



# Everything you need to know about Burlington!

## Parent information morning

Friday 13th September 2024

# Welcome...meet the team!

- ▶ Meet the senior leaders, governors, parent reps, EAL translators/parent reps, PTA - PTA intro
- ▶ Parent volunteers, Beanstalk Readers
- ▶ Family Links Parenting Workshop - Mrs Docwra and Mrs Easty
- ▶ Translators, translation tool on website
- ▶ Communications - Friday newsletters, Tapestry, emails





# PTA - 'Burlington Schools Association'

- Raise money for both schools - events and activities including fairs, colours runs...



- What we fund...





# School fund, voluntary contributions and PTA funds

- ▶ Pays towards special projects, workshops and experiences
- ▶ In the past, we have used school fund/PTA funds to pay for:
  - ▶ The Reading Den
  - ▶ The Little Lending Library
  - ▶ SMART boards for every classroom
  - ▶ Playground equipment, Tree House, OPAL
  - ▶ Class budgets for luxury items to enhance the classroom environment
- ▶ Trips - voluntary contributions - may be cancelled if we are unable to fund it
- ▶ School Fund £75 per family (infants only)
- ▶ Can be paid through the School Gateway app in full or installments





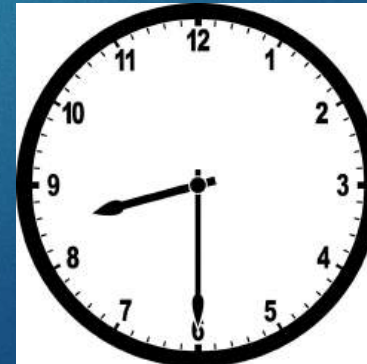
# School Uniform checks

- ▶ Blue Burlington jumper/cardigan (logo)
- ▶ Grey dress, skirt, trousers, shorts
- ▶ White polo shirt
- ▶ Plain white or grey socks or tights
- ▶ Black shoes (no trainers)
- ▶ Blue checked dress (in the summer)
- ▶ Hair accessories must be small and discreet
- ▶ No jewellery except small studs
- ▶ School book bags (with logo) – no rucksacks
- ▶ PE - black/navy jogging bottoms, white T-shirt, black/navy shorts, plain black trainers (velcro), School jumper



# Attendance and Punctuality

- ▶ Whole school focus on attendance and punctuality:
  - ▶ Holidays not authorised during term time
  - ▶ Attendance Bear - 'Be There Bear' - whole school focus
  - ▶ Weekly Newsletter update
  - ▶ Fixed Penalty Notices
  - ▶ Joint policy with BJS
  - ▶ Attendance meetings
  - ▶ Attendance monitoring weekly and half termly
- ▶ Punctuality monitored
- ▶ Punctuality YN 8:30, and Y1 and Y2 8:50





# Clubs

- ▶ Half termly sign up for most clubs
- ▶ Termly clubs - Chess, French and Spanish
- ▶ Piano, violin and recorder lessons - Kingston Music Service - [musicservice@kingston.gov.uk](mailto:musicservice@kingston.gov.uk)
- ▶ Half termly letter to parents with booking details. Specific time to book - email the school office - [admin@burlingtoni.org.uk](mailto:admin@burlingtoni.org.uk)
- ▶ Any queries - Nadia Ahmed in the school office.
- ▶ From Autumn term 2, priority for club spaces will go to children who did not get a space the previous half term. This allows for children to access a club at least once a term.





# Additional support – Mrs Docwra (Deputy Head) and Mrs Easty (Family Support Worker)

- Special Educational Needs and Disabilities
- Parenting advice and workshops - Parenting Links
- Behaviour support
- Advice on Bedwetting and Potty training
- Advice on sleep and routines
- Support with eating disorders
- Referral to Emotional health services for adults and children
- Referral to Family support services
- Foodbank vouchers and referrals
- Young carer referral
- ELSA support/Drama Therapy
- Bereavement support
- Mental Health Support Service - EWP
- Courses - English as a second language classes, Practical Ideas for Happier Living Taster?





