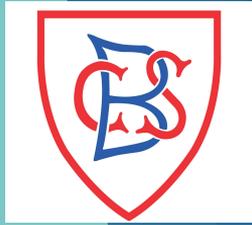


Welcome to Year 6



Meet the Teacher

September 2024

Year 6 Staff



Mrs Storey (6S)

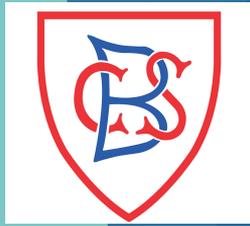
Mrs Mosley (6M)

Miss Jenkinson (6J)

Mrs Thompson (6S and 6M)

Ms Asgari in the mornings.

Specialist Teaching



Miss Jenkinson - 6J (+ Geography /History)

Mrs Storey- 6S (+ Science)

Mrs Mosley- 6M (+ French)

Mrs Thompson- elements of English

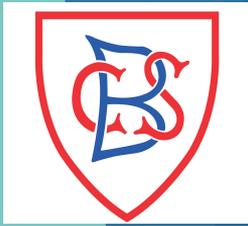
PPA specialist teaching

Mrs Moss - Latin - Autumn Term

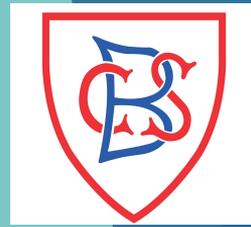
Trafford Music Service - Saxophones - Spring Term

Mrs Murray - DT - Summer Term

A Typical Day in Year 6



8.25	-	8.40	Morning work & Registration
8.40	-	9.40	Lesson 1 e.g. WCGR
9.40	-	10.40	Lesson 2 e.g. Maths
10.40	-	11.00	Playtime (on MUGAS/playground)
11.00	-	12.05	Lesson 3 e.g. Writing
12.05	-	1.05	Lunchtime (lunches on rotation)
1.05	-	2.05	Lesson 4 e.g. RE
2.05	-	3.05	Lesson 5 e.g. Science



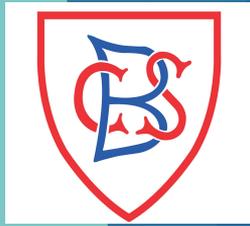
Year 6 Expectations

Our golden values are:

Ready Respectful Kind Safe

Our class charter was agreed last week and is displayed prominently

Year 6 General Information



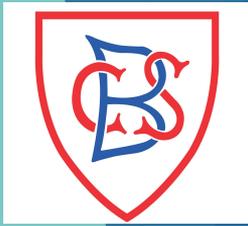
Some of the homework will be posted on Google Classroom and this is how we will communicate any updates.

Your children will have logins for several applications; please help them to keep track!

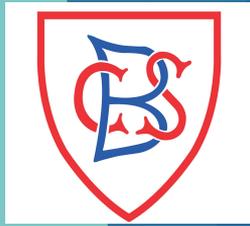
Homework

(Wednesday-Wednesday)

- Maths (mymaths.co.uk)
- English (spag.com)
- IDL and Nesy (for some)
- Reading - comprehension text
- Reading - Book club pages
- Topic - Autumn - History Project
 - Spring - Science

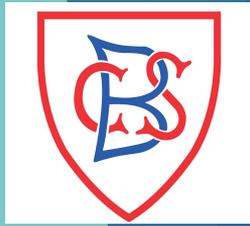


Attendance



- Clear link between attendance, attainment and wellbeing
- Government guidance has now become much more strict regarding attendance
- Our goal is 97% attendance
- No holidays in term time will be authorised
- Punctuality: we register the children at 8.40am
- Worship sessions are now in the afternoons to maximise fresh brains in the morning!

Behaviour & Relationships



- Our policy was reviewed and shared last year and is on the website - please read it!
- Christian and Golden values are the bedrock of our BCS school life.
- We want all our pupils to enjoy 'life in abundance'.

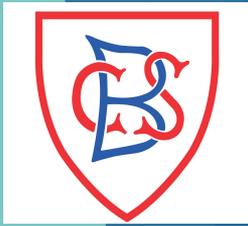
Behaviour & Relationships



- Please support us in encouraging good behaviour and using appropriate strategies to address unexpected behaviour.
- Our goal: the children to develop emotional literacy and to recognise the impact their behaviour has on others.
- We explicitly teach the children to recognise unexpected behaviours in relationships and have the confidence and self-esteem to value themselves and manage the situation, or seek appropriate help from a trusted adult.

Being Healthy

- No edible birthday treats please, but books or stationery would be LOVELY!
- KS2 nutritious energy sources - not high sugar/salt etc. piece of fruit or veg
- Absolutely no nuts due to allergies
- Sleep!



