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Dear Parents/Carers,

I hope that these dates prove useful to you. Hopefully this list of dates will give you and your family a good indication of what is to come during this coming autumn term.

Events may be added and a communication will be sent out IF this relates to your child.

Further details of each event will be outlined in letters home, texts/emails, our newsletter or via our school website. Friends of Great Binfields will be holding an AGM in September (see below). We would love to see you there as we appoint new roles and committee members for the forthcoming year. Should you have any queries please do not hesitate to contact the school office for further clarification.

AUTUMN TERM

Date	Event
3 rd September	INSET DAY – School is closed. Whole School Hampshire Safeguarding Training
4 th September	School starts back for year 1 -6.
4 th – 15 th September	New EYFS Cohort Home Visits AM only
4 th – 15 th September	New EYFS Transition visits – see separate letter for details PMs.
8 th September	LKS2 (Yr3 and 4) Expectation Evening . 1 Parent per child. Parents only. 6pm start.
9 th September	KS1 (Yr1 and 2) Expectations Evening. 1 Parent per child. Parents only. 6pm start
10 th September	UKS2 (Year 5 and 6) Expectation Evening. 1 Parent per child. Parents only. 6pm start
15 th September	Show Racism the red card for yrs 4, 5 and 6
16 th September	9.30- 14.45pm New EYFS Transition visit for all children
17 th September	EYFS Autumn intake starts full time
18 th September	EYFS Spring intake starts full time
19 th September	EYFS Summer intake starts full time
26 th September	Whole school Christmas card making so they can be professionally printed ready for Christmas by cauliflower Cards
25 th September	Frazer Photography Individual photographs – communication to follow. No PE kits to be worn today
29 th September	EYFS phonics parent meeting – 6pm start.
29 th September	Parents Evening goes live today @ 7pm.
30 th September	Friends group AGM
2 nd October	Autumn Census - Special lunch day- communication to follow
2 nd October	Costello Open Evening for Prospective Parents and Children – further details to

	follow
6 th October	Harvest Festival – Donations for Food Bank. TBC
7 th October	Yr 3 Stone Age day. Letter to follow
8 th October	Happy Bags. Information to follow
10 th October	Cauliflower Card orders return to school
14 th & 16 th October	Parents evenings – 3:30 – 6:30
16 th October	Yr 2 – Great Fire of London Day
17 th October	Yr6 – Greek day
20 th October	Jigsaw Day 1: Being me in my world
20 th October	Wear Red Against Racism – Just today.
21 st October	EYFS Scooter Training – please bring in your child’s scooter and helmet (both named please) – communication to follow
22 nd October	9.00EYFS Open morning event for Sept 2026 start – ring school to book appointment
23 rd October	Halloween Disco – Silent Disco for years 1-6.
24 th October	House Point Reward time.
24 th October	Break up for half-term – normal end of school times
Half-Term Holiday 27th October – 31st October	
3 rd November	Start back after half-term break
6 th November	9.00 EYFS Open morning event for Sept 2026 start – ring school to book appointment
7 th November	9.00 EYFS Open morning event for Sept 2026 start – ring school to book appointment
10 th – 14 th November	Anti-bullying week – ‘Power for Good’
10 th – 14 th November	Wear odd socks for Anti-bullying week
11 th November	School Remembrance Day service. In school event
11 th – 14 th November	Yr 6 to Avon Tyrell residential
12 th November	Yr 3 Iron Age Day
17 th November	Jigsaw Day 2: Celebrating Difference – PSHE linked
18 th November	9.00 EYFS Open morning event for Sept 2026 start – ring school to book appointment
19 th November	Flu vaccination day for all children
24 th – 28 th November	Democracy/Parliament week to include School Council elections
26 th November	Y6 Chair/Vice-Chair (School Council) speeches to rest of school
26 th November	9.00 EYFS Open morning event for Sept 2026 start – ring school to book appointment
28 th November	INSET DAY
1 st December	Christmas Jumper day (non-school uniform). Donations for Food Bank Hampers.
2 nd and 3 rd December (Morning)	EYFS Christmas Nativity and Concert – letter to follow
9 th & 10 th December	Yr2 Christmas Production – Separate letter to follow. Morning event.
12 th December	9.00 EYFS Open morning event for Sept 2026 start – ring school to book appointment
12 th December	House point reward time.
15 th December	Whole School ‘True Meaning Behind Christmas and traditions’ RE Day
17 th December	Christmas Jumper Day
17 th December	Christmas Dinner Day
18 th December	Whole School Panto – Alice in Wonderland by Treehouse Theatre in school am
18 th December	Winter themed picnic lunch in class
18 th December	House Point Reward time.
19 th December	Carols in the courtyard @ 1:15pm
5 th January 2026	Spring 1 term starts for all children
5 th January 2026	Year 4 Swimming start today. Don’t forget your swimming kit!
7 th January 2026	9.00 EYFS Open morning event for Sept 2026 start – ring school to book appointment

Yours sincerely,

Miss N Lyddon
Headteacher