



**Broughton Primary School**

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Friday 7<sup>th</sup> May 2021

Dear Parents,

#### **Office email address**

To contact the school office for ANY enquires/questions/your child's appointments/your child going home with another parent etc please use the **new** email [office@my-bps.co.uk](mailto:office@my-bps.co.uk)

This email is monitored daily by the administration team and they will get back to you as soon as possible. All emails for staff are available on the school website.

#### **Art in the school hall**

You are invited to visit the school hall and see the displays of the children's art work.

KS1 parents (Year R, 1 & 2) - Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> May -8:45-9:15

KS2 parents (Year 3, 4, 5 & 6) - Friday 21<sup>st</sup> May -8:45-9:15

To keep this visit Covid safe you are required to:

- wear a mask,
- follow the one way system,
- sanitise your hands,
- Keep a social distance,
- Parents will be admitted to the hall in groups of 10,
- This is for parents only- no extended family,
- Younger siblings may attend,
- If you have a child in both Key stages please choose one date only.

#### **Children enjoying their learning**

Please click on the links below to view what the children in Years R, 2, 4 and 6 have recently been doing. Next week there will be photos from Years 1, 3 and 5.

- In Year R, the children are really enjoying working and playing in our new classroom. It is great being in a classroom, which is attached to the rest of the school. This term our topic is called, 'Where my wellies take me.' We have walked in wellies, splashed in puddles in our wellies, designed wellies and this week planted sunflower seeds in some welly boots. We even turned our new role-play area into a shoe shop, it has been fun trying on shoes especially Miss Baker's wellington boots!

<https://www.broughtonprimaryschool.co.uk/gallery/?pid=33&gcatid=49&albumid=68>

- Also, in Year R, it has been very exciting in the Bears class this week! We arrived at school on Tuesday to find a pair of pirate boots, a message in a bottle and some envelopes marked with the word 'clue'. We read the message, it was from Captain Blackbelly, he wanted us to help to find his treasure. We followed the clues and eventually found a large box which contained...fairy cakes! We really enjoyed eating the treasure and we went on to write thank you letters to the Captain telling him how delicious the cakes were. I wonder if we will hear anything else back from Captain Blackbelly?  
<https://www.broughtonprimaryschool.co.uk/gallery/?pid=33&gcatid=51&albumid=69>
- In Year 2, we have been linking our artwork to our science topic Plants. We have had great fun finding natural materials around the field and using them to create pictures and patterns.  
<https://www.broughtonprimaryschool.co.uk/gallery/?pid=41&gcatid=52&albumid=70>
- In Year 4, we have been learning about the Mayan game of Pok-a-Tok. We tried to play it in PE and had great fun! It was so tricky though, as you are not allowed to use your hands or feet. One day we will score a goal!  
<https://www.broughtonprimaryschool.co.uk/gallery/?pid=49&gcatid=48&albumid=67>
- In Year 6, we have been learning about the Japanese artist, Hokusai and recreating his famous painting 'The Great Wave off Kanagawa.' The children enjoyed designing their artwork in the modern style of the Tom Gates books.  
<https://www.broughtonprimaryschool.co.uk/gallery/?pid=58&gcatid=53&albumid=71>

### **Dates for your diary**

These dates are tentative and will depend on the government advice.

- Before and after school club will reopen from 17<sup>th</sup> May and will run as two clubs - KS1 and KS2. Bookings will open from 10<sup>th</sup> May. If you have not booked your child in on ParentPay, unfortunately, your child will not be accepted into the club for that day due to numbers.
- Sponsored run- in support of FOBS- 1<sup>st</sup> July
- Sports Day/ Gala –KS1- 13<sup>th</sup> July 1pm-3pm
- Sports Day /Gala- KS2 15<sup>th</sup> July- 1pm-3pm
- Trips- we are planning school trips- the dates for these will be announced later in the term
- Leavers' Assembly-20<sup>th</sup> July -9:30-10:30am

Bank Holiday Monday - 3<sup>rd</sup> May

Half term Holiday - Week beginning 31<sup>st</sup> May

School re-opens - Monday 7<sup>th</sup> June

End of the Summer Term – Finish at 2 pm, Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> July

Yours Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink that reads "em Shortt". The signature is written in a cursive style with a large loop at the end.

Claire Shortt  
Headteacher