

Dates for the Diary

Year 8 AP Assessments

Monday 9th May - Friday 13th May 2022

Year 9 Vaccinations

Wednesday 11th May 2022 (Pre-booked)

National Vegetarian Week

Monday 16th - Sunday 22nd May 2022

Jubilee Celebration Event

Thursday 26th May

Half Term

Monday 30th May - Friday 3rd June 2022

Virtual Parent Consultation Evening: Years 7, 8 & 9

Wednesday 8th June & Wednesday 15th June



Home Learning

If you have any queries regarding home learning, including access issues or, to celebrate the work your child has completed at home, please email:

remotelearning@basildonacademies.org.uk

Student Water Bottles

Please encourage your child to bring their water bottle to school and should replacements be required, these can be purchased through your ParentPay account for just £1.



Free Online Counselling Service

www.kooth.com is a free, confidential, safe and anonymous way for young people, aged 11-26, to ask for help from a team of highly qualified and experienced counsellors and support workers.

Kooth is a well-established, award winning online counselling agency and is accredited by The British Association of Psychotherapy and Counselling (BACP).



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Safeguarding

Safeguarding our students is at the forefront of everything we do. Parents and carers can access information via the following link www.escb.co.uk which offers guidance and signposts to resources on various safeguarding issues. Please contact our safeguarding officers if you have any concerns about your own child or another student at the Academies.

www.basildonacademies.org.uk/safeguarding

Absence Procedures

To report a student absence please email:
attendance@basildonacademies.org.uk

- Parents/carers should contact the school by 8.30am each day their child is absent.
- If no reason has been received for a child's absence, the Academy will initiate first day calling.
- Parents/carers must provide medical evidence to support all absences due to illness or medical appointments.
- Wherever possible parents/carers should make appointments outside of school hours but if this is unavoidable students should attend school before and after the appointment.
- If no appropriate medical evidence is provided then the Academies cannot authorise an absence. (ie. medical appointment card, prescription, doctor's letter.)

School nurse drop-in

If students are worried about their health, would like a confidential chat or would just like to find out more about how our school nurse can help them, the nurse can be found:

Every Thursday Breaktime

Location: The Lower Academy Wellbeing Centre



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Students agreed that they enjoy a range of their rights at school, "We are allowed to express ourselves," "We have access to information," "There is nondiscrimination," "We have time for arts, culture and play," "We have a no bullying policy and there is a safeguarding team who can help."

Unicef RRSA Accreditation Report Silver: Rights Aware - July 2021



ParentPay
COUNT ON US

Please ensure you have activated your child's ParentPay account by May Half-Term to enable continued access to the Dining Hall.



Lower Academy after school sports clubs

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday
Archery (Sign up required) Shot Putt Javelin Discus Hammer Long Jump Triple Jump	Hurdles Track Events	High Jump

All clubs run from 3.30pm - 4.15pm, except Archery which runs from 3.30pm - 4.30pm

All clubs are available to students from each year group.

District Football Success

Congratulations to our Year 8 Boy's Football Team who have won the District Plate Final by beating James Hornsby 6-0.

The team performed exceptionally well with goals from Iulius.L (2), Jack.J (1) and a superb hat-trick and man of the match performance from Riley.M.



Students of the Week – Year 7

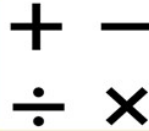


Chef

Mathematician of the Week	Gracie M
English Scholar of the Week	Isabelle P & JJ
Super Scientist of the Week	Reace G
Historian of the Week	Luke R
Geography Genius of the Week	Arianna G
RE expert of the Week	Ruby C
Chef of the Week	Sean R
French Linguist of the Week	May G & Malachie D
Artist of the Week	John G
Engineer of the Week	Emily H



