

Brookfield Park Primary School



Newsletter

W/B 9th March

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Headteacher Update

Dear parents/ carers,

Our Bookfair arrived this week and the children have been sharing their new books with excitement, it is great to see so many children loving to read and treating a new book as a really special treat. Some of the children have been carrying out their assessments so that teachers can see how well they are progressing in English and Maths and progress reports will be available for parents once all or the teachers have fully assessed the children so look out for those coming home.

The swimming gala takes place on Monday and we are really looking forward to see the children who have been chosen to represent us, showing us how resilient they are, as always I know their manners are fantastic and they will represent us well whatever the outcome. If your child has been chosen please make sure they have everything they need on Monday to take part.

As the weather starts to warm up hopefully we will be able to enjoy the outdoors even more so please make sure your child still has their coat as it is not quite summer yet and we want to be able to go out whatever the weather. Remember our re-uniform partners from Mid stream who continue to collect unwanted school uniform so when it comes to summer if you find yourself having a sort out please remember to pop your uniform in the container at the front that has our name on. I think a few bits and bobs have got mixed up with the Kingsbury container and they are collected by different companies.

A couple of reminders:

- **Tuesday** –last day to buy books from the book fair
- **Wednesday Non-uniform day-** Bring an Easter Treat for the raffle
- **School dinner increase**
Following an increase in catering charges brought in by LCC in respect of inflationary rises. School dinners will increase to £3.10 from 1st April 2026
- Bev, our cook has asked us to pass on the following message to anyone interested:

If any parents are interested in casual work within the school kitchen, please call:

Bev Sharrock (Area Manager for LCC) on 07854 184 207

Have a great Mother's day celebrating the females in your life, mum's, sister's Aunties's, nan's.

Yours Sincerely

SJ Whiteside

Head teacher: Mrs Sarah-Jane Whiteside, **Bed (Hons)**

Contact us for a tour and a chat about our wonderful school

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Attendance

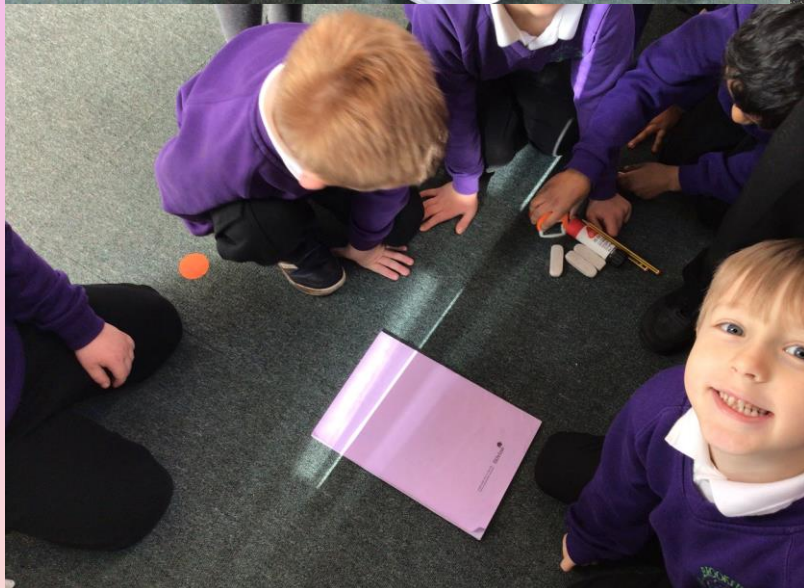
For week beginning 2nd March 2026 Please see below last week's class attendance figures.

Well done to our winners

 The Nook	95.35%
 Little Acorns	94%

Children attending our 3 year old and 2 year old provision are not yet school age so attendance is not statutory, however we like to see children encouraged to attend all of their sessions to set them on the right path to be good attenders as they reach compulsory school age.

