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Dear Parents,

The teachers have some lovely things planned linked to the new topics and the children are already showing lots of enthusiasm for their learning. In Class 1 this term the children are looking at Fire and The Great Fire of London and in Class 2 the children will look at 'Where our Wellies Take us' Local Study. You should have received the topic web sheet for each of these areas last week, if you did not receive one please let Sarah know.

Every Thursday afternoon all the children will be using the lovely new village hall for PE, all class two children will need to have a complete change of clothes for these lessons, could parents please make sure their child has the appropriate PE kit, please see the PE kit below:

Yellow logo t-shirt (available from school), plain white socks, plain black or navy shorts/jogging bottoms, plain navy tracksuit top & black plimsolls or trainers. Class two will also be doing PE at school on Friday so will need their kit in school until the end of the week.

The children in class one will just need suitable footwear to change into (Plimsolls or trainers).

The Magic Breakfast club is now in full swing, the club starts at 8.40am and we now offer the children toasted bagels, various cereals and orange juice. We would very much appreciate it if any parents are able to offer to help with the club on a rota to help with the serving and clearing up, if you are able to help please let Sarah know in the office.

Thank you for all your continued support.

God bless and have a lovely weekend.

Best wishes from Katie Gray and the staff at Broadhembury School

Harvest Service Sunday 27th September 3pm Broadhembury Church

The Harvest Service will be held in Broadhembury Church on Sunday 27th September at 3pm, the children have been asked to play a part in this Service, please fill in the form below to let us know if your child will be available so we can allocate places. School will have its own Harvest Festival on Thursday 24th. You are welcome to join us for this at 9am in the church.

Broadhembury Village Hall Opening Saturday 26th September 5pm

The school has been invited to do a short performance at the Broadhembury Village Hall opening on Saturday 26th September at 5pm, please fill in the form below to let us know if your child will be able to attend.

Parent & Toddler Group Every other Friday 1.30pm – 3pm Friday 18th September

The parent and toddler group will run every two weeks starting from Friday 18th September; this will be a free group for Parents, Toddlers and Reception Children.

There will be fun family activities including games, music, arts & crafts, cooking etc. Parents will be able to have a chat together over a cup of coffee. At the end of the session everyone is welcome to join our sharing assembly. Please pass this information to anyone else you know who has pre-school aged children. Please let us know if you are interested in attending.

Water bottles

Please could you ensure your children bring a sports cap bottle of **water** to school so that they can have regular drinks during the school day.

Coats

Due to changeable weather recently can you please ensure that your child comes to school equipped for break times. Provided the conditions outside are safe we try to ensure that the children get out but are unable to allow this if they are not adequately attired. Your child needs a waterproof coat and a hat and gloves as the weather gets colder.

School Worship Dates

We will be having morning worship at the church, led by the vicar, on the following dates, 24th September, 8th October, 15th October, 12th November, 19th November, 3rd December & 17th December parents are more than welcome to come and join us at 9am in the church.

Branscombe Harvest Fair Saturday 19th September

The Branscombe Harvest Fair will take place on Saturday 19th September at Branoc Hall and the playing field from 12pm-3pm. There will be a dog show, a tug of war, arena events, crafts, competitions and refreshments. It promises to be great fun, so please do come along and invite all your friends!

Key Dates

Mrs Gray will be in school on Monday next week.

Miss Prince will be spending her Head of Teaching and Learning day (Thursday) at Branscombe next week

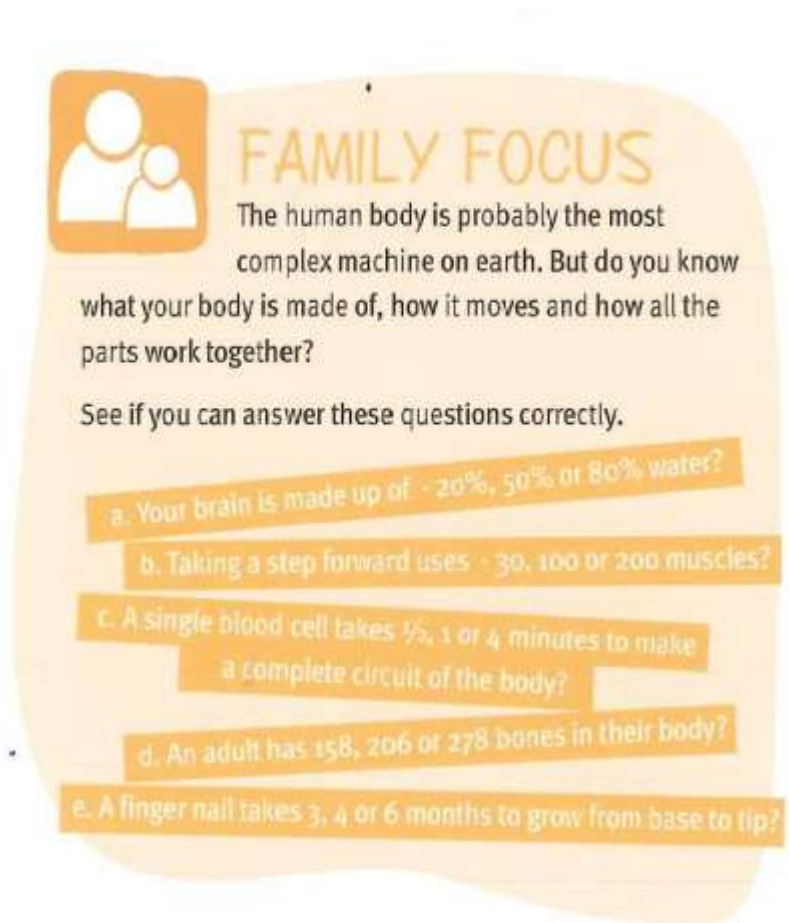
Thursday 24th September – School Harvest Festival 9am Broadhembury Church

Saturday 26th September – Broadhembury Village Hall Opening 5pm

Sunday 27th September - Harvest Service 3pm Broadhembury Church (Harvest lunch from 1pm)

Collective Worship Activity

This term we will be focussing in the school on the value Truthfulness. We hope your family will find these ideas helpful as you explore the value and have fun together. Can you find the 'true' statements in the sentences below?



FAMILY FOCUS

The human body is probably the most complex machine on earth. But do you know what your body is made of, how it moves and how all the parts work together?

See if you can answer these questions correctly.

- a. Your brain is made up of - 20%, 50% or 80% water?
- b. Taking a step forward uses - 30, 100 or 200 muscles?
- c. A single blood cell takes 1/2, 1 or 4 minutes to make a complete circuit of the body?
- d. An adult has 158, 206 or 278 bones in their body?
- e. A finger nail takes 3, 4 or 6 months to grow from base to tip?

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