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Scientist



Students of the Week – Year 8

English Scholar of the Week	Eduard S
Scientist of the Week	Reggie D, Hayden R & Taylor C
Sporting legend of the Week	Riley M
Historian of the Week	Lavinia G
Geography Genius of the Week	Kaiya T
RE expert of the Week	Kieron H
Chef of the Week	Sonny W
French Linguist of the Week	Ryan A & Phoebe O
Artist of the Week	Issabelle D
Performer of the Week	Megan L
Computer Scientist of the Week	Dean F
Engineer of the Week	Chris T



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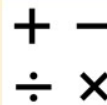


Students of the Week – Year 9

Mathematician of the Week	Leyton S
English Scholar of the Week	Grace M
Scientist of the Week	Caden L
Sporting legend of the Week	Year 9 boys Football team
Historian of the Week	Tomas M
Geography Genius of the Week	Preston D
RE expert of the Week	Casey T
Chef of the Week	Holly R
French Linguist of the Week	Alfie S
Artist of the Week	Kyra D
Performer of the Week	Natasa P



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To celebrate the Queen's 70 years of service we are holding a Platinum Jubilee Celebration during the last week of term.



2 rehearsals & then a performance. Not many at all!
3 songs only.
All students will receive a certificate and badge.
... And get the afternoon off lessons on performance day!



If you love to **sing** and would like to contribute to this historical day, then join our singing group!
There will be two rehearsals:

Thursday 12th May 3.30-4pm Music room
Thursday 19th May 3.30-4pm Music room



Humanities Photography Competition!

The theme is...

CLIMATE CHANGE IS REAL



Take a picture in line with the theme and send it to Miss Barnard at bbarnard@basildonacademies.org.uk or bring a copy of your photo to B4.

Closing date 26th May 2022!

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Lunch Menu - Week Commencing 9th May



LUNCH MENU WEEK 1

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main Meal Option 1	Meat Free Monday Quorn Sausage Toad in the Hole	Mexican Tuesday Mexican Chicken Bun	American Wednesday BBQ Chicken	Spanish Thursday Chicken Paella	Fish Friday Fish Finger Sub with Lettuce & Mayo
Main Meal Option 2	Vegetable Pasta Bake	Meatballs	Sweet Chilli Dogs	Cajun Chicken Wrap	BBQ Chicken Wings
Vegetarian Meal Option 1	Veggie Wrap	Quorn Meatballs	BBQ Quorn Chicken	Cajun Vegetable Wrap	Savoury Rice Pot
Vegetarian Meal Option 2	Creamy Leek & Potato Pie	Spicy Bean Burger	Sweet Chilli Quorn Dog	Vegetable Paella	Vegetable Finger Sub with Lettuce & Mayo
On the Side	Garlic Bread Freshly Prepared Coleslaw Mash Peas	Mexican Potatoes Mexican Style Corn Salad Pasta	BBQ Baked Beans Cajun Wedges Freshly Prepared Coleslaw	Spanish Pasta Salad	Skin-on Wedges Sweetcorn
Pasta King Pot	Chinese Vegetable Curry Veggie Bolognese	Amigo Meatballs Arrabiata	Sweet Chilli Chicken Italian Mushroom	Spicy Sausage Zingy Peppers	Texan BBQ Meatballs Tomato & Mascarpone
Oven Baked Jacket Potato	Toppings Baked Beans Cheese	Toppings Chilli Baked Beans Cheese	Toppings Tuna Mayonnaise Baked Beans Cheese	Toppings Spicy Baked Beans Cheese	Toppings Baked Beans Cheese
Dessert	Summer Fruit Cheesecake	Mexican Chocolate Pudding & Vanilla Ice Cream	Key Lime Pie	Churro's Lemon Olive Cake	Carrot Square Cakes



National Doughnut Week

Monday 9th – Friday 13th May

To celebrate National Doughnut Week the Dining Hall will be serving a selection of Chocolate Ring, Caramel Lace & Chocolate Icing Doughnuts.

All Doughnuts are 50p each and will be available throughout the week at break & lunchtime.

Week commencing 16th May



Vegetarian
SOCIETY

National Vegetarian Week

16–22 May 2022

**To celebrate Vegetarian Week, all
vegetarian main meals will be £1**

