



Boreham Primary School
A Friendship School

'Learning and achieving together in a caring and creative environment'

How can I get more involved in school life and my child's education?

At Boreham Primary School, we believe that if parents are involved in their child's learning, and are enthusiastic about education, then the child has a better chance to succeed. We encourage parent involvement in their child's education and we are always grateful to parents who are able to help in school.

Boreham School has an 'open-door' policy and as parents you are welcome in school at any time. We are happy for parents to help their children settle into school but we do encourage independence and work towards them entering the classroom on their own.

It is a pleasure to welcome any enthusiastic, talented parents into school who wish to help in classrooms and support a variety of activities. If you would like to help in this way, please find out more by clicking on the link below to open our volunteers leaflet.

There are a number of ways for parents to get involved in our school life

- Becoming a Parent governor
- Joining our Parent-Teacher Association
- Joining our Healthy Schools Steering Group
- Hearing children read.
- Helping with school trips.
- Helping to transport children to and from sporting events.
- Helping with swimming
- Attending termly Parent Consultation Evenings, Sports Day, Class workshops, Boreham Proms, PTA events
- Read the weekly newsletter, 'The Boreham Beacon'.
- Make any suggestions to improve our school and put them in our 'Because we Care' box.





How can you help you child progress at school?

1. **Be interested.** Make sure you child knows you are interested in what they have done at school and what they are learning. Make sure you attend termly class workshops and parent consultation evenings.
2. **Read.** Please read with your child for ten minutes or more each day. You could read to them or listen to them read to you. It doesn't always have to be a school book, it can be home books, newspapers, leaflets, the internet and comics. Try to keep it fun and interesting for you both.
3. **Maths Basic Skills.** Practice number bonds, basic adding and subtracting, times tables and quick answers to maths questions as often as you can. Practicing these skills is easy but it keeps the mind sharp and really helps children to progress in maths at school.
4. **Homework.** Please check your child's book-bag and Homework diary (KS2 only) every day and support them with any homework given.
5. **Attendance.** Make sure that your child attends school regularly and always arrives on time to school so that they can be settled in class by 8:55am.

Home-School Agreement

The Government requires every school to have in place a 'Home-School Agreement' for parents to sign. This is included in the information pack for new parents in our Early Years a copy of the agreement is included in the induction pack.

The Home-School Agreement is sent out to parents at the beginning of each academic year. Parents are expected to sign and return the agreement.

Click [here](#) for further information.

