

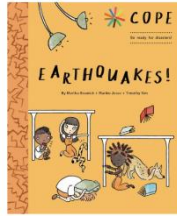


Learning Opportunities at Batchley

This week we returned from the Whitsun holiday eager to share our learning in the final half-term.

Year 3 have impressed us all with their fantastic geography work.

Mr Reeves was particularly proud of how confidently the children followed instructions during an earthquake drill, showing great maturity and understanding as they practised seeking cover under tables. Year 2 had a fantastic visit from Rainforest Dave and thoroughly enjoyed exploring a range of fascinating creatures. The children were engaged, enthusiastic, and full of curiosity throughout the day. Dave commented that they were an absolute pleasure to work with, praising their behaviour and interest.



We welcomed Mr Morris from Fit4Sport who led an exciting assembly to launch the Sports Week and introduce the inspiring sports person who will be visiting our school. It was also wonderful to see the super artwork produced throughout the school for an art exhibition. The creative artwork will be displayed at Worcester Cathedral. We are so proud of our talented artists and we look forward to seeing their work at this event. It is going to be a great half-term, filled with learning, celebration, and preparation for our September transitions.

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KEEP READING!

Make sure you read every day to be included in our Reading Raffle.



Read every day — it opens your mind, grows your imagination, and builds a future full of possibilities.

Stars of the Week

Chosen for good work or demonstrating kind hands, kind feet, kind words and respecting everyone and everything.

Nursery Plus	Valencia & Roman		
FSB	Amarissa and Xander	Year 2L	Jaxson and Eidhan
FSD	Kiki and Una	Year 3BW	Evelyn and George
Year 1J	Elijah and Alfie W	Year 3SF	Glendon and Ivo
Year 1CF	Mae and Melissa	Year 4H	Albert and Emily
Year 2M	Arlo and Tilly	Year 4B	Kayla and Freya

Fit4Sport

Morning and Sports Clubs

Fit4Sport offer morning provision and after school clubs for our children.

Contact Mr Morris if you require a place on 07557946721 or email

info@fit4sport.org.in

Sports Clubs <https://fit4sport.class4kids.co.uk/>



DATES TO REMEMBER

Key Dates

The dates for 2025-2026 are on the school website.

[Term Dates – Batchley First School](#)

13th June – Year 2 Trip to Three Counties Show

20th June – Sports Day and Summer Fayre

26th June - Year 1 trip to Warwick Castle

Friday 18th July 2025 – School Closes for Summer

Monday 21st July 2025- Teacher Training Day

Attendance

Week ending 06.06.25

4H	4B	3BW	3SF	2L
94%	90%	95%	96%	93%
2M	1CF	1J	FSB	FSD
99%	91%	96%	90%	92%

Well done to 2M who achieved an amazing 99% attendance this week.

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Attendance is the key to success.

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Summer Fayre

A huge thank you to all of our wonderful families for your kind donations of bottles and chocolate for our upcoming Summer Fayre. Your generosity and support are truly appreciated and make a real difference to the success of the event.

We are all looking forward to what promises to be a fantastic day for our school community. We also have some brilliant raffle prizes kindly donated by local businesses.

Funds raised will go towards projects in school that will further enhance the learning opportunities and experiences for all our children.

Birchensale Open Evening

Birchensale Middle School

Transition Evening

Monday 7th July 5pm to 7pm

We are delighted to invite all pupils and families who will be joining us this September to our Transition Evening.

This is a wonderful opportunity to:

- Meet our staff and get to know the Birchensale community.
- Meet staff members from 'United After School' our wraparound care provider.
- Visit Orchard Clothing, our official uniform supplier.
- Sample dishes from our lunch menu, freshly prepared by our kitchen team.
- Learn about free school meals and uniform vouchers available for eligible families.

If you would like any further information, please do not hesitate to contact us at:

enquiries@birchensale.bmat.co.uk

We look forward to welcoming you and helping you feel prepared and excited for the start of your journey with us!

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Golden Table



FSB- Lala-Grace
Year 1J- Oliver
Year 1CF- Ada
Year 2M – Olivia
Year 2L- Ilham
Year 3BW- Uriah
Year 3SF- Autumn
Year 4H- Reuben
Year 4B- Kaiden-Jay



These children have been recognised for their good manners, politeness and ability to demonstrate the school rules. I am so looking forward to eating with the children at the golden table on

Wednesday 11th June 2025.

British Values

At Batchley, our school values – Valued, Inspired, Prepared and Safe (VIPS) – go hand in hand with the fundamental British Values.

This week we are highlighting Mutual Respect. We have included a simple task that families can complete together.

Safe	Mutual Respect	Create a "kindness jar" – every time someone is respectful or helpful, add a note.
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FSM Vouchers

Use the link below to register

[Applying for Free School Meals | Applying for Free School Meals | Worcestershire County Council](#)

If you need any help with the process, please contact the school office. office@batchley.worcs.sch.uk

The vouchers will be available during the summer holidays and will be worth £60 to all those who are eligible.

Nursery Places

Nursery Places Available for September 2025

office@batchley.worcs.sch.uk

Contact the school office, and we will be happy to support you with the application process.

At Batchley we are all VIPS – valued, Inspired, Prepared, Safe