



Broughton Primary School

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Friday 9th October 2026

Dear Parents,

Cup of Kindness

This week's winner is from Year 5:



New Beats

We enjoyed an amazing visit from 'New Beats', NMPAT's pop/rock band, on Tuesday. We loved listening to their songs and learning about the instruments that make up a band.

Please click on the link to see photos: [Broughton Primary School - 'New Beats' Pop Band Visit](#)

School intake tours for September 2027

If you have a child due to start school next September, the dates for our school tours are as follows:

- Monday 12th October - 9:15 am - **FULL**
- Wednesday 4th November - 9:15 am **FULL**
- Tuesday 24th November - 9:15 am
- Friday 04th December - 9:15 am

Please email the school office to book an appointment: office@my-bps.co.uk

World Mental Health Day – 10th October 2026

This year, the official theme set by the World Federation for Mental Health is “Lived experiences heard: real voices, real change: reminding us to listen without judgement and to value real stories and real experiences.”

At Broughton School, we are committed to supporting the mental health and wellbeing of all our pupils and families. To support World Mental Health Day, we will be carrying out activities with

pupils in school during that week to encourage open conversations, reduce stigma, and help children understand how to look after their own wellbeing.

Support for Parents / Carers:

We understand that many children experience anxiety, low mood, sleep difficulties, behavioural challenges and difficulties with emotional regulation and that as parents you may want advice on how to support them.

You are welcome to come and discuss any mental health concerns with our School Mental Health Support Team (MHST). MHST will be available for confidential 1-to-1 chats with parents/carers on:

- Date: **Monday 19th and Tuesday 20th October 2026**
- Time: 3:30pm – 5:00pm
- Venue: School Hall
- No appointment needed – drop-in

If you cannot attend but would like support, please contact us at the school office to arrange an alternative appointment. Thank you for your continued support.

Dates for this Term:		
Date	Year Group	Activity
October 2026		
Monday 12 th	Year 5	Holdenby House trip (available to consent and pay on ParentMail). Packed lunch needed.
Monday 12 th	Reception 2027	09.15am - School intake tour for September 2027- FULL
Monday 19 th	Whole School	3.30pm-6.30pm - Parents' Evening (live on ParentMail)
		3.30pm-5.00pm -MHST drop-in school hall (see above)
Tuesday 20 th	Whole School	3.30pm-6.30pm - Parents' Evening (live on ParentMail)
		3.30pm-5.00pm -MHST drop-in school hall (see above)
Tuesday 20 th	Whole School	Harvest collection deadline
October 31 st	Year 6	Application deadline for secondary school Sept. 2027
Dates for the Year ahead:		
Date	Year Group	Activity
November 2026		
Wednesday 4 th	Reception 2027	09.15am - School intake tour for September 2027 FULL
Tuesday 24 th	Reception 2027	09.15am - School intake tour for September 2027
December 2026		
Friday 4 th	Reception 2027	09.15am - School intake tour for September 2027
Monday 14 th	Key Stage 2 (Year 3,4,5 & 6)	Christmas Play - 9.15am & 2.00pm
Tuesday 15 th	Key Stage 1 (Year R, 1, & 2)	Christmas Play - 9.15am & 2.00pm
Wednesday 16 th	Whole School	Panto trip to Corby Cube, Aladdin (now available to consent and pay on ParentMail). Packed lunches.

January 2027		
15 th January 2027	Reception 2027	Application deadline for primary school
February 2027		
Monday 8 th 2027	Whole School	3.30pm-6.30pm - Parents' Evening
Tuesday 9 th 2027	Whole School	3.30pm-6.30pm - Parents' Evening
March 2027		
Friday 19 th 2027	Year 5	Class Assembly 09.10am
May 2027		
Friday 7 th 2027	Year 2	Class Assembly 09.10am
Friday 14 th 2027	Year 1	Class Assembly 09.10am
Friday 28 th 2027	Year 3	Class Assembly 09.10am
June 2027		
Friday 18 th 2027	Year 4	Class Assembly 09.10am
Friday 25 th 2027	Year R	Class Assembly 09.10am
July 2027		
Friday 2 nd 2027	Whole school	School Gala, Field - 1pm
Monday 12 th 2027	Whole School	Sports Day, Field - 1pm
Monday 19 th 2027	Year 6	Leavers' Assembly - 1:30pm

Parents' Evenings

Please do not feel you have to wait for Parents' Evenings to discuss a concern. Staff are available every day after school face to face or you can email or phone. No problem is too small!

Class Assemblies take place at 9.10am in the School Hall

A reminder that this event is open to parents and grandparents, no need to book, places are not restricted. Please do not bring babies or pre-school children to these performances. If you need priority seating, please let us know in advance.

Term Break	School Closes	Back to School
October Half term	Friday 23 rd October 2026 - 3.15/20pm	Tuesday 3 rd November 2026
Christmas	Friday 18 th December 2026 - 2pm	Tuesday 5 th January 2027
February half term	Friday 12 th February 2027 - 3.15/20 pm	Monday 22 nd February 2027
Easter	Thursday 25 th March 2027 – 2pm	Monday 12 th April 2027
May Half Term	Friday 28 th May 2027 - 3.15/20pm	Tuesday 8 th June 2027
Summer	Tuesday 20 th July 2027 - 2pm	Thursday 2 nd September 2027

Enjoy the weekend,

Claire Shortt,
Headteacher

If you need to contact us, please follow the link below: -

[Broughton Primary School - Contact Us](#)

Parking near the school

An important reminder for parents and carers to **please be considerate at all times** of our neighbours when parking near the school. This includes not parking on the pavement, not parking on private roads such as West Street and Ivydene Terrace, zig zag lines or dropped kerbs etc. This is for the safety of pedestrians, road users and those living near the school.

Our neighbours ask politely for your co-operation in not blocking their driveways. We have been informed of neighbours missing important appointments and being unable to collect their own children from school on time. They were prevented from leaving their home because a vehicle was blocking their driveway. Thank you.

Harvest collection

We will be holding a food collection during the final week of term in support of the Kettering Food Bank. If you can contribute, we kindly ask for donations of non-perishable items such as tinned goods, long-life milk, pasta, rice, washing liquid, soap, and washing powder.

We kindly ask that donations are brought in to school by Tuesday 20th October; they will be delivered to the food bank on the last day of term. Your support is appreciated and will help make a meaningful difference to those in need. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

Easyfundraising

Broughton Primary School is registered with Easyfundraising, which means you can help us for FREE. Over 8,000 retailers will donate to us when you use Easyfundraising to shop with them – at no extra cost to you. All you need to do is sign up and remember to use Easyfundraising whenever you shop online. It is easy and completely FREE! These donations really mount up, so please do sign up to support us <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/>.

