

# **Broughton Primary School: 15.01.2024**

Wk 08/01/2024		
	Attendance	Unauthorised
Catbells	95.71%	0.0%
Haystacks	100.0%	0.0%
Barrow	97.89%	0.0%
Dodd	97.5%	0.0%
Blencathra	91.25%	3.13%
Skiddaw	95.65%	0.87%

Friday 12/01/2024		
	Golden Sweatshirt	
Reception	Alice Barton-Gray	
Year 1	Lucas Smith	
Year 2	Jacob Smith	
Year 3	Louisa Cowan	
Year 4	Aliyah Richardson	
Year 5	Leighton Campbell	
Year 6	Molly Thwaite	

Dear Parents/Carers

#### **Strive for Five winners:**

A huge well done to our Year 2 pupils who were the first winners of the Strive for Five reading competition of 2024! In last week's assembly, I talked to all children about the importance of regular reading at home. Our staff can see the impact that 5/10 minutes of daily reading can have on pupil's attainment – the impact that this has on pupil's learning is HUGE and is such a great habit to get in to. We are aware that some pupils can be reluctant to read at home, for a variety of reasons such as not choosing books which match their interests, choosing books which are too difficult or possibly because they just need a little more practice to read fluently and they find reading challenging. As a school, we have worked incredibly hard to offer a wide-range of high-quality fiction/non-fiction books for children of all reading abilities - if you feel that your child is reluctant to read at home, please let us know using the Dojo messenger service and staff will allocate time to talk to your child and support them to choose a book which interests them.

### **Out-of-School Club:**

Our wonderful wrap-around-care provision, led by Amanda and Alex, continues to go from strength to strength and we have had lots of new starters recently who are really enjoying their time in OOSC. Our OOSC offers two morning sessions:

- Full morning session: 7.40-8.45am (£4.50 or £5 including breakfast)
- Half morning session: 8.15-8.45am (£2.50 or £3 including breakfast)

They also offer an after-school session from 3.20-4.30pm at a cost of £4.25 per session or £5 on a Friday afternoon for cookery. The club has daily themes for the after-school sessions, which are currently:

- Monday Modelling (play-dough, plasticine etc)
- Tuesday Construction (Lego and blocks etc)
- Wednesday Cartoons/films
- Thursday Homework/Technology (iPads)
- Friday Cookery

Although we offer a daily theme, it is ultimately up to the children which activity they would like to do and so they do not have to take part in the activities offered. When the weather improves and becomes more settled, the OOSC like to utilise our outdoor space as much as possible and even enjoy venturing over to the village park in the summer months.



#### KABS Pyjama/Onsie day this Friday:



### Rag-bag bins:

The bins have now been emptied and so there is plenty of space for donations of unwanted clothes. Apologies for the delay in getting the bins emptied. We always contact the company as soon as they fill up but as the company who empties them is based in Liverpool, there is usually quite a long delay in them getting to us. Thank you for your continued support with your donations, which help to raise hundreds of pounds each year to support our Out-of-School Club.

### **Broughton Red Rose Rugby:**





## **Dates for your diary Spring 1:**

Please note that dates for various events will be added to this list throughout the term and so please check dates weekly to keep up to date.

- Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> January 9-10am (In school) Parent workshop on sleep. Please send a message to Mrs Turpin to book a place on this workshop.
- Friday 19<sup>th</sup> January KABS Fundraiser. All pupils are invited to attend school dressed in their onesies/pyjamas
- Monday 5<sup>th</sup> Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February Year 6 Bikeability week
- Monday 5<sup>th</sup> February 5pm (Year 3 classroom) Information evening for Year 3/4 parents for Derwent Hill
- Tuesday 6<sup>th</sup> February Safer Internet Day
- Wednesday 7<sup>th</sup> February 9.30-10am Reception hearing test
- Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February 9-11.3am Year 5 to Cockermouth School to watch a show
- Friday 9<sup>th</sup> February 3.20pm Break-up for half-term
- Monday 19<sup>th</sup> February Return to school

Kind regards,

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Mrs A Bewsher – Headteacher