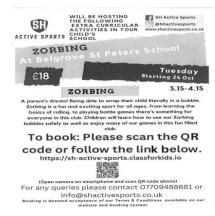
The table shows attendance for week ending 15th September 2023

Class	Attendance (%)
Reception	95.79
1	84.29
2	89.26
3	91.85
4	95
5	95
6	91.95
Total	93.19

Congratulations go to Reception for the highest attendance of 95.79%

After school club

To book the club below, please use the QR code on the leaflet.



Twitter

For lots of information about what is happening, please follow us on twitter @BSTP_Risemat



Dates for your Diary

Friday 13th October – School closes for Half Term Monday 23rd October – Pupils return to school Monday 6th November Flu Immunisation Reception – Year 6 *New Friday 17th November – Children in Need day

Friday 1st December RISE Santa fun run.

Wednesday 6th December – Year 6 Orchard Manor View care home 10.30am

Tuesday 12th December –Peter Pan pantomime, whole school Loughborough.

Friday 22nd December – School closes for Christmas Holiday.

Tuesday 9th January – Pupils return to school.



Community

Belgrave St Peter's Church

This Sunday (15th October) from 3:30-5, Belgrave St Peter's Church will be meeting for Messy Church at the school. There will be craft, games fun and food (pizza and salad!) This week, we will be continuing to look at the theme "We are Church" by thinking about some of the miracles which show God's power. We would love you to come and join the fun! Contact Anne Scott (annescott@htl.church) for more details.

