



Broughton Primary School

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Dear Parents,

### **Covid update**

We are reviewing our risk assessments in line with new government advice. I will let you know via the school newsletter if, and when we make changes to school routine and events.

### **Parents' Survey**

Thank you for retuning the Parent Survey, they were on the whole very positive. I have shared the results with staff.

Just a few points, the majority of parents would like to return to face to face meetings with teachers when we are able. Teachers agree and so, when we are able we will return to Parents' Evening in person.

Secondly, some parents are still finding it tricky to navigate the lunch time ordering system. Thank you for this feedback. If technology is not co-operating with you, please ring Mrs Issitt or email the school office and she will help.

Lastly, some parents were not aware how the school dealt with bullying - it may be that they have not had experience with this, but bullying can happen in all schools and in all walks of life. Parents can find our anti-bullying policy on the school website.

For children it is not always easy to know what bullying is or what they should do.

We remind them of **STOP**.

If a classmate is bothering them we encourage them to say **STOP!**

We define bullying as – **Several Times On Purpose**- not an accident, not just once or when you have fallen out with a friend.

We tell children to **Start Telling Other People**. Such as adults in school or parents.

Most issues between children can be resolved in this way and learning to get along with others is an important skill that children will need throughout life.



### **World Book Day**

World Book Day is on Thursday 3rd March 2022. It's a day to celebrate a love of reading around the world. This year we would like to turn story books into plays by creating mini-theatres with the children, across the school. For this activity **we need lots of smallish boxes** (shoebox or cereal boxes would be the ideal size). If you have any of this type of box over the coming weeks, we would be grateful if you could send them in to us, as soon as possible. Thank you in advance, your help is much appreciated.

## Hotshots Heroes

During half-term our Hotshots basketball team competed in a local tournament winning all three games and coming out victorious. Well done!

Please click on the link below to see our winning team:

<https://www.broughtonprimaryschool.co.uk/gallery/?pid=19&gcatid=1&albumid=107>

## FOBS

The next FOBS meeting is to be held via Zoom on Monday 28<sup>th</sup> February at 8pm. Please find attached the agenda. If anyone would like to join the meeting please email [friendsofbroughtonschool@gmail.com](mailto:friendsofbroughtonschool@gmail.com) and they will send you a link.

## Traffic on Cransley Hill

I have had several very serious complaints about traffic speed and cars blocking pathways from neighbours and from parents. These have been passed on to the police. Please see attached letter and flyer.

## Term Dates

Full term dates for this year and next year are on the school website.

Term Break	School Closes	Back to School
Easter Holiday	Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> April 2.00pm	Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> April
Spring Half Term	Friday 27 <sup>th</sup> May 3.15/20	Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> June
Summer Holidays	Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> July 2.00pm	Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> September



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