



Brookfields Weekly Newsletter

#### Brookfields Primary School

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Dear Parents/Carers,

Well done to our year 6 pupils who took their SATs tests this week. The results will be published in July.

Our whole school attendance is 97.8% this week. Thank you to all of our parents and carers for ensuring that your children get to school every day on time.

Can I remind parents that children are allowed to bring fruit or a healthy snack in to have at breaktime. Crisps/cake/chocolate etc are not permitted.

We have received a grant from a nature reservation organisation which means we can continue to develop our school site to make it greener. One of the plans is to set up part of the field area as a wildlife zone with a polytunnel, wild flowers and chickens. Keep a look out over the coming months for these positive changes.

We have a number of events coming up including a parent SEND coffee morning and our Brookfields Bazaar fundraiser. The dates and information are below. Do come and join us and if you would like to help, contact the school office.

We are asking for donations of toys and clothes that can be sold at the Bazaar. Please hand them in to the office before 22<sup>nd</sup> May.

If you have a portable clothes rail we could have or borrow, please hand it to the office as we would like to have a nearly new uniform shop and need a rail to hang the clothes on.

Here are some pictures to show what our reception children have been up to this week as part of their mini-beast topic. They have been making mini-beasts out of natural resources as well as hunting for them in our forest school area ③



Have a lovely weekend. Mrs. L Mahony, Headteacher

### Safeguarding is everyone's responsibility

# Let's keep kids safe online

The online world is an important part of kids' lives nowadays. It's an exciting place for them to explore, with all sorts of fun and educational stuff to discover, but there can be some risks too.



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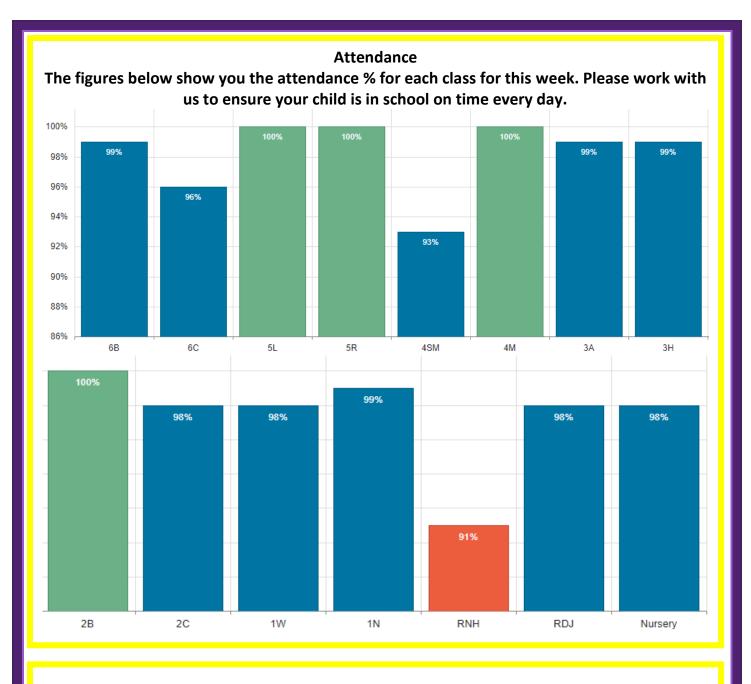
'Keeping children safe online' will teach you how to help kids explore their favourite apps, games and sites safely. Our workshop will:

- help you understand how children experience the online world
- show you resources and tools that could help keep them safe
- empower you to guide them on their journey.

Date: Wednesday 19th June 2024 Time: 9 - 10am Location: Brookfields Primary School

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#### **Key Dates**

- Wednesdays: Year 3W swimming lessons
- Tuesday 21st May: Year 3 Visit to Jewellery Quarter
- Tuesday 21st May: Nursery Understanding the World Workshop at 9:00am
- Wednesday 22nd May: Reception Understanding the world Workshop at 9:00am
- Thursday 23rd May: Reception and Year 6 Height and Weight checks (Nurse)
- Thursday 23rd May: Brookfields Bazaar (Fundraiser) 3.30pm
- Friday 24th May: School closes at 2:30pm for Half Term
- Monday 3rd June: School opens for pupils at 8:30am
- Monday 17th June: Teacher Training Day
- Wednesday 19th June: Parent workshop with NSPCC online Safety 9:00am
- Thursday 27th June: Year 6 Visit to Conkers
- Tuesday 2nd July: Reception visit to Sealife Centre
- Wednesday 3rd July: Transition Day
- Friday 5th July: Trust wide INSET Day school closed for pupils.
- Wednesday 10th July: Sports Day Letters will be sent out near the time.
- Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> July: Parent Open Evening an opportunity to discuss your child's report and meet their new teacher.



# Brookfields S.E.N.D Parent and Carers Coffee Morning

We warmly invite you to our first coffee morning. Come and meet others, who may be sharing a similar journey as yourselves.

Whether you'd like to ask questions, share your experience, have a chit chat or just have a hot drink, you're more than welcome to join us.



Wednesday 12th June at 8.50am

We look forward to seeing you there!



Kids Disabled children say we can

A Special Educational Needs and Disability coffee morning organised by Kids and supported by the Birmingham Parent Carer Forum for the Somali

community

Project Somali, Behind Carlton Solicitors 503 Coventry Road, B10 0LL

Monday 29th April 10:00 - 12:00 Monday 20th May 10:00 - 12:00 Monday 24th June 10:00 - 12:00

- Meet other Somali SEND parents and support each other
- Have the opportunity to speak with a send navigator from Kids West Midlands in a 20 minute one to one session with a translator available.
  - There will be toys and activities for preschool children Contact Kids 0121 355 2707 or Birmingham Parent Carer Forum 07842706112 for more information



We are inviting all children in Years 3 – 6 to enter a poetry competition, the winners will have their poem published in a book! Please send entries to Mrs Ledbury by Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May.



WHERE WILL YOUR IMAGINATION TAKE YOU?

WIN PRIZES! SEE YOUR POEM PUBLISHED IN A REAL BOOK! FREE BOOKMARK AND STICKER







**Early Support Programme for SEND Parent Carers** 

## **Be Empowered Workshops**

The final (Face to Face) workshop of this academic year Mondays 10am – 1pm (for 6 weekly sessions) Starting Mon 3<sup>rd</sup>, Mon 10<sup>th</sup>, Mon 17<sup>th</sup>, Mon 24<sup>th</sup> June, Mon 1<sup>st</sup> Jul, and finishing Mon 15<sup>th</sup> July 2024

At Oasis Community Learning (The Midlands Office), Woodview Drive, Edgbaston, Birmingham, B15 2HU.

Are you a parent of a child with special or additional needs? Do you want to meet with other parents and learn more about local and national services and what they can offer? Do you want to feel more confident about working with practitioners and making decisions about your child's journey?

We warmly invite you to a series of workshops that have been written by and are led by trainers who are parent/carers of a child with additional needs themselves.

These workshops are for parent/carers of children and young people of any age, with any additional need, with or without a diagnosis. They are an attempt to support parent/carers through times of change and at whatever stage of the journey participants may find themselves.

> TO BOOK – Complete the booking form and return to: BeEmpowered@birmingham.gov.uk

For more information please contact: Christine Legore on 07770 762 056
DEADLINE FOR RECEIVING COMPLETED BOOKING FORMS IS WEDNESDAY 22<sup>ND</sup> MAY 2024!

N.B We are unable to provide creche facilities.