



### Learning Opportunities

This week has been full of energy, creativity and exciting experiences across the whole school. In EYFS, the children have continued their fascinating exploration of dinosaurs.

Their creativity has truly shone through as they designed and crafted wonderful dinosaur scenes, developing their cutting and sticking skills with great care and imagination.



Year 1 have had an incredibly successful week with their phonics learning. The children have been working hard to strengthen their "phonics powers", showing growing confidence and enthusiasm in their reading and writing.



Year 2 enjoyed a fantastic visit to the Three Counties Show, where they had a wonderful day experiencing something new beyond the classroom. We are also incredibly proud that some of our Year 3 children represented Batchley at the Ogden Trust Light Day.



They were a real credit to our school and enjoyed a fabulous day of hands-on learning and discovery. Meanwhile, Year 4 had an exciting trip to Worcestershire County Cricket Ground, where they were able to experience a real sporting environment and build on their learning in a memorable way.



To round off such a brilliant week, the whole school came together for a lively and inspiring assembly led by Fit4Sport. Mr Morris officially launched the start of Sports Week, sparking excitement and anticipation for the active and fun-filled days ahead. What a fantastic week of learning, creativity and opportunity across our school.



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# KEEP READING!

### Read Every Day – It Makes a Big Difference



Daily reading matters – thank you for supporting this at home



### Star Learners

Nursery Plus	Frances and Theo	Year 2J	Jeniell and Tommy-Jaxn
FSD	Aislynn and Elsie-Mai	Year 2L	Aurora and Zach
FSC	Monty and Rylee	Year 3L	James and Frankie G
Year 1B	Whole Class	Year 4 CF	Dania and Marwan
Year 1M	Whole Class	Year 4 H	Glaydon and Harley

Mrs Downes, Mr Reeves and all the staff are very proud of the good attitude and effort demonstrated in school.

### DATES TO REMEMBER

### Key Dates

Friday 19th June 2026- Sports Day (morning)

Friday 19th June 2026- Summer Fayre 2:30pm

Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> June 2026- Year 4 Witley Court

Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> July - Year 4 Leavers Assembly 9:30am

The holiday dates for 2026-2027 are on the school website.

[Term Dates – Batchley First School](#)



### 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](mailto:info@fit4sport.org.in)  
Sports Clubs <https://fit4sport.class4kids.co.uk/>



## Attendance

Week ending 12.06.26

4H	4CF	3L	2J	2L
95%	84%	94%	95%	93%
1B	1M	FSC	FSD	
95%	93%	92%	88%	

4H, 2J and 1B have all scored a goal each this week for achieving 95% attendance. - 2L and 2J will enjoy ice-pops on Monday as their reward for each scoring 3 attendance goals last week.



Every Day Counts – Working Together to Support Good Attendance

Good attendance helps children feel confident, settled and ready to learn each day. Thank you for your continued support in helping your child get the very best start.

If your child is unwell and unable to attend school, please remember to call the school office **each morning** on **01527 62926** to let us know.

You can help by:

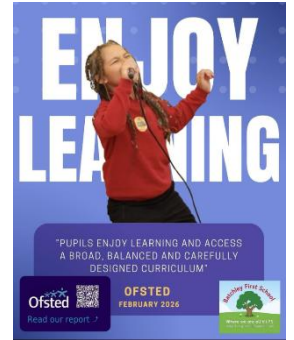
- Making school attendance a priority wherever possible.
- Talking to us early if your child is finding it difficult to attend – we are always here to listen and support.
- Celebrating and encouraging your child's efforts to come to school every day.

0152762926 [office@batchley.worcs.sch.uk](mailto:office@batchley.worcs.sch.uk)



## School Places Available

We currently have a small number of places available across several year groups. If you know of any families who are moving into the area and looking for a school, please do let them know and encourage them to contact the school office for further information.



Places Available for September 2026

[office@batchley.worcs.sch.uk](mailto:office@batchley.worcs.sch.uk)

## Cycle Helmets

We are always pleased to see so many children cycling or coming to school on their scooters – it's a fantastic way to start the day with some healthy exercise and supports our commitment to keeping children active. However, it is essential that all children wear a helmet when riding to and from school. Helmets play a vital role in protecting children and significantly reduce the risk of serious injury. We have noticed that not all children are wearing them consistently, and we need your support to reinforce this important safety message.



**Please ensure your child wears a helmet each day if they are cycling or scooting to school. Working together, we can keep all of our children safe while they enjoy being active.**

## Golden Table



FSC- Jack  
FSD- Edel  
Year 1B- Una  
Year 1M- Charlie T  
Year 2J – Reggie  
Year 2L- Liliana  
Year 3L- Olivia  
Year 4CF- Emma  
Year 4H- Elsie



Well done to the children who 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 **Monday 15<sup>th</sup> June 2026**

## Fundraising Challenge

On Thursday the 18th June 2026, your child will be taking part in a sponsored fitness circuit with a professional footballer from Birmingham City Football Club. All money raised will go towards funding new PE and Forest School equipment. All donations are greatly appreciated. All sponsorship forms need to be returned by 1st July.



19<sup>th</sup> June 2026

## Sports Day

Early Years & KS1 – 9:15-10:15am

KS2 – 10:30-11:30am

## Summer Fayre

2:30-4:30pm



Pizza slices, cakes, Ice-Pops, cans of pop, doughnuts and ice creams will be available to buy. There will be a variety of stalls alongside a raffle.

Tickets will be on sale at the main school gate from 8:30am, during Sports Day and at the Summer Fayre.

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