

Broughton Primary School Newsletter



Monday 5th September 2016

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	Attendance	Unauthorised
Class 2	96.7%	0.0%
Class 3	90.6%	5.0%
Class 4	96.7%	0.0%
Class 5	94.8%	0.0%
Class 6	95.4%	0.0%

Welcome back to the new school year. Hopefully you have all had an enjoyable summer and our children are ready and eager to return to school!

As you will be aware Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 children receive **free school meals** currently, irrespective of income. If you feel that you are eligible for free school meals due to income, even though your child is receiving a free school meal anyway, **it is really important** for us that you **still** apply for free school meals as we receive extra funding as a result of this. In addition, by continuing to claim a free school meal you are also eligible for clothing vouchers for school uniform. See Mrs Bryden in the office if you feel you might be eligible. **If your child has moved into Year 3 they are no longer eligible for the Universal Free School Meal offer therefore you will need to pay £11.00 each week online for school dinners.**

Wednesday 14th September is '**Cycle to Work Day**' so if you can get on your bike, with helmets of course, then please try to cycle to work! I can't cycle on that particular day but will be the following one.

Mrs Bewsher has taken over the role of Special Needs Co-ordinator therefore any queries in relation to Special Needs in school need to be directed to either myself or Mrs Bewsher. She will be released for half a day a week when her class will be taught by Mrs Turpin, our part time teacher who covers staff PPA (Planning and preparation time)

Swimming starts for Year 5/6, Class 6, this Friday for 10 weeks. Please pay an online donation of £18.00 to cover the cost of transport. Children need appropriate swim wear please, full costumes for girls and proper swimming trunks for boys, not knee length shorts as this impedes their swimming ability. The only exception to swimming will be Friday 16th September when there will be no session and this will be added to the end.

On Friday 16th September we are having an '**Eco area tidy up**' afternoon from 1-5.30pm. Please help staff by coming along with spades to help dig over flower beds, clear the greenhouse, do any planting necessary...strong arms needed! Come along at anytime during the afternoon and refreshments will be provided.

Dates for your diary are as follows:

- **Curriculum Evenings** Come and meet your child's classroom staff and find out important information about the year ahead Year 1/2 5.30pm Year 3/4 6.00pm Yr 5/6 6.30pm
- **Eco Area tidy up** 1-5.30pm Friday 16th September
- **KABs Fun Afternoon** Sunday 2nd October 2-4.00pm In school, details to follow
- **Harvest assembly** Friday 7th October 9.10am Led by Class 3
- **Settling in interviews** Monday 10th October 3.30-8.30pm
- **Break up** Friday 21st October Half term Normal time and return Monday 31st October
- **Individual and family photos 9.00am** Wednesday 9th November
- **Class 4 assembly 9.10am** Friday 11th November
- **Christmas Fayre** 6.00pm Tuesday 29th November

Attached with this Newsletter is a Parental Consent Form for trips and photographs which also asks for details of medical conditions. Please complete this form for your child and return to the office **BY FRIDAY OF THIS WEEK PLEASE.** Many thanks.