# Expectations of parents

- ▶ Ensure excellent attendance and punctuality - report sickness absence to office. Collect your child on time every day. Lateness - anxiety and stress for children
- ▶ Considerate parking - no parking on zig zags or blocking driveways
- ▶ No scooting/bikes anywhere on the school site
- ▶ No pets/animals/smoking/vaping anywhere on the school site
- ▶ No climbing on the climbing equipment before/after school
- ▶ No photographs - safeguarding policy
- ▶ No social media posts of children/staff/school
- ▶ Feedback and suggestions





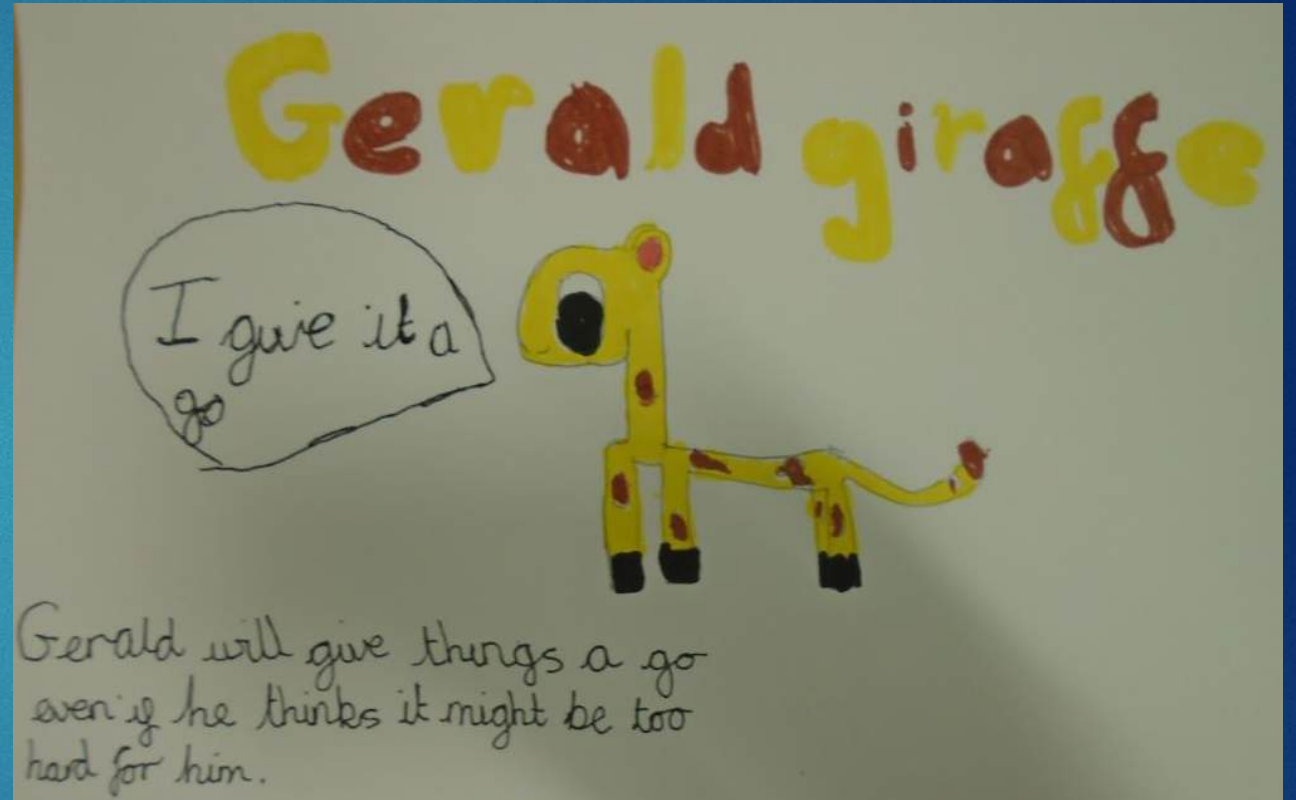
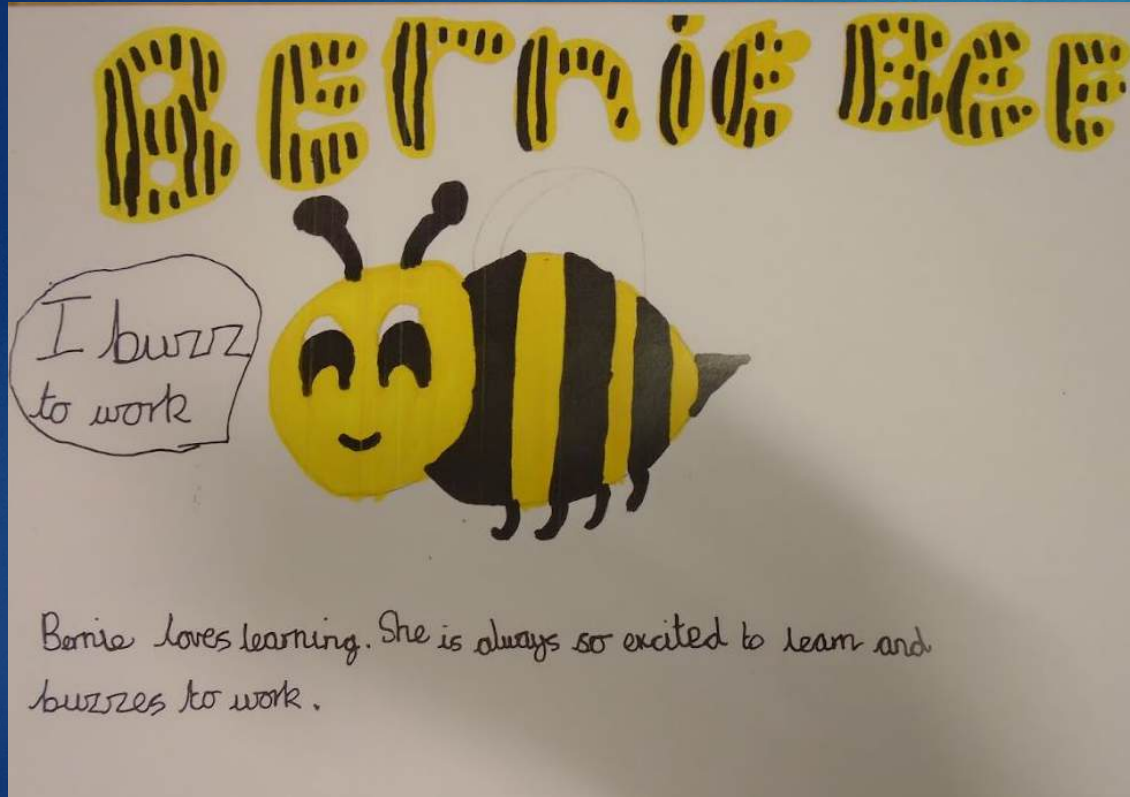
# Expectations of parents continued...

