

Newsletter 26

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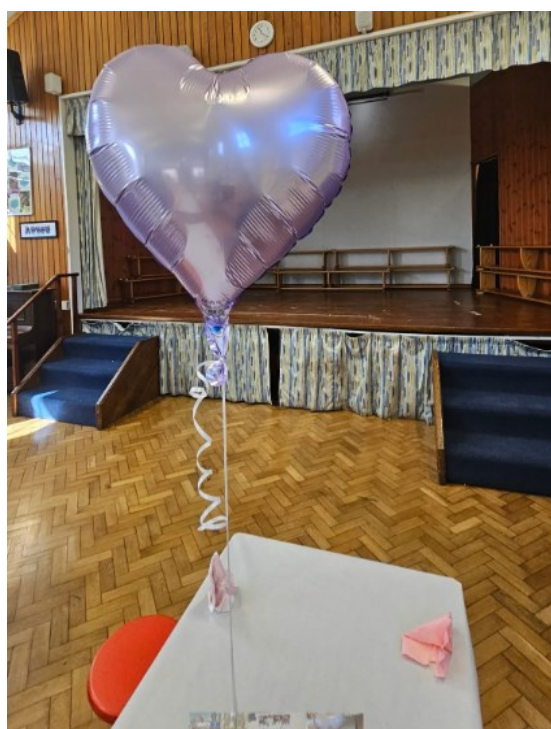
Reminder!

Reminder that we break up for Easter next **Friday 11th April** and pupils return on **Monday 28th April**

Easter top table!

It's that time of year again where we prepare to break up for the Easter holidays and enjoy various celebrations and activities across school - one of which being Mrs Fellow's Easter top table celebration!

Please look out in your child's bag as invited have been sent out today!



On Monday and Tuesday this week both Reception classes enjoyed inviting someone special to them into school to enjoy a 'Loved ones lunch' together. Thank you to everybody who came to enjoy a delicious lunch and a huge thank you to our catering team for working so hard to make this happen!

We have received some really lovely feedback and comments.



COMIC RELIEF

Thank you to all of our families for the donations that you made towards Comic Relief. We raised a total of £332.50 which was made up of a total of £193 from donations raised from our 80's themed day and £139.50 raised from our cake sale. We are very grateful of your support.

Reflections are pleased to announce that they now have an Instagram page.

Here you will find information for upcoming events, service updates and more.



@bchft_reflections



Here is the link to the digital Raring2go! magazine that is full of ideas and events that are going on over the Easter holidays!

[Raring2go! Kidderminster & Stourbridge Spring 2025](#)

Easter sports club

Do you need any childcare plans for the Easter holidays?

The last few spaces remain for the Easter holidays sports club - please complete the online form if you wish for your child to attend:

<https://forms.office.com/e/d8mvMfHg0V>

Can we remind parents and children that bikes and scooters should NOT be ridden on the school playground.

We are really disappointed to see this week a number of children riding around the playground dangerously.

The safety of everybody here at school is our top priority, please support us with this.

UPDATE

It is essential that we are kept up to date with all the relevant contact details for you and your children.

If you have changed your contact numbers / email addresses or have moved house then you need to update us as soon as possible so that we are able to contact you efficiently.

Pupil Achievements



Well done to Norah in Reception for completing her Stanley 4 swimming certificate this week!



Well done to Sofia from Butterflies for achieving her Duckling 1 & 2 swimming certificates!



Well done to Archie in Butterflies for achieving his Duckling 2 swimming certificate!



Well done to Ellie in Butterflies for achieving her Stanley 1 swimming certificate!



Well done to Paige in Butterflies for achieving her Duckling 2 swimming certificate!



Well done to Flo in Year 1 for achieving her Duckling 4 swimming certificate!



Well done to Stanley in Year 2 & Betsy in Butterflies for completing the walk of light for Blood Cancer UK. They managed to raise £500 for the charity that means a lot to them and their family!



Well done to Jensen & Dexter in Year 5 and Holden & Payton in Year 1 for completing a litter pick in the local park!

