



Diary Dates

10th Nov PINS - SEND Parents/Carers Coffee Session
11th Remembrance Day Service
12th Nov A day of SEND (Family Support Fayre)
14TH Nov Children In Need
20th Nov PTA Event Movie Night
28th Nov Non School Uniform Day
4th December MHST Support & Learning Mentor Drop in session coffee & mince pies 9:30am
6th Dec PTA Event Wreath Making
9th Dec KS1 Nativity 2:15pm
10th Y1 & 2 Pantomime at the Playhouse
11th KS1 Nativity 9.15am
12th Dec Christmas Showcase KS2 at St. Andrews
12th Dec Christmas Fair
16th Christmas Jumper Day & Christmas Dinner
17th Dec PTA Event Christmas Doughnut Sale
17th December Class Christmas Parties

Thanks to You – Sensory Equipment in Every Classroom!

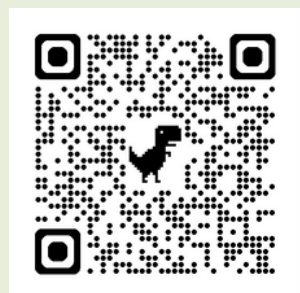
We're excited to announce that, thanks to funds raised last year, along with a generous £80 donation from Galliford Try, we've been able to purchase new sensory equipment for every classroom. These fantastic resources are helping create more inclusive, calming, and engaging learning environments for all our children.

🙏 We truly couldn't do it without you. Every event, every donation, and every moment of your time makes a real difference.

Thank you for your continued support,
— Friends of Banwell School PTA

Foxgloves Padlet Homework

This week's QR code from Mr Farmer for Foxgloves' Padlet homework. ✨
Happy learning, Foxgloves! ✨





☀️ Last Term's Highlights

Thanks to your amazing support, we've raised an impressive total of £755.67 this term! Here's what we've been up to:

Family Bingo Night

A wonderful evening full of laughter, friendly competition, and connection. It was fantastic to see so many families and friends come together — and we're thrilled to share that the event raised £215.57 for the school!

Harvest Bake Sale

Our first bake sale of the year was a huge hit! Thanks to your delicious contributions and generous purchases, we raised £119.93.

After-School Tuck Shop

The children absolutely loved this treat-filled event, and with your support, we raised £40.50.

Disco & Non-Uniform Day

To round off the term, we hosted a Disco and Non-Uniform Day! The children thoroughly enjoyed showing off their dance moves and celebrating the end of term with friends. We raised £297.77, with an additional £81.87 made from the raffle!

Christmas Wreath Workshop - Only a few places remaining

Enjoy a festive morning or afternoon of creativity, mulled wine, hot chocolate, mince pies and Christmas treats — all in a cosy Banwell kitchen!

Come along with friends and make your own beautiful Christmas wreath using a willow and moss base, locally grown foliage, dried fruit, flowers, and all the traditional festive decorations.



Saturday 6th December

🕒 Morning Session: 10.30am – 12.30pm

🕒 Afternoon Session: 2.30pm – 4.30pm



£30 per person

To book, please use the Google Form linked below.

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSfRy98lBiy09XPi_Ui7oH87FH1bEh7oujo2e6GF_sXzAv_l6Q/viewform





Support Us While You Shop – At No Extra Cost!

We're excited to announce we've joined Easyfundraising – a free and simple way to support Friends of Banwell PTA whenever you shop online.

With over 8,000 participating retailers (including Tesco, eBay, John Lewis, M&S, Argos and many more), you can raise free donations for our school just by shopping as usual.

Here's how to get started:

Sign up via the link on the attached poster

Or download the Easyfundraising app from your app store

Choose Friends of Banwell PTA as your cause

Shop as normal – and raise money with every order!

Every penny helps fund amazing resources and experiences for our children.

Thank you again for your incredible support!

Raise funds for us for FREE

with easyfundraising

Join as our supporter today at:
www.easyfundraising.org.uk/support-a-good-cause

Just search for:

Friends Of Banwell School

8,000+ retailers will donate to us whenever you shop with them

Start at the easyfundraising website or app

Click out to where you'd like to shop

Checkout: prices are exactly the same!

The retailer sends a % of your spend to easyfundraising

They pass it on to us :)

Plus, you'll get...

Exclusive retailer offers

Competitions

A warm feeling inside!

