

# Forest Edge Learning Federation

*Respect, Grace and Courage*



Parents' Update - 24th October 2025

*"We all live with the objective of being happy;  
our lives are all different and yet the same."  
Anne Frank*

As we reach the end of this half term, I want to say thank you to our incredible children, parents, and staff. Your collective effort and collaboration always makes our school such a special place to be.

In our worship this week, we explored the theme of respect and valuing differences. During our worship, we reflected on the story of Jesus and the Roman centurion, highlighting how understanding of each other's differences can bridge seemingly different worlds.

I'd like to take a moment to celebrate our Year 5 and 6 children who were exceptional tour guides during our open morning on Tuesday. They all showed confidence and pride in their school and were excellent ambassadors. Thank you Tutsan class.

On Wednesday evening, we held a parent workshop at Breamore on phonics and reading. It was lovely to see so many of you there. The workshop was led by Mrs Ingram (Federation Reading Lead) and Mrs Mylius (Federation Phonics Lead). The session covered how we teach our children to read in EYFS and KS1 and also how we teach reading in KS2. There was a little bit of handwriting and how you can support your child at home too. Don't worry if you missed it, the slides will follow by email so that you all have access to the information that was shared.

I would like to thank Mrs Ingram and Mrs Mylius for delivering such an informative and purposeful parent workshop.

Looking ahead, our next parent workshop is on Wednesday 26th November from 7pm - 8pm. Heidi Shering from Burgate will be leading a session on safeguarding with a particular focus on e-safety. We encourage all parents to attend.

The Grandparents Tea Party at Breamore was a heartwarming occasion. Seeing the joy as grandparents shared their old toys and memories with our children was truly special. These intergenerational connections are so precious.

Mr Morgan, our site manager, is leaving our federation today for a well-deserved promotion. We wish him all the best in his new venture and thank him for his service. We look forward to introducing you all to a new site assistant very soon.

Mrs Sanderson is also leaving our federation today to start a new job at the forestry commission. We wish her all the best and will miss Mrs Sanderson and all she has done to develop our forest schools across the federation.

A reminder that the school will be closed on Monday 3rd November as we have an INSET day. I do hope that you all have a restful and enjoyable half term.

See you all back to school on Tuesday 4th November at 8.45am

*Mrs Allen*

**Executive Headteacher**

Breamore CE Primary, Hale Primary, and Hyde CE Primary Schools

Dates coming up - new dates underlined

- Federation - 27.10.25 - 31.10.25 - Half Term
- Federation - 3.11.25 - INSET Day
- Federation - 4.11.25 - Year 1 & 2 Beaulieu Trip
- Hyde - 6.11.25 - Individual school photos
- Hyde - 7.11.25 - Open afternoon - Stay and Play 1.30 - 2.30 pm
- Breamore - 7.11.25 - Non-uniform Day
- Breamore - 7.11.25 - FABs Disco
- Hale - 10.11.25 - Individual photos
- Breamore - 11.11.25 Parent Consultations 3.45 - 6.15pm
- Hale - 11.11.25 Parent Consultations 3.30 - 6pm
- Hale - 12.11.25 Parent Consultations 3.30 - 6pm
- Hyde - 12.11.25 Parent Consultations 3.30 - 6pm
- Federation- 13.11.25 - Years 3 & 4 Inter Faith Day @ Breamore
- Breamore - 13.11.25 Parent Consultations 3.45-6.15pm
- Hale - 14.11.25 - Open afternoon - Stay and Play 1.30 - 2.30 pm
- Breamore - 16.11.25 - FABs Autumn Fair - more details to follow
- Federation - 19.11.25 - Years 3 & 4 Roche Court
- Breamore - 21.11.25 - Open afternoon - Stay and Play 1.30 - 2.30 pm
- Hyde - 27.11.25 - Nasal Flu Immunisation
- Federation - 16.12.25 - Years 3 & 4 - Music Concert @ Breamore

## **Term Dates 2025-2026**

### **Autumn Term**

Inset Day	Wednesday 3rd September 2025
First Day	Thursday 4th September
Half Term	Monday 27th October - Friday 31st October
Inset Day	Monday 3rd November
Last Day	Friday 19th December

### **Spring Term**

Inset Day	Monday 5th January 2026
First Day	Tuesday 6th January
Half Term	Monday 16th - Friday 20th February
Inset Day	Monday 23rd February
Last Day	Friday 27th March

### **Summer Term**

First Day	Monday 13th April
Bank Holiday	Monday 4th May
Half Term	Monday 25th - Friday 29th May
Inset Day	Monday 1st June
Last Day	Wednesday 22nd July

## **Term Dates 2026-2027**

### **Autumn Term**

Inset Day	Tuesday 1st September 2026
Inset Day	Wednesday 2nd September 2026
First Day	Thursday 3rd September
Half Term	Monday 26th October - Friday 30th October
Inset Day	Monday 2nd November
Last Day	Friday 18th December

### **Spring Term**

First Day	Monday 4th January 2027
Half Term	Monday 15th - Friday 19th February
Inset Day	Monday 22nd February
Last Day	Friday 25th March

### **Summer Term**

First Day	Monday 12th April
Bank Holiday	Monday 3rd May
Half Term	Monday 31st May - Friday 4th June
Inset Day	Monday 7th June
Last Day	Wednesday 21st July