



New YEAR, new spaces, new plans...

Welcome back! It has been wonderful to welcome Year 7 to QB and to welcome back Years 8 – 11. There have been a lot of changes over the summer and school is looking good.

Thank you for your support with on site testing.

As this year now gets underway we look forward to a year of exciting opportunities, soon year 8 pupils are off on residential and our first Duke of Edinburgh expedition gets going next weekend. I look forward to sharing these events with you all.

From the photos above you will notice that not everything in school is finished. At the end of September we will begin the final stage of the theatre refurbishment; watch this space, very exciting times!

Have a lovely weekend.

**Mrs Reeves, Headteacher.**



## Updates for parents:

**SCHOOL UNIFORM:** Pupils are expected to wear the correct uniform and have the correct equipment at all times please refer to the Uniform letter. Please note, when your child has PE they should bring their kit in their bag to school NOT wear their PE kit to school. When your child has dance they should wear their dance kit to school on that day.

[Uniform letter 14\\_07\\_21](#)

Further information can be found here:

[Uniform \(queensbridge.bham.sch.uk\)](http://queensbridge.bham.sch.uk)

**COMMUNICATION:** From September, all communication to school should come through [enquiry@queensbridge.bham.sch.uk](mailto:enquiry@queensbridge.bham.sch.uk) Specific communication regarding special educational needs to come through [SEND@queensbridge.bham.sch.uk](mailto:SEND@queensbridge.bham.sch.uk) we aim to respond to all communication within 48hrs. Please do not communicate directly to staff. All communication regarding letters, homework, attendance, reporting and recognition will be available on the 'EduLink' app.

## SCHOOL DAY

Monday	Tues/Weds/Thurs	Friday
8:45 - 9:00 Form Time	8:45 - 9:00 Form Time	8:45 - 9:00 Form Time
9:00 - 9:55 Lesson 1	9:00 - 10:00 Lesson 1	9:00 - 9:55 Lesson1
9:55 - 10:50 Lesson 2	10:00 - 11:00 Lesson 2	9:55 - 10:50 Lesson 2
10:50 - 11:10 Break	11:00 - 11:20 Break	10:50 - 11:10 Break
11:10 - 12:05 Lesson 3	11:20 - 12:20 Lesson 3	11:10 - 12:05 Lesson 3
12:05 - 13:35 Lesson 4 & Lunch	12:20 - 13:50 Lesson 4 & Lunch	12:05 - 13:35 Lesson 4 & Lunch
13:35 - 14:30 Lesson 5	13:50 - 14:50 Lesson 5	13:35 - 14:35 Lesson 5
14:30 - 15:20 Lesson 6	14:50 - 15:00 Form Time	14:35 - 14:45 Form Time
15:20 - 15:30 Form Time		

[The School Day \(queensbridge.bham.sch.uk\)](http://queensbridge.bham.sch.uk)



# Bike to School Week 2021

**27 September – 1 October**

National Bike to School week is 27<sup>th</sup> September to 1<sup>st</sup> October! It would be great if we could encourage as many students (and staff!) as possible to take part.

Sustrans would love to know how many families cycle or scoot to school during Bike to School Week 2021. All families that fill in their [short online form](#) to tell them their children are taking part will automatically be entered into a free prize draw to win a Frog bike.

If your school is taking part in bike to school, please us know by tagging @bhamconnected and using the hashtag #biketoschoolweek

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[Autumn Term 2021 - Dates for your diary](#)

[View all upcoming events and dates - Calendar & Events](#)

- **Year 7 Parents' evening** - Thursday 21st October.
  - **Year 7 & 9 School Photograph Day** - Friday 24th September.
  - **Year 10 & 11 Curriculum Evening** - Thursday 7th October
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## EduLink for parents

If you have not yet activated your account, please check your email for your password and username. Thank you.

[please download our Parent's Guide](#) to accessing and logging in to your account.

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## Connect: Student Newsletter

Connect is our weekly pupil newsletter. It is emailed out to all pupils every Friday through their school gmail account and contains details on recognition, reading, careers, wellbeing along with any relevant notices for pupils for the forthcoming week. We would ask that you encourage your child to engage with the newsletter each week. It is a great way for pupils to stay connected to school life.

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## Student Wellbeing

Signposting to free Mental Health services for young people, including how to get help in a crisis and anonymous online support.

[QB Website: Student Wellbeing](#)

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## Online Safety

Stay involved in your child's online world, just as in their real world. It will help to protect them from its dangers. We know it can be difficult to know how to talk to your child about online safety and the following websites can provide you with some useful tips and guidance:

[Online Safety for Children - Tips & Guides | NSPCC](#)

[How to Keep Your Teen \(or Tween\) Safe Online | SafeWise](#)

[National Online Safety | Keeping Children Safe Online in Education](#)