 Big Acorns	94.44%	In line with DFE expectations and statutory guidance, please remember that school cannot authorise any term time holidays unless the circumstances are exceptional . Each case will be looked at individually. Where the holiday is taken as unauthorised and the pupil's attendance is of concern, it is likely to result in parents being fined.
 Oak Class	88.18%	
 Hazel Class	99.47%	<p>Well done to our punctuality award winners- on time lots of days this week</p> 
 Maple Class	95.71%	
 Holly Class	89.47%	
 Beech Class	92.86%	
 Willow Class	95%	
<p>Whole School Attendance 94.14 (Target 96%)</p>		<p>If you haven't already, please get the free Studybugs app, or register on the Studybugs website, and use it to tell us whenever your child's ill and unable to attend school.</p> <p>Get the app or register now (https://studybugs.com/about/parents)</p>



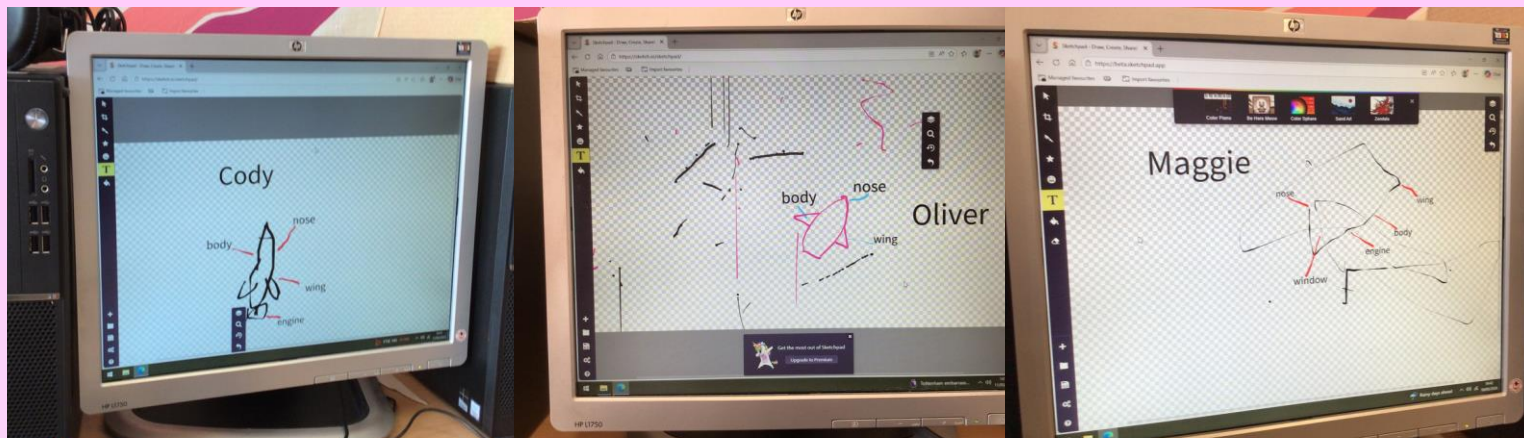
Year 1 have been learning about length and height.



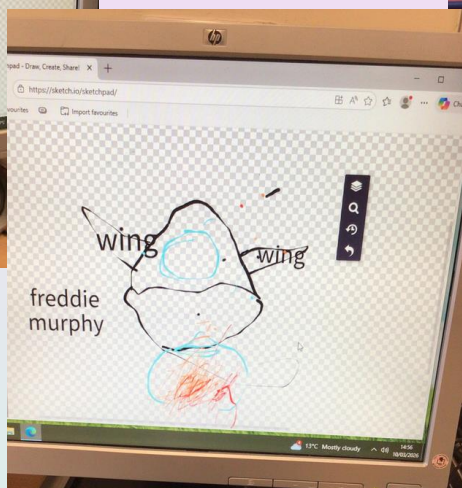
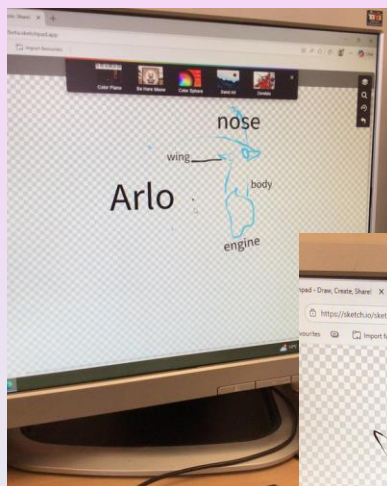


Year 1 have been learning about our school in Geography this week.