- ▶ Support your child's learning - reading, homework, Picture News, Inspiration station
- ▶ Support your child's learning - attend MANGO and FUDGE, special events, reading mornings, assemblies, parent consultations, curriculum workshops
- ▶ No birthday treats/cakes in school - 'birthday books' from office
- ▶ Nursery/Reception - children should be toilet trained
- ▶ We are a 'healthy school' and monitor packed lunches - no sweets, nuts, fizzy drinks. 'Water only school'. No chocolate sandwiches. Keep lunches healthy.
- ▶ Code of Conduct for Parents and Visitors
- ▶ Tapestry





# Learning Characters





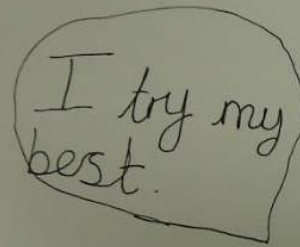
# Polly

# Parrot



If Polly can't do something  
the first time, she will try again.  
Polly never gives up. She perseveres.

# Tommy Tiger



Tommy always believes he can  
do it, even when things are  
tricky. Every day he tries his best.







# Our School Website

Pop up for key messages

The screenshot shows the website for Burlington Infant & Nursery School. At the top left is the school logo, which consists of three overlapping circles in yellow, green, and blue, with a small squirrel icon inside the yellow circle. To the right of the logo, the text "Burlington" is in a large, bold, dark blue font, followed by "Infant & Nursery School" in a smaller, lighter blue font, and "INSPIRATION, RESILIENCE, EXCELLENCE" in a very small, dark blue font. Below the logo and text is a navigation bar with three items: "Home", "About Us", and "Attendance". To the right of the navigation bar is a search bar with the text "Search..." and a magnifying glass icon. Above the search bar is a "SCHOOL GATEWAY" button and a "SELECT LANGUAGE" dropdown menu with a "Translate" button. A red arrow points from the text "Pop up for key messages" to a white pop-up box that appears over the main content area. The pop-up box has a title "Welcome to our website" and a close button (an 'X' in a black circle) in the top right corner. The main content of the pop-up box reads: "We are proud to be able to share the news that OFSTED has graded our school OUTSTANDING in all areas - click [here](#) for the full report." followed by "Stay in touch with our [Latest News](#) or click [here](#) to see the latest updates for your Year Group." At the bottom of the pop-up box, there is a reminder: "A reminder that the desktop version of our website can be viewed in any language simply by clicking the 'select language' tab at the top right. If viewing on a tablet please turn it horizontally to access the translate feature." and a cookie notice: "This site uses cookies to optimise your browsing experience. By continuing you agree to our use of cookies. More information can be found [here](#)." The background of the website shows a large, modern building with a curved roof and a glass facade. At the bottom of the website, there is a footer with three sections: "Contact Us", "Accessibility", and "Useful links". The copyright notice "© Burlington Infant & Nursery School" is on the left, and "Websites for Schools By School Website Design Agency" is on the right.

