



BROADSTONE HALL PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Week 5 ending Friday 3rd October 2025



Welcome to the Broadstone Hall Primary School Newsletter!

HEADTEACHERS NOTE

Your child's education is our upmost priority. With that in mind, we would like to highlight to you the **Attendance & Punctuality banners** that are at the front & back school gates.



Getting your child to school really matters. Did you know...



If in a school year, your child is late every day by...

5 Minutes
10 Minutes
15 Minutes
20 Minutes
30 Minutes

Your child would have lost approximately...

3.5 Days from School
7 Days from School
10 Days from School
14.5 Days from School
22 Days from School

Or they would have missed approximately...

20 Lessons
41 Lessons
55 Lessons
82 Lessons
123 Lessons

You should not take your child on holiday during term time. Please encourage punctuality to maintain school attendance.

Remember
Absence = Lost opportunity



Getting your child to school really matters. Did you know...



If your child's attendance during the school year...

Was 95%
Was 90%
Was 85%
Was 80%
Was 75%

Your child would have lost approximately...

9 Days from School
19 Days from School
29 Days from School
38 Days from School
48 Days from School

Or they would have missed approximately...

50 Lessons
100 Lessons
150 Lessons
200 Lessons
250 Lessons

You should not take your child on holiday during term time. Please encourage punctuality to maintain school attendance.

Remember
Absence = Lost opportunity

NB. Appointments where possible should be made outside school hours & if not, ADVANCE notice given to the Office before 3pm of early collection.

YEAR 1 SCIENCE

In Year 1 we have been learning about our senses. We had lots of fun smelling and tasting different fruits and vegetables this week. We described what they tasted like. The lemon was very sour! Look at those funny faces!



RECEPTION TEA PARTY

Our Reception children LOVED meeting their Y6 buddies this week when they had a Tea Party together. They ate, shared stories & even had a dance together. It was so much fun & there were smiles all round. It is a chance for our oldest, most experienced children to meet our youngest, newest children & mentor them - doing lots of events & activities over the course of the year & create lasting friendships.



SUPPORTING OUR FAMILIES

As a school, we will soon be sending out information about upcoming school trips & events. These are imperative to our children's extended learning. However, we understand it may put an unnecessary financial strain on our families. Therefore **£1000 PER YEAR GROUP** from school funds has been agreed to help subsidize school trips this academic year to lessen the financial burden for parents. And **£600 PER YEAR GROUP donation** has once again been agreed with our wonderful PTA, Friends of Broadstone. This will be deducted by us before the letters go out to parents. In some cases, for the trip to go ahead, a voluntary contribution of the remaining amount may still be required.

Should you still be struggling in any way – please do not hesitate to contact the Office.

Friends of Broadstone PTA

FOB is our school PTA led by a small committee of parent volunteers & supported by wide group of parents, grandparents & carers. **We literally could not be without them.** Last year we raised £14,000 & so far reinvested £7,000 back into school. Please join us for our first meeting of the year

Wed 8th Oct @ 6.30pm Friendsofbroadstone@outlook.com



FOB - Friends of Broadstone

AGM & 25/26 PLANNING

Wednesday 8th October 18:30
at Broadstone Hall School

All Welcome!

(There will be drinks and nibbles!)

NEXT 2 WEEKS ON THE CALENDAR

Monday 6th October: Y6 Height & Weight Check

Monday 6th October: Welcome to Y6 Parents Meeting 6pm

Tues 14/Wed 15th October: Parents Evenings

Wed 15th October: Individual/Sibling Photograph Day

CRICK:

Reception:

RBW **"Confidence"** Lila-Willow B Lila-Willow is always confident to have a go and her super attitude and amazing manners have made us all smile this week. Her writing has also blown us away and we are so proud of her efforts and independence. Well done superstar!

RLE **"Confidence"** – **Charlie R** Charlie will have a go at anything with a superb attitude. He faces challenges with gusto and we are so proud of him!

RAF **"Resilient"** – **Riley J** Riley has dashed through the gates with a big smile on his face, ready to learn, this week. He has been very brave.

Year 1:

1CL **"Resilient"** – **Millie VS** for continuing to try her best and always having a big smile on her face even with a broken foot!

1CR **"Kind"** – **Rosie May M** for always being so kind to her friends and letting other children join her games.

Class 1/2:

"Confidence" – **Olivia Grace BY** Olivia has worked really hard in maths lessons this week and it has been lovely to see her confidence grow.

Year 2:

2SH **"Confidence"** – **Esme C** for making good contributions to class discussions this week.

2MK **"Confidence"**- **Leo W** Leo is a confident mathematician who tackles each maths lesson with a great attitude. Keep up the good work Leo!

Year 3:

3EE **"Co-operative"** – **Isla N** for being a great shoulder partner and being a role model for her table.

3LW **"Kind"** – **Rosie R** for always being a wonderful friend and going out of her way to help others. She is a thoughtful and supportive Kagan partner in class too!

Class 3/4:

"Resilience"- **Kayan L** for trying really hard to be independent and not giving up!

Year 4:

4KC **"Co-operative"** – **Arlo H** for being a fabulous shoulder and face partner this week. Arlo has worked co-operatively with all partners this week in all of his learning. Well done Arlo!

4DO **"Kind"** – **Matilda E** for always being kind to those around you and especially at playtimes. I know everyone you play with always ends up feeling happier than they were. Well done!

Year 5:

5VH **"Co-Operative"** -**Road A** for being a kind and supportive partner, working collaboratively in all lessons.

