



### **BROOKSIDE PRIMARY SCHOOL**

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### June Newsletter

Dear Parents

We have returned to school for the final half-term of the 24/25 school year. It has been a most productive year and I am very impressed with all of our children. I see them on a daily basis working hard, enjoying learning, behaving well and embodying our core values every single day. We are committed to working with you, the parents, where your child is experiencing difficulties or challenges. This half-term, we focus on resilience and we will be teaching the children strategies for staying strong and not giving up.

We have a very busy schedule this half-term and accompanying this letter you can read an overview of your child's learning in class. The teachers will be more than happy to give you any further information should you require it. As always, you can also view this summary on the class pages of our school website where we keep up previous half-termly overviews too. Please try to log on at home with your child and review this previous learning by talking, asking questions and seeing what they can remember.

June is a particularly important month for Y1 and Y4 children. Ms Smith will be carrying out the statutory phonics screening check with her Y1 class next week. It only takes around 5 to 10 minutes and helps us to assess the children's progress with their reading. In Y4, Ms Kendal will be administering the statutory multiplication check over the next few days to see how well the children are doing with their times tables. Good luck to all the children involved; they have worked so hard and deserve to do well.

We have revised the date of Sports Day by one day and we now intend (weather permitting!) to hold it on Thursday 19 June, during National School Sports Week. I do hope you can join us. Reception, Y1 and Y2 will be in the morning (parents can come onto the field as soon as the children are in) and KS2 in the afternoon (we'll open gates for parents just after 1pm). Nursery will be holding a sporty half-day when parents can join us during July – further details to come in the next few weeks.

The Y4 one-night residential trip to Burwardsley will be on 10/11 June (next week). We'll send parents a text message to let you know your children have safely arrived and the staff will try their best to put some pictures onto our Facebook page so you can see your children enjoying themselves on their trip.

Finally, can I remind parents that as per government guidance, I am not able to authorise holidays in term time unless there are 'exceptional circumstances'. This involves a specific reason why the child should be out of school on the dates requested rather than during one of the several school holidays instead.

Yours sincerely,

Mr D Orme  
Headteacher

