

Visitors' Car Park

Please can all parent/carers be aware that the following rules apply for the visitors' car park:

- Pupils/ children are prohibited to play in the car park.
- No Smoking or Vaping.
- Parents are not to leave their children unattended.

Failure to comply with the rules could result in a ban from the visitors' car park.

Helmet Safety - IMPORTANT INFORMATION

Over the course of the summer term, we look forward to seeing children riding to school on their bikes or scooters.

It has been noted that there are a number of children in Key Stage 2 who cycle to school on their own and do not wear a helmet.

Please be aware that children will not be allowed to ride to school if they are not wearing a helmet.



WhatsApp guidance from the NSPCC

At Talbot Primary School, we have seen an increase in the number of children using WhatsApp to communicate with each other. Unfortunately, on several occasions, WhatsApp has been used inappropriately by children, resulting in issues outside of school overspilling into school. Parents need to be reminded if a child uses inappropriate language towards another pupil through social media, this could result in a sanction at school.

The guidance is for children to be 13 years old + to engage with WhatsApp.

For **filtering and blocking inappropriate content**, please see the latest guidance below:

Parental controls allow you to block and filter upsetting or inappropriate content. They work across your WiFi, phone network, individual apps and devices.

Parental controls can help you to:

- Plan what time of day your child can go online and how long for
- Create content filters to block apps.
- Manage the content different family members can see.



Speak Out Stay Safe Programme

During the Spring Term, all children participated in the NSPCC Speak Out Programme.

The programme gave all children advice and tips on how to stay safe within the community and online. We are really pleased to be working with the NSPCC to ensure all children are able to have a voice if they have worries or concerns.

In addition to this, in a recent assembly, Mrs Arnold explained to all children how to appropriately use the Worry Monsters, located in each year group, if they have any worries or concerns.

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Family hubs, early help and outreach centres

A range of support is available for families living in Bournemouth, Christchurch and Poole. By working alongside local communities, with other professionals and the voluntary sector, we aim to provide the right help at the right time for you and your family.

We provide help from pregnancy onwards and support families with children aged 0 to 19 (or up to 25 for those

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Related information

Useful Websites

Early Help

As part of the new Early Help BCP strategy, parents are encouraged to use the Early Help advice point for support with challenging behaviour, family support or parenting advice (information on left of page).

Please visit:

[Family hubs, early help and outreach centres](#)

Talbot Attendance Reminders

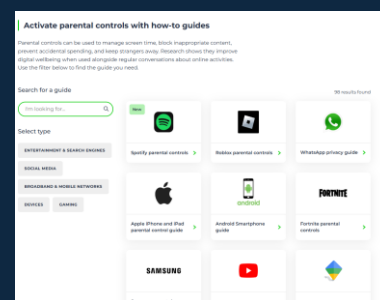
Monitoring of attendance is an important part of our safeguarding procedures and is routinely monitored and reviewed on a regular basis.

1. Attendance below 95%: Class teacher/Year Leader will contact parent/carer.
2. Attendance of 93% or below: parent/carer will receive an attendance monitoring letter
3. Attendance of 91% or below: parent/carer invited to an Attendance Surgery (either by phone or in person). When a child has attendance below 90%, they are classified as a Persistent Absentee and parents will be invited to a meeting to discuss how we can work together to improve attendance. Talbot Primary School has a BCP Attendance Support Worker, Mrs Ponsford, School Attendance Lead, and a Pastoral Team, who are able to give guidance and support to families.

Parental online support

Although most social media websites state children must be over the age of 13 years old, we are aware children are accessing social media platforms. We are encouraging parents to view the attached link which will provide parents with details in how to put parental controls on different social media websites.

[Parental controls and privacy settings guides | Internet Matters](#)



If you have safeguarding or welfare concerns regarding a child, please contact:

Children's First Response Hub

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