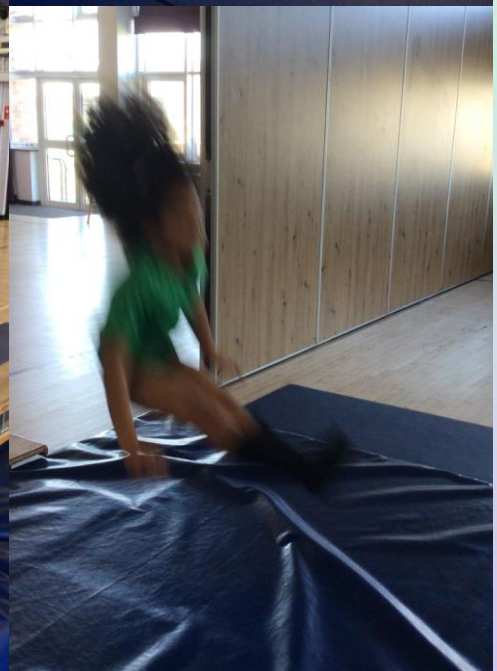
Year 1 have been building rockets for Computing this week.



Year 1 have been building small worlds in continuous provision.



Year 1 have been practicing their gymnastics.





Year 6 getting better at their balancing





Year 5 Science- filtering materials





Love from
3:15 club



Brookfield Park Weekly Award Winners

Well Done to
our
Pupil of The
Week Winners



Keepers of
the
Brookfield
Park
Promise!

Congratulations to this weeks
super star swimmers



Congratulations
Lowry House!

Well done
to Lowry
House once
again. This
week's
house point
winners
represented
by their
Captain



Hazel Class attendance winners!

Well Done to
Hazel Class
for winning last
weeks' **Attendance
Trophy** with a
brilliant 99.47%

Dates For your Diary

Monday 16th March – Swimming Gala

Wednesday 18th March - Non uniform day in exchange for chocolate or a sweet Easter treat

Thursday 19th March – Parents evening

Friday 20th March - School Health team visiting Reception & Y6

Monday 23rd March – Easter bonnet and egg displays to be in school & Easter raffle tickets on sale

Friday 27th March - Family drop for parents 9am-11am

Friday 27th March – Spring term 2 ends

Monday 13th April – Summer term 1 begins

Wednesday 22nd April - All Class Photos and Y6 Leavers

Monday 27th April - Reception Vision Screening

Monday 4th May – Bank holiday

Friday 22nd May - Family drop for parents 9am-11am

Friday 22nd May – Summer term 1 ends

Wednesday 3rd June – Summer term 2 begins

Who has a Birthday in
March

Happy Birthday to....

Kason in Little Acorns

Sophia-Miruna & Thomas in Big Acorns

Bobby in Hazel Class

Rosie & Michal in Maple Class

Finn in Willow Class



School Dinner Menu

The Menu for W/C 16th March 2026

Monday	Panini pizza, wedges and peas Mascarpone pasta with crusty bread Jacket potato
Tuesday	Chicken goujons, rice and curry sauce Cheese whirl with diced potatoes and beans Jacket potato
Wednesday	Sausage, mash and veg Tomato pasta Jacket potato
Thursday	Spaghetti Bolognese Sandwich Jacket potato
Friday	Chip shop fish, chips and peas Pizza, chips and beans

Welcome to our Breakfast Club

We are open from 7.45 and there is no need to book

Breakfast Club | Brookfield Park Primary School



Are you in need of after school provision?

Try our 3.15 Club

Activity Club-3.15pm Club | Brookfield Park Primary School

Please note: sessions must be booked by Thursday for the following week.



PLAYGROUP

Come along to our weekly playgroup for lots of fun, play, singing, crafts and make new friends.



Venue: Brookfield Park Primary School

Location: Main Hall

Date: Every Tuesday (*term time only*)

Time: 09:15 – 11:15

Cost: £2.00 per session (*Includes tea, coffee, juice and toast*)

Everyone welcome!

