



Brookland Junior School Newsletter

'Be kind, be respectful, be the best that you can be'

16.05.2025

Well done Year 6!

I just want to say a huge well done to all our Year 6 children. They have shown fantastic focus and determination this week as they completed their SATs tests. The children have worked incredibly hard this year and showed this in the way they handled themselves this week. Myself and the entire year 6 team have been so impressed with their work ethic and attitude towards their SATs. You have been absolutely brilliant Year 6, you are all beyond amazing! We hope you enjoyed both the cold and cheesy treats after the SATs.

Walk to school week

Next week is walk to school week. A letter was emailed regarding this a couple of weeks ago. We are encouraging all our families to walk to school or park and stride into school. As per the letter, if you find any creative ways to 'walk' to school, take a picture and email it over to our admin team so we can share it on our Instagram.

Year 6 PGL meeting

For the Year 6 children who are attending PGL this year, we will be holding a meeting for their parents to go through all the final details for the residential. We will go over all the forms that need to be completed and returned, as well as information regarding kit lists etc. It is vitally important that parents attend. The meeting will be held in the school hall on Wednesday 4th June 2025 @ 6pm. If there are any parents who cannot make the meeting, we will share the information from the meeting via email.

Year 4 Camp meeting

For the Year 4 children who are attending the camp experience this year, we will be holding a meeting for their parents to go through all the final details. We will go over all the forms that need to be completed and returned, as well as information regarding kit lists etc. It is vitally important that parents attend. The meeting will be held in the school hall on Wednesday 11th June 2025 @ 6pm. If there are any parents who cannot make the meeting, we will share the information from the meeting via email.

Sports Day 2025

This year, our sports day will be on Friday 27th June. The timings for Year 3 and 4 will 9am-10.30am. This will be followed by Year 5 and 6 from 11am until 12.30pm. As always, this is day is weather dependent. Our current back up day is Friday 11th July.

Reminder - Year 5 class assemblies

A reminder that Year 5 will have their class assemblies at 9am, in the school hall, on the following days:

- Birch class - Wednesday 21st May
- Redwood class - Thursday 22nd May
- Willow class - Friday 23rd May

Reminder - Instagram

Our Instagram page is very much up and running so please do have a look to see what the children are doing in school. Another email has been sent this week regarding following our page. If you have requested to follow but have not been accepted yet, this is because we have not verified your Instagram username. To get yourself verified, please email the following information to the school admin account, admin@brooklandjm.herts.sch.uk: your name, your child's name and class, and your Instagram username. Thank you!

A few reminders

- Front gates will open at 2.45pm for end of day pick up. Please do not arrive on school site earlier than this time.
- PE uniform should only be worn on PE days - please do ensure your child is in full school uniform (including shoes) on non PE days.
- If wearing earrings, these should only be studs. Please note that earrings need to be removed or taped over for PE lessons.
- Break time snacks - this should be fruit, vegetable or something similar to breadsticks. Items like crisps and chocolates should not be provided as a snack for break time.

PE DAYS

Year 3 - Mondays & Friday 6th June

Year 4 - Tuesdays

Willow class - Wednesday and Thursday

Birch & Redwood class - Wednesdays

Year 6 - Thursdays

Key dates:

Mon 19th May - Fri 23rd May - Walk to school week

Wed 21st May - Birch class assembly @ 9am

Thurs 22nd May - Redwood class assembly @ 9am

Fri 23rd May - Willow class assembly @ 9am

Mon 26th May - Fri 30th May - HALF TERM - school closed

Mon 2nd June - INSET DAY - school closed

Tues 3rd June - Children return back to school

Tues 3rd June - Fri 13th June - Year 4 Times Tables Check

Wed 4th June - Year 6 PGL meeting for parents @6pm

Wed 11th June - Class photos

Wed 11th June - Year 4 Camp meeting for parents @6pm

Fri 27th June - Sports day (Year 3/4 9am-10.30am and Year 5/6 11am-12.30pm)

Fri 4th July - Mon 7th July - Year 6 PGL residential

Mon 7th July - Tues 8th July - Year 4 Camping experience

Tues 22nd July - Last day of school - school finishes at 1:25pm

Wed 3rd Sep - INSET DAY - school closed

Thurs 4th Sep - Children's 1st Day back to school

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