



## **Broughton Primary School: 24.02.2025**

<b>Wk 10/02/2025</b>		
	<b>Attendance</b>	<b>Unauthorised</b>
<b>Catbells</b>	<b>99.38%</b>	<b>0.0%</b>
<b>Haystacks</b>	<b>97.69%</b>	<b>0.0%</b>
<b>Barrow</b>	<b>99.05%</b>	<b>0.0%</b>
<b>Dodd</b>	<b>99.13%</b>	<b>0.0%</b>
<b>Blencathra</b>	<b>94.0%</b>	<b>4.0%</b>
<b>Skiddaw</b>	<b>98.89%</b>	<b>0.0%</b>
<b>Whole School</b>	<b>98.36%</b>	<b>0.45%</b>

<b>Friday 14/02/2025</b>	
	<b>Golden Sweatshirt</b>
<b>Reception</b>	<b>Everly Holcroft</b>
<b>Year 1</b>	<b>Sienna Stewart</b>
<b>Year 2</b>	<b>Lucas Smith</b>
<b>Year 3</b>	<b>Freddy Campbell</b>
<b>Year 4</b>	<b>Isla Wallace</b>
<b>Year 5</b>	<b>Penny Anderson</b>
<b>Year 6</b>	<b>Harry Graham</b>

Dear Parents/Carers

### **Welcome back:**

It is nice to return to school with slightly lighter mornings and evenings and with lots of signs that spring is on its way! There are lots of exciting things to look forward to this half-term in the lead up to Easter so please keep checking the dates section of the newsletter to keep up to date with everything that is going on.

### **Strive for Five and Attendance Champions:**

Well done to our Year 3 pupils who were Strive for Five winners in our last Celebration Assembly before the half-term break with 100% of the class reading five times during the week. Our Attendance Champions were Reception (Catbells class). Fantastic!!!

### **Round the World Topic:**

This week all of our classes will be taking part in a whole school topic with an 'Around the World' theme. Each class will learn all about a country, with each class's country being from a different continent to the other classes. At the end of the week, at home time on Friday, we will hold a mini exhibition in the hall to which you are most welcome to attend, to see what each class has been up to throughout the week.

### **Team Evie Readathon:**

Next Monday, we are launching a sponsored readathon to raise money for Team Evie – a local charity who fund reading libraries and equipment to children's wards in hospitals. We are aiming to fund a brand-new library for a ward that does not yet have one. Each individual class will have their own reading challenges to work through. Sponsorship cards and further details will be shared next week. We hope that all our pupil's will enjoy the reading challenge to raise money for a very worthy cause.

### **After-school clubs:**

After-school clubs for this half term:

- Football with Rory on Thursdays 3.20-4.15pm (payment of £12 can now be made on SchoolMoney)

**Please note that we will need to rearrange football club in the last week due to the Easter Fayre**

- Choir club for Key-Stage 2 pupils with Mrs Taylor on Thursdays 3.20-4.15pm (There is no cost for this club)
- Re-charge club for Key-Stage 2 pupils with Laura Smith on Fridays 3.20-4.15pm (There is no cost for this club)

### **World Book Day celebrations:**

World Book Day 2025 is quickly approaching. This year, it will be held on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> March. Children will be invited to attend school dressed as their favourite book character, and so I wanted to give you plenty of notice to enable you to plan costumes. Please do not feel under pressure to buy expensive costumes – there are plenty of book characters that enjoy sleepovers (wearing PJs), play sports such as football or just wear general non-uniform clothes.

### **Parents Evening Appointments:**

From 4pm this afternoon, Parents Evening appointments can now be made by following the red link below. Face-to-face appointments for parents of pupils in **Year 1 to Year 6** will take place on Monday 17<sup>th</sup> March from 1.30-6pm and will be held in the school hall. Virtual appointments will be offered on Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> March from 3.30-5.30pm. ALL appointments (including face-to-face appointments) should be booked online by visiting the school site address, which works on a first-come, first-served basis:

[broughtonprimary.schoolcloud.co.uk](https://broughtonprimary.schoolcloud.co.uk)

You will be able to make bookings up to 4pm on Friday 7<sup>th</sup> March when the window to make appointments will close. Appointments will be based around your child's academic progress this year and will be strictly allocated ten-minute slots (including face-to-face appointments) which will ensure that it is fair for all parents.

### **Dates for your diary Spring 2:**

**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.**

- Monday 24<sup>th</sup> February - Return to school
- Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> March – World Book Day (see plans above)
- Monday 17<sup>th</sup> March – 1.30 – 6pm Year 1-6 Face-to-face parents evening appointments
- Tuesday 18<sup>th</sup> March – 3.30-5.30pm Year 1-6 Virtual parents evening appointments
- Friday 21<sup>st</sup> March – Red Nose Day (Plans to be confirmed)
- Friday 28<sup>th</sup> March – School Council Healthy Tuckshop
- Tuesday 1<sup>st</sup> April – 9.30-10.30am Easter service in Christ Church All welcome!
- Thursday 3<sup>rd</sup> April – 3-4pm KABS Easter Fayre
- Friday 4<sup>th</sup> April - 3.20pm End of term
- Tuesday 22<sup>nd</sup> April - 8.45am Return to school for start of summer term

Kind regards,

*A. Bewsher*

Mrs A Bewsher – Headteacher