



Bramford CEVC Primary School



Living in **Unity**...Together we are **ACE**

*Aspiration and Combined Excellence for
Everyone*



Bulletin Number 1:
Friday 11th September

Welcome to the first edition of the Bramford Bulletin for this academic year!

We hope you have all had a enjoyable and at times relaxing summer break. It has been lovely to welcome everyone back to school, and we are delighted to have completed our first full week together. The children have settled back into school life brilliantly, and we have been so pleased to see them embracing the new school year with enthusiasm.

Across the school, our classrooms have been busy but calm places to learn this week, with children quickly getting back into routines, reconnecting with their friends and teachers, and making a positive start to their learning.

A very warm welcome to our new EYFS children and their families, as well as the new pupils who have joined us across other year groups. We are delighted to have you as part of our school community and look forward to getting to know all of our new families throughout the year.

You should now have received your child's class newsletter, which provides an overview of their learning and what to expect this term. Next week, we look forward to welcoming parents and carers to our 'Meet the Teacher' class information meetings. These sessions will provide further information about the curriculum, classroom routines, expectations and important dates for the term. They are also a great opportunity to find out more about how you can support your child's learning at home. We look forward to seeing you all there!

We are excited for all that the new academic year will bring!



ACE All the Way - Celebrating Achievement

At Bramford Primary School, we love celebrating the many ways our children achieve, both in school and beyond the school gates! A huge thank you to all the parents and carers who have already shared photographs and stories of their children's out-of-school achievements. It is fantastic to hear about the skills, hobbies, interests and challenges that our children are taking on in their lives outside of school.

We will continue to celebrate these achievements in our assemblies and on our ACE Achievement Board, which will be refreshed over the next couple of weeks. We hope the board will inspire other children to try something new, discover a new passion or persevere with a skill they are already developing.

So, if your child has an achievement they would like to share, please send a photograph and a short blurb to the school office. Whether they have mastered a new skill, achieved a personal goal, taken part in a competition, performed on stage, achieved something in sport or simply persevered with something that has been challenging — we want to hear about it!

There is always room on our display board for more ACE achievements, so let's fill it with the wonderful things our children are achieving both in school and beyond!

Collective Worship Themes for this first half of the A Term is:



ACE value: Unity

Christian value:
Respect and Community

We hope your family will find the attached HOME SCHOOL VALUES ideas document helpful as you explore the value and have fun together at home too.

Look out for a parent email inviting you to this month's prayer group on Tuesday 29th September.





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Remember...

When children **attend** school they:

- 1 Can achieve their potential
- 2 Have better career prospects
- 3 Learning is built upon everyday and links can be made between subjects
- 4 Grow in confidence
- 5 Develops independence
- 6 Make new friends

Every day at school is a step towards a **brighter future!**

THE BENEFITS OF ATTENDING SCHOOL EVERY DAY

Keeps learning on track Attending school every day helps pupils keep up with lessons as they are taught, making it easier to understand and build on previous learning.	Prevents gaps in knowledge Regular attendance reduces the likelihood of missing important teaching, helping pupils develop a secure understanding across all subjects.	Avoids the need to catch up Pupils who attend consistently do not need to spend extra time catching up on missed work, reducing stress and helping them stay confident in their learning.	Supports social and emotional development Daily attendance allows pupils to build friendships, develop communication skills, and take part in the wider life of the school.	Improves future outcomes Good attendance establishes positive routines, supports academic achievement, and gives pupils the best opportunity to reach their full potential.
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ATTEND TODAY, ACHIEVE TOMORROW!

Every day counts. Every lesson matters. Every child matters.



This week, congratulations go to Badgers for achieving the highest attendance of the first week of the year!

ATTENDANCE MATTERS

Every day counts. Every lesson matters. Every child matters.

We would love all of our pupils to achieve **ACE** attendance this year of **95%** or above.

This means no more than 10 days of absence across the school year, giving children the best possible chance to thrive in their learning.

This is our aim in the **academic year 2026-2027.**

TOGETHER WE CAN ACHIEVE ACE!

We need your support with this!

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FRIENDLY REMINDER

DOGS ARE NOT PERMITTED ON SCHOOL GROUNDS

Thank you for helping us keep our school a safe, happy place for everyone.

Being in school regularly gives children the best opportunity to learn, build friendships, develop confidence and feel part of our school community. Each day brings new learning, new experiences and opportunities to make progress – missing even a few days can mean missing out on important parts of that learning.

We understand that children can become unwell and that families sometimes face circumstances that make attendance difficult. If there are circumstances affecting your child's attendance, please let us know.



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Sharing Assemblies

Our first class assembly of the academic year will be on Friday 18th September with Tortoises sharing their class learning so far. Parents are welcome to join us in the Hall for a 9:00 am start. Please join us!



Congratulations to all our amazing
ACE award winners.

ACE	11 th September
Foxes	
Woodpeckers	
Hedgehogs	Joey
Hares	Cruz
Badgers	Rupert
Frogs	Eric
Magpies	Reggie
Tortoises	Aziah
Owls	Mason

HOUSE POINTS

Awards

Parks 149	Attenborough 193	Nightingale 210	Hawking 234
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Diary Dates

Monday 14 th September	Hedgehogs (Yr1/2) and Hares (Yr1/2) 'Meet the Teachers' - Class Information meeting @ 3:15pm
Tuesday 15 th July	Yr1 –Yr 6 PSHE SCARF workshops – letter to follow for more details
Tuesday 15 ^h July	Foxes (EYFS / Yr1) and Woodpeckers (EYFS / Yr1) 'Meet the Teachers' - Class Information meeting @ 3:15pm
Wednesday 16 th July	Yr1 –Yr 6 PSHE SCARF workshops – letter to follow for more details
Wednesday 16 th July	Badgers (Yr1/2), Frogs (Yr3) and Magpies (Yr4) 'Meet the Teachers' - Class Information meeting @ 3:15pm
Thursday 17 th July	Tortoises (Yr5) and Owls (Yr6) 'Meet the Teachers' - Class Information meeting @ 3:15pm
Friday 18 th July	SHARE assembly Tortoises and their SHARE morning