5NT **"Confident"** – **Lily Z** Well done, Lily! This week, you have shown excellent confidence in science when learning about conductors and insulators! Keep up the fantastic curiosity and enthusiasm!

5SH **"Independence"**- **Alex T** Alex is showing so much determination in all lessons. He works brilliantly with everyone and is a kind partner to all. When working independently he stays focused and shows an impressive level of concentration-Wow! 😊

Year 6:

6CM **"Independence"** – **Annie L** for showing brilliant independence in all her work this week and is never afraid to work hard by herself even if she makes mistakes.

6RD **"Confidence"**- **Olivia H** Your self-belief and confidence has grown SO much over the last couple of weeks. You are contributing more in lessons which is wonderful to see. Keep it up!

6LK **"Confident"** – **Polly B** for believing in herself. You have proven that you can do it so keep believing in yourself and giving it everything you've got!

WRITER OF THE WEEK:

Year 1:

1CL **Kyra S** Kyra has worked so hard this week with her writing. She has tried so hard with her handwriting and applying her phonics knowledge. Well done!

1CR **Ava W** For always trying her best in all writing activities and for independently checking she has spelt key words correctly.

Class 1/2:

Mayah R for wonderful handwriting and super spellings! Great work Mayah!

Year 2:

2SH **Joseph J** for working really hard to produce good sentences with neat handwriting.

2MK **Zara E** Zara has worked really hard this week in her writing lessons and has produced some fantastic sentences with conjunctions.

Year 3:

3EE **Rudy R** for some great sentences that went onto his plan which he then used to write his character description of the Truth Pixie.

3LW **Adam K** for working so hard to improve his handwriting in our writing lessons and for producing a wonderful character description which included some very imaginative similes.

Class 3/4:

Aubrey PW for her fantastic writing and presentation in Science.

Year 4:

4KC **Beaux S** has produced a fantastic character description this week that was based on the Troll in Truth Pixie. She included some fantastic description and tried hard to cleverly include all of our writing features. Well done Beaux!

4DO **Sophie M** for a wonderful descriptive piece of writing on the troll from Truth Pixie. Super work!

Year 5:

5VH **Ella C** for writing super sentences containing speech with accurate punctuation and lovely language.

5NT **Nate B** Well done Nate! This week you have made fantastic effort in writing. Your speech sentences were punctuated correctly and you remembered all your punctuation and capital letters in the correct place!

5SH **Bill B** Bill has written some great sentences about our class book using accurate punctuation, correct vocabulary and tone. I am looking forward to reading more of his super writing this year. 😊

Year 6:

6CM **Kaleb-Michael K** for writing a stunning opening to his holes setting using time threads and cinematic adverbials.

6RD **Adesiree O** I could give you this award every week! Your writing book is stunning and beautifully presented. You have written fantastic sentences and paragraphs over the last few weeks. I can't wait to read your final piece on Holes.

6LK **Eshan A** for fantastic independent sentences! They are creative and technically accurate. Keep up the hard work!

STAR OF THE WEEK:

Reception:

RBW **Orla DM** Orla is simply wonderful. She is a fantastic role model for others and can always be counted upon to follow our school rules and be a kind and caring friend. We are lucky to have you in our class Orla!

RLE **Jordan K** - always trying his best and being so friendly and kind. Jordan has the best knowledge of Space and has shared his knowledge and made his teachers smile. His explanation of gravity is out of this world!

RAF **Rosie D** Rosie is an excellent role model. She is always sat smartly ready to learn and puts her hand up to contribute during circle time. We are all very proud.

Year 1:

1CL **Aiden O** for being an excellent role model! He is always kind, caring and making the right choices. We are so proud of him!

1CR **Charlie G** Charlie is a fantastic role model! Charlie follows our carpet rules perfectly and is always showing he is ready! Well done!

Class 1/2:

Freddie H for a brilliant week in class! We have been so impressed with Freddie's effort this week. Well done!

Year 2:

2SH **Aoife F** for always making the correct choices and being ready to learn.

2MK **Harry W** Harry is confident and fantastic member of 2MK. He always gives super answers and thoughtful questions on the carpet and always follows school rules, well done, Harry!

Year 3:

3EE **Zaki A** for his wonderful rapping in our music!

3LW **Tommy S** for always making the right choices and producing excellent work across all subjects. He always participates in class discussions and sets a fantastic example for everyone else to follow.

Class 3/4:

Signe LS for always smiling and settling so well into her new class.

Year 4:

4KC **Leo E** for having a much improved week in terms of his behaviour. Well done Leo, keep it up.

4DO **Jonah C** for having a great sense of humour and using it at appropriate times. Keep making us smile 😊

Year 5:

5VH **Penny P** for working hard, showing resilience and being an all around super star.

5NT **Jasmin A** Jasmin, you are a role model in our classroom, you always show our CRICK values everyday in and outside the classroom, well done!

5SH **Isabelle M** Isabelle has shown how resilient she is when facing new challenges. She was a fantastic data collector in science, collecting temperatures for her group and showing leadership skills. 😊

Year 6:

6CM **Sebastian A** for being an incredible role model, co-operative learner and always putting others first.

6RD **Edie H** You are such a kind, considerate and thoughtful member of our class. You are a great role model and are always the first to offer a helping hand. Keep being wonderful!

6LK **Ava S** for showing incredibly maturity in the move up to Y6. She has taken everything in her stride and is giving 100% to everything in school. I am extremely proud!