Dudley Wood Neighbourhood Learning Centre

Upcycling Mosaic Magic



Details: During this 3-week course. You will learn how to create and make your own mosaic coaster from using an old CD, decorate a plant pot or an item of your choice. Understand designs and identify colours that go together to create a harmonious piece.

Safety awareness when using glass tiles and adhesives.

Date: Tuesday 8th April – 6th May 2025

Time: 1pm – 3pm

Venue: Dudley Wood Neighbourhood Learning Centre, DY2 0DB

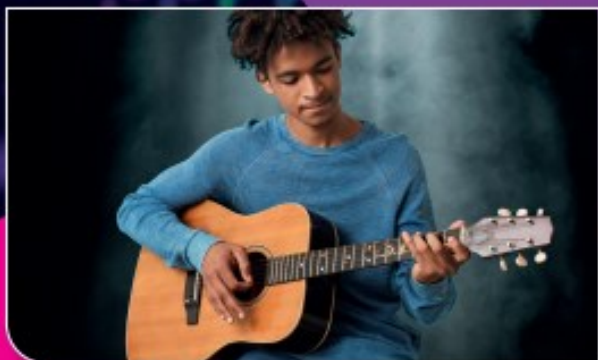
Cost: Free

Contact: 01384 818143 or email: acl@dudley.gov.uk for details

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Learn to play



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Young people can now enrol for discounted music lessons with Dudley Performing Arts.

Lessons take place in school delivered by the biggest provider of music tuition in our area.



Scan the QR code to find out more, including how to enrol.

Alternatively, visit www.dudley.gov.uk and search 'lessons in schools' or phone 01384 813865.

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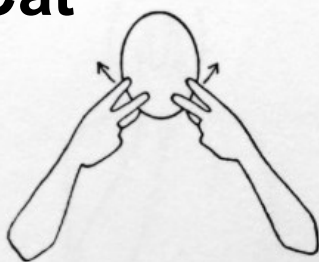
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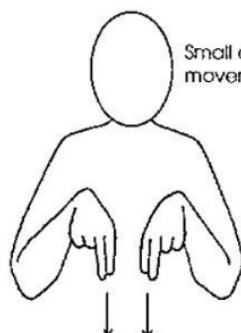
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Makaton signs of the week...

Cat



Small downward movement of hands



Dog

Last weeks attendance:
24/03/25 - 28/03/25
6AH were the highest attendees in KS2 and 1D were the highest in KS1.



Rec B	92.92%
Rec R	95.19%
1D	97.48%
1H	90%
2C	94.67%
2T	91.61%
3F	98.99%
3S	95%
4HD	90.34%
4W	94.83%
5I	93%
5SW	93%
6AH	99%
6E	96.55%
School Total	94.14%
Target	97%



Brook Buddies



****Please ensure you have an updated agreements form completed ****

<https://forms.office.com/e/V2Sw2WJSHb>

Brook Buddies runs every morning and evening. Why not join us for breakfast or some after school fun? Our session times & prices are below:

Breakfast club: 8:00am-8:45am - £3.50

Afterschool club: 3:20pm-5:45pm - £8.00

All bookings must be made by Thursday of the week before you require childcare.

Please note: (Summary from Brook School policy)

Parents should collect their child promptly at the end of a session otherwise you will be charged a fee of **£10.00** to cover staff costs if they are **more than 10 minutes late**. If this situation arises more than three times in one term, their child's place at Brook Buddies may be forfeited!

Please could we remind parents that pay via voucher/tax free payments, you need to send your payments to the Buddies email: buddies@brook.dudley.sch.uk. Please do not send to the school info address as sometimes they may get overlooked and missed.

This week in Buddies we have enjoyed making some Easter bunnies & wooly chicks. We have enjoyed outdoor play in the sunshine too.

Please can we remind parents that if you need help with bookings please use the Buddies email: buddies@brook.dudley.sch.uk
Thank you

Has anyone seen a black pencil case with an A on? It belongs to one of our Buddies children, it's full of felts & highlighters. Please look at home incase your child has picked it up by mistake.