



BRABIN'S ENDOWED PRIMARY SCHOOL

Brabin's Newsletter 20th June 2022



Changes to school hours from September 2022

The school day will be extended slightly from September 2022.

The revised hours will be:

8.55am-3.25pm.

We will continue to open the school doors at 8.45 am and the children are welcome to enter school at this time. This does help with parking issues at drop off times and promotes a calm start to the day! As usual, the children must be in school by 8.55am or they will need to be signed in at the office and they will receive a late mark.



End of Year Reports

These will be sent home week commencing Monday 11th July. If there is anything you would like to discuss on receiving the report, please make an appointment with the class teacher who will be happy to meet with you.



Transition morning

On Tuesday 5th July, the children who will be moving classes in September, will have an induction morning. We hope that this will help prepare the children for a smooth transition in September and they can enjoy getting to know their new teacher- and vice versa!

Friday 1st July: School Council's 'Dare to be Different Day!'

Please see the attached leaflet!



KS2 French Kitchen : 29th June at 8.20am

A separate letter was sent home last week with further information.

Return slips and money will need to be returned by the **deadline of Friday 24th June**. Y3/4 will be performing a song in French and Y5/6 will be waiting on - using their French language skills!



Attendance

As a school, we expect high levels of attendance for every pupil as it is an essential foundation to positive outcomes.

Of course, if a child is unwell they should not attend school and the absence will be marked as authorised. However, any holiday will be un-authorised.

Regular monitoring of attendance takes place and, going forward, we will share class weekly attendance levels on newsletters. We do appreciate your support in helping to keep attendance above 96%.

Attendance from 7th – 10th June

Year Group	Percentage
Reception	99%
Year 1/2	96.1%
Year 3/4	96.5%
Year 5/6	97.8%

Attendance from 13th – 17th June

Year Group	Percentage
Reception	98.3%
Year 1/2	99.5%
Year 3/4	98.3%
Year 5/6	100%



Office

Dinner payments for this half term are now due:

32 days: £73.60

Please ensure all outstanding payments for lunches and breakfast and after school club fees are paid in full by Tuesday 13th July 2022. This will assist with the year end administration.

Have you ordered your school photos yet? A reminder that the closing date for free delivery back to school is Wednesday 22nd June. Order through the Tempest website using your unique link or visit www.tempest-orders.co.uk



Parking

Please refrain from parking across the drives of the houses opposite school. Parking across from the yellow zig zag lines could result in an accident. As always, we appreciate that parking around school is difficult - but ensuring the safety of the children must remain the highest priority.



Star of the Week

10th June

Reception: Henry S
Y1/2: Hettie J
Y3/4: Oscar H
Y5/6: Maisy J

17th June

Reception: Vivienne BB
Y1/2: Phoebe J
Y3/4: Harry W
Y5/6: Alex T
Headteacher Award: Leo M, Issac M & Louie R
Kindness Award: Arthur W & Emily K

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Diary Dates:

Tuesday 21 st June	New Reception Induction and welcome meeting for parents
Wednesday 29 th June	KS2 French Kitchen KS1 trip to Blackburn museum
Friday 1 st July	Dare to be Different Day- see attached leaflet
Tuesday 5 th July	Y5/6 Maths Challenge team- separate letter
Monday 11 th July	Whole School Forest School Day - more information to follow
Friday 15 th July	End of Year FOB Fun Run (Fundraiser) and Family BBQ
Monday 18 th July	Y6 Trip- more information to follow
Tuesday 19 th July	Y5/6 Production of 'Annie' in the village hall
Wednesday 20 th July	1.45pm Y6 Leavers assembly and end of year worship School closes for the summer break. *Please note that there will be no ASC on this day.
School re-opens on Monday 5th September 2022	

PE and uniform reminders!



A few reminders ahead of the new school year!

- PE shorts should be plain, black and non-branded.
- Jewellery should not be worn other than small stud type earrings. If there are plans to get ears pierced, please note that the summer holidays are a good opportunity as earrings need to be removed for all PE sessions.
- Nail varnish should not be worn
- Long hair should be tied back. We have had issues with headlice recently which is very frustrating for everyone. If hair is tied back, it can help to minimise transmission.
- Water bottles need to be non-spill - not made of glass. There have been a number of issues with water bottles this year. We are asking that children only use school water bottles from September. These can be purchased for £1 from the school office.



Sun Safety

It's been lovely to see some sunshine back! We love to get the children learning outdoors so please ensure, when appropriate, that the children have a sun hat and suncream in school. Please label the cream with the child's name as we are unable to let children share suncreams.