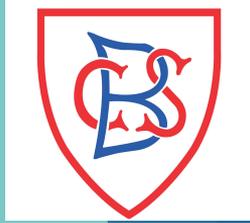

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Rating Scheme

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2022 ~ 2023

E-safety - children



- A new AUP has been sent to your email, please read and sign!
- Our children are digital natives but technical wizardry does not equate to maturity and wisdom...
- Ensure parental controls and locks are in place
- Regularly check their devices for browsing history, contacts, messages, photos etc.
- [Library | The National College](#)

Online Safety

Online safety is a **massive** issue in Y6.

We know that a lot of children have access to personal phones and ipads- it's SO important that you know what they're doing on them.

Last year we had instances of:

- Children accessing inappropriate videos and clips online
- Children engaging in live-chat and being sent inappropriate pictures
- Children sending each other unkind comments on whatsapp/ snapchat and then deleting so other people can't see
- Phone calls when in groups to one individual saying unkind things
- Rumours being spread/ stirring the pot...

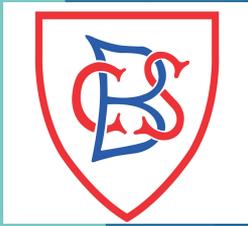
In the next week a new Acceptable Use Policy and permissions form will be sent out, all parents must complete.

Are parental controls up to date on children's and young people's devices at home (iPad, phones, laptops)? Contact your internet provider if unsure.

National Online Safety have great one pagers of advice for parents and children.

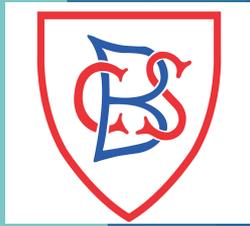
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E-safety - adults



- Please do not post photos of children other than your own online
- Please do not discuss children other than your own online
- If there's an issue, speak to us!

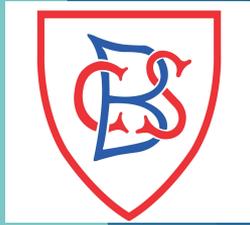
Working Together



Tell us....

- if there are changes at home
- if your child is anxious
- if we can support you and/or your child in any way

Volunteering in School



You are very welcome!

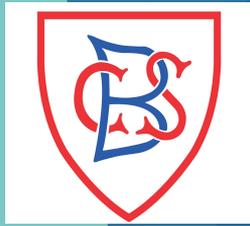
We always need help with
Reading, DT, Art etc.

Please email:

office@bowdoncs.org

Any volunteers need to complete a DBS and
application with references for safeguarding purposes

Housekeeping



- PE - Monday & Tuesday
- Water bottle every day
- **ALL** belongings must be named
- Stationery is supplied
- Walking home passes Yrs 5/6
- After School Clubs change termly
- Communication - please contact via our year 6 email address from Monday 16th September Y6@bowdoncs.org

Important Dates



Autumn: Parent Meetings weeks 14th & 21st Oct
Young Shakespeare Company 1st October
Don't forget to submit secondary school choices -
end of October

Spring: Stockport Air Raid Shelters 15th January
SATS
Parent Meetings

Summer: Residential to Conway Centre (30th June - 2nd July)
Sports Day
End of Year Performance/Leavers' Assembly
Transition meetings and visits

Key dates



<https://www.bowdoncs.org.uk/diary/grid/2024/09/>

School Blessing Service - Sunday 29th Sept 10 am - all welcome

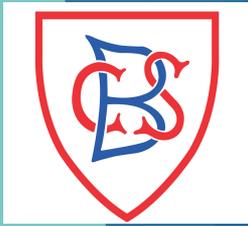
Wed 9th Oct KS2 Harvest Festival 9:30am

Fri 11th Oct - Flu vaccinations

Th Nov 28th - Individual Photos

Fri Nov 29th - Siblings Photos

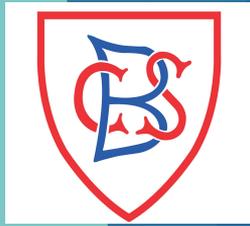
Anna James visit next week



Pages & Co



SATS (12-15th May 2025)



Monday

- 50 mark P&G test (45 mins) followed by 20 word spelling test

Tuesday

- 50 mark reading test (1 hr)

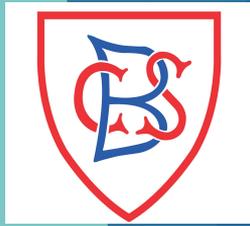
Wednesday

- 40 mark Arithmetic test & 1 x 35 mark Maths Reasoning tests

Thursday

- 1 x 35 mark Maths Reasoning tests
- The children are very well-prepared and take it in their stride.

Year group-specific messages



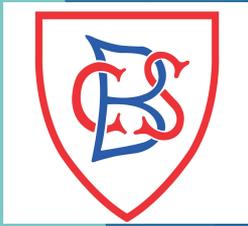
Vaping

No phones

E-safety

No smart watches / fitbits

Appropriate PE kit - no jewellery,
shorts under skirts



Questions?