

# Bishop Road Primary School

Bishop Road, Bristol BS7 8LS



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Head Teacher Letter No.5/20-21

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been lovely to start the summer terms with such sunny weather. We are planning to use the outside spaces as much as possible in the next weeks. It is always encouraging to see the outdoor learning groups enjoying the field for example and there will be sports opportunities there across the summer.

Although we are all yearning for a return to full activity this is not yet possible. Nonetheless we are planning to follow on from the Christmas celebration success. Each year group will be planning a four class 'Summer Special' production. The majority of classes will be recorded at the Dirac Suite with distanced singing, poetry and movement being part of the programme.

Reception will use the front playground.

All the shows will be released together in the penultimate week of term 6. It's an exciting idea and we are hoping you will be helping with costumes and words practice as usual! Appreciation of the Christmas one is still in evidence, so thank you very much for your support & encouragement.

Looking a little further into the future we are planning to reinstate last year's whole school curriculum project which was put on hold. I have an inkling that you will be very interested in this particular one. I am sorry that it is only a teaser at this stage but it will involve the environment. Further news in due course! We are working also to seek out for extracurricular opportunities such as music and art for children whenever it is possible.

I would like to extend my thanks to the PTFA, who during lockdown raised some £16,000. This is an exceptional achievement and greatly appreciated.

The total raised by the children for comic relief was £550.55. Thank you to everyone who donated; we have already forwarded a cheque.



## Date Reminders for this Year

Friday 28<sup>th</sup> May Term 5 ends

Monday 7<sup>th</sup> June Term 6 begins (INSET Day – School closed to pupils)

Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> July Term 6 ends

All INSET Days are now set for the academic year 2021–2022

Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> Sept 2021

Friday 10<sup>th</sup> Sept 2021

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> November 2021

Monday 28<sup>th</sup> February 2022

Monday 6<sup>th</sup> June 2022

Thank you all for your positivity and adaptability. We are hoping this term will be a happy one due to a little more freedom for everyone!

Yours sincerely,



Gillian Powe  
Head Teacher