Over **£60m** raised for UK good causes

£0 extra cost to anyone

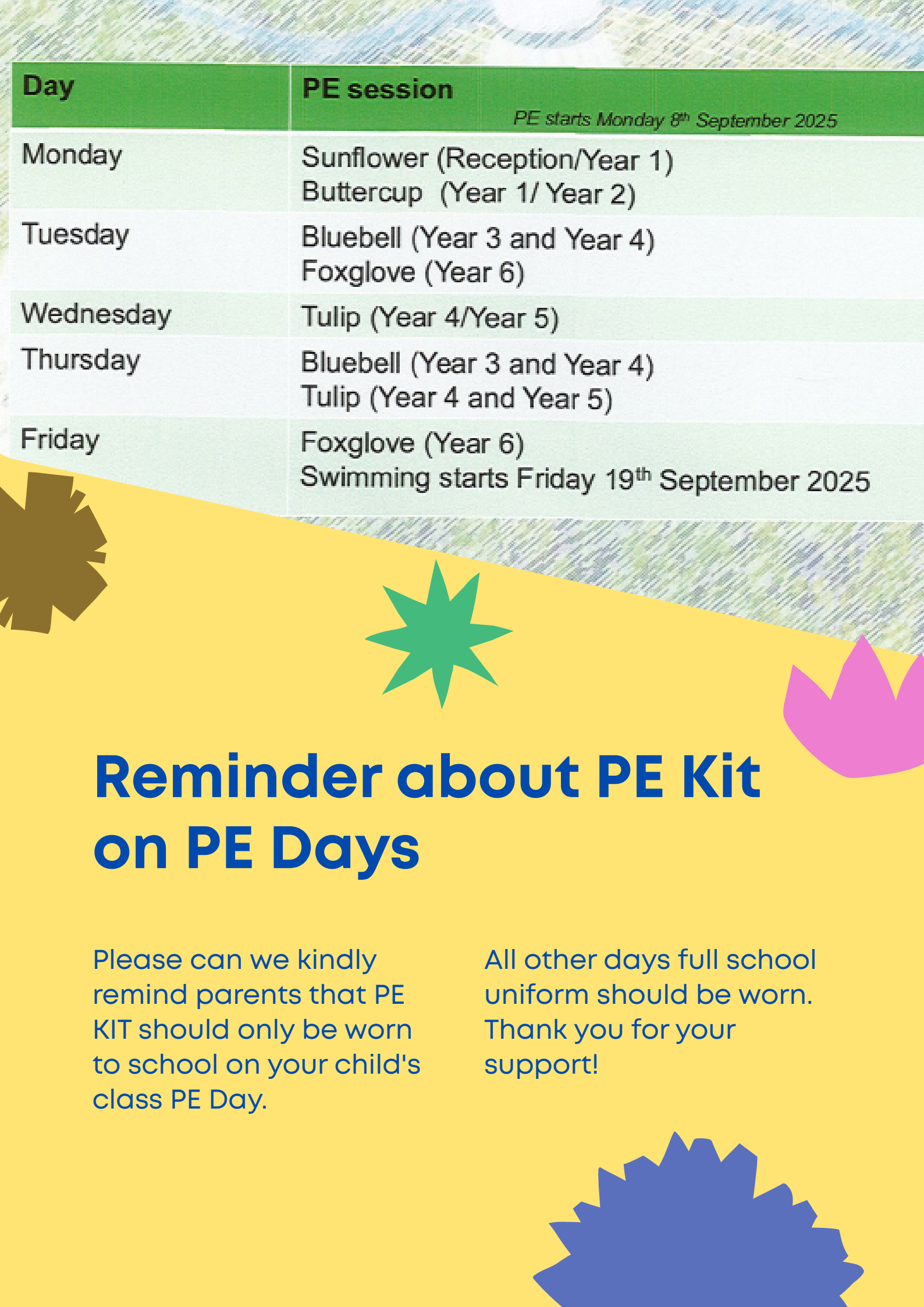
STARS OF THE WEEK

Celebrating Outstanding Achievements

This week, we proudly recognize our **amazing achievers** who have gone above and beyond.



Keep shining bright, and let your accomplishments **motivate others!**



Day	PE session	<i>PE starts Monday 8th September 2025</i>	
Monday	Sunflower (Reception/Year 1) Buttercup (Year 1/ Year 2)		
Tuesday	Bluebell (Year 3 and Year 4) Foxglove (Year 6)		
Wednesday	Tulip (Year 4/Year 5)		
Thursday	Bluebell (Year 3 and Year 4) Tulip (Year 4 and Year 5)		
Friday	Foxglove (Year 6) Swimming starts Friday 19 th September 2025		

Reminder about PE Kit on PE Days

Please can we kindly remind parents that PE KIT should only be worn to school on your child's class PE Day.

All other days full school uniform should be worn.
Thank you for your support!

The Family Support Fayre



Wednesday 12th
November



9am - 5pm



Winter Gardens,
Royal Parade, WSM,
BS23 1AJ

For families of children aged **0-25** with additional needs and/or disabilities

Chat with over
70 professionals
from across
North Somerset

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SUPPORT

No
diagnosis
necessary!

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Connect with local leaders -
Ask what matters to you!



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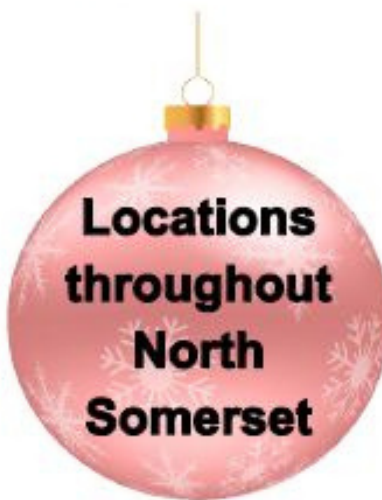
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FREE event for parent carers and
professionals in North Somerset!



Children who receive
Benefits Related Free
School meals are entitled
to free HAF
Christmas/Winter activity
days.

Live Booking from 7th November 2025



QR code to our
booking platform

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**Holiday
Activities
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