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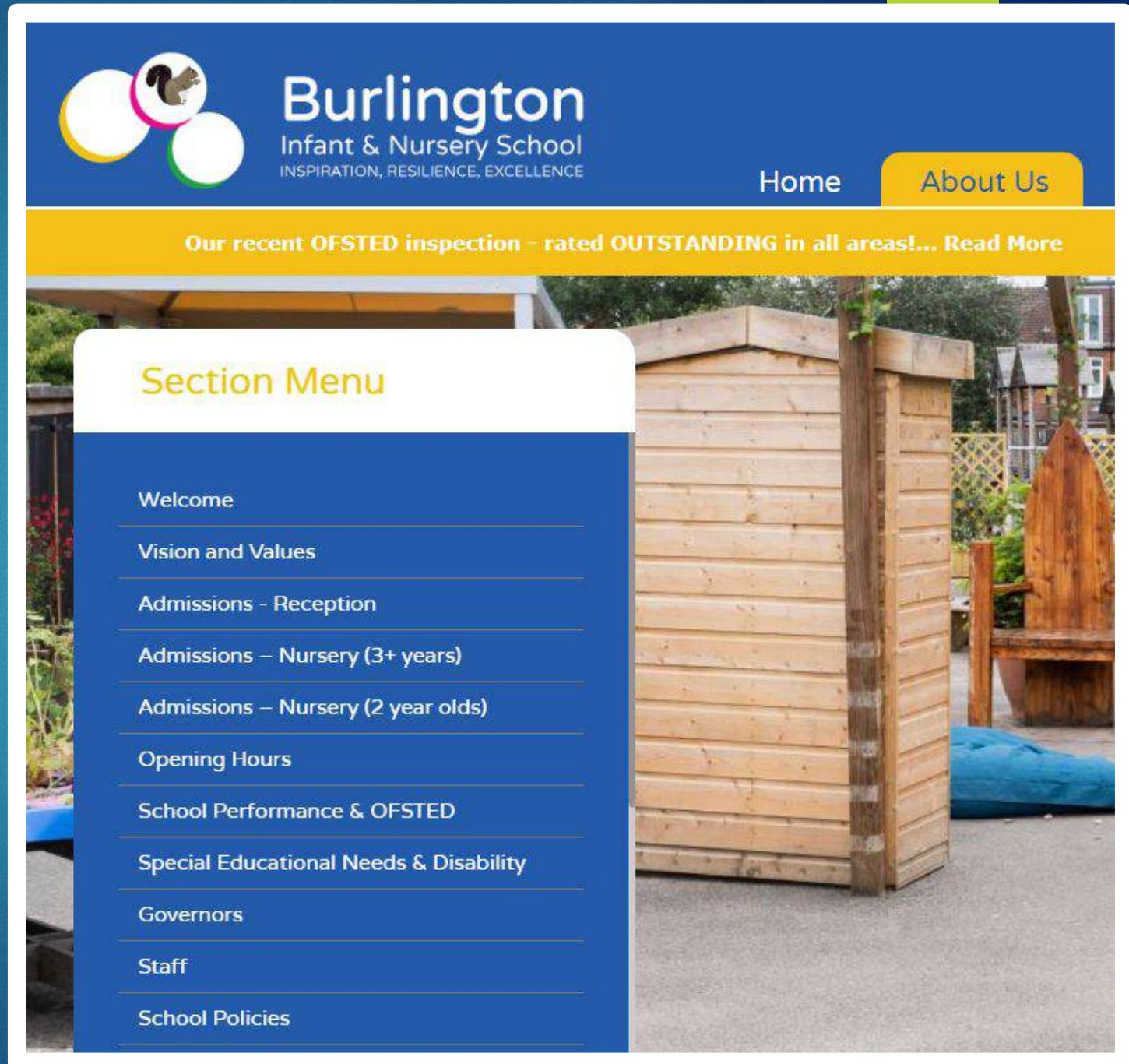
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# About Us

- ▶ Admissions
- ▶ Academic results
- ▶ SEND
- ▶ Governors
- ▶ Policies
- ▶ Pupil Premium (FSM)
- ▶ Vacancies





# Raising a concern

Raising concerns -

- ▶ Class teacher

Contact -

- ▶ Mrs Docwra (Deputy Headteacher/Inclusion Leader)
  - ▶ Mrs McEvoy (Deputy Headteacher/Curriculum and Assessment Leader)
  - ▶ Mrs Yay-Walker (Headteacher)
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- ▶ Complaints policy on website



# Safeguarding

- It is our duty to safeguard and ensure the wellbeing of all children at the school.
- We will teach children about who to talk to when they feel worried about anything - 'safe adults'.
- We are here to support families...
- 4 safeguarding officers:

Mrs Docwra



Mrs Yay-Walker



Mrs Easty



Mrs McEvoy







# Safeguarding and E-safety - Eduthing