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Introducing Brook Village: A World of Discovery

You may have noticed some exciting work taking place at school recently we're delighted to announce that our brand-new Brook Village is now complete! This special new village has been designed to spark imagination, curiosity, and play for all our Early Years children.

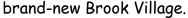
As part of our exciting new Brook Village, we're introducing each of the cottages one by one so you can see how they're helping our children learn and play.

The very first cottage we'd love you to discover is the Sensory Cottage. The Sensory Cottage has been carefully designed to provide a calm, welcoming space where our

children can explore through play, imagination, and discovery. It offers a variety of sensory experiences to support sensory development, while also giving children a quiet and cosy place to relax when they need it.

The children are already enjoying exploring it, and we look forward to seeing the many 💸 ways it will enhance their learning journey.

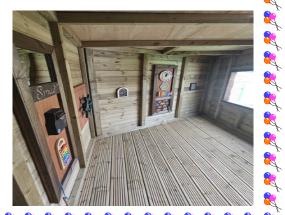
This is just the beginning - join us next week as we introduce the next cottage in our











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We need 2 Parent Governors—Could It Be You?

Do you want to make a real difference to our school? We're looking for two parents to join our Governing Body. Parent Governors help to:

- Make sure every child gets the best education possible
 - Bring a parent's perspective to school decisions
 - Support and challenge the school to keep improving

No experience needed - just enthusiasm, commitment, and a passion for our children's future. Full training and support will be given!

What's in it for you?

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- A chance to shape the direction of our school
- New skills and valuable experience
- The satisfaction of knowing you're helping every child thrive

Interested?

Please pop into the school office for more details and an application from.

Please apply by Friday 3rd October.



Parents Evening

KS2 Monday 6th October KS1 Wednesday 8th October

Booking will be available from Monday 22nd September on School Life.

Please make sure you know your School Life log in details as you will not be able to make Parents Evening bookings over the phone.

Contact Details

It is important that we have the most up to date contact details in case of emergencies. Please make sure that if your phone number, email address or address changes, you notify the school office so that we can update the system.



Meetings for Mrs Fellows, Mr Allen & Miss Nicklin

We value working in partnership with parents and carers to support our pupils. If you have any concerns and the class teacher or year group lead cannot help and you would like to meet with Mrs Fellows, Head Teacher, Mr Allen, Deputy Head Teacher or Miss Nicklin, Assistant Head teacher regarding your concerns, we kindly ask that you make an appointment in advance.

Please do not just drop in without booking an appointment, as our staff may be teaching, in meetings, or otherwise unavailable.

To arrange a suitable time, contact the school office, who will be happy to assist you in booking an appointment. By making an appointment, we can make sure the right amount of time is set aside to chat with you properly.

Thank you so much for your understanding and support.



Help us make our coffee morning a success in aid of Macmillan! Whether you get your bake on or donate some cakes we will greatly appreciate anything at all! Obviously we also need you to come along!

Friday 3rd October in the school hall, access via the hall near the Year 2 entrance



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Well done to Wilbur in Year 3 for being a superstar at football and being awarded Supporters player of the match! \checkmark

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We have a bookcase in our front office with a variety of books for our parents and carers to take to read.

Please feel free to pop in and choose a book to read at home.

Lost Property

One of our parents have unfortunately lost their gold bracelet during the school drop off. If you happen to find anything, please could you hand it into the front office so that we can get it back to its owner.



Walk of

at Mary Steven's Park, Stourbridge

Please join us at the Bandstand in Mary Stevens Park for our annual Walk of Hope in loving memory of all the babies that have gone too soon.

No matter how long ago or the age of the baby who died, we would be honoured to light a candle for them at our Walk of Hope.

We come together to gently remember the lives of the babies we no longer see but whom we treasure in our hearts.

Saturday 11th October 2025

5.45pm ~ Arrive and gather at the bandstand 6pm ~ Short service and candle lighting ceremony 6.20 pm ~ Start your walk around the lake 6.40pm onwards ~ Certificate collection & candle photographs

Family, friends, children and dogs all welcome! Please sign up at

Eventbrite.co.uk - search Walk of Hope 2025

or scan the OR code





Please note this is an event where we come together to honour the memory of our precious babies there is no obligation to donate or raise money.

Due to popular demand we will have donation buckets available should you wish to drop in a coin or note. All monies wil go to the Baby Bereavement Fund at Russells Hall Hospital, helping us to provide meaningful support to families.



Girls' Football Training, ages 5-11 – Join the Fun at Kewford Eagles!

First session:

Saturday 20th September

Time: 9:00-10:30am

Location: Kewford Eagles
Development CentreWhether your daughter is
new to football or already
loves the game, these
sessions are a fantastic
way to build skills, make
friends, and have loads of
fun in a supportive
environment.

Click here to register your daughter and secure her spot! https://app.teamfeepay.com/s/nC21UJmQnS
Spaces are filling fast -don't miss out! [] Cost: Just £5 per week

Email girls@kewfordeagles.co.uk



Curriculum Music Conference®

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Thursday 19th March 2026 Cable Plaza, The Waterfront, Dudley

A day of inspiration for early years, primary and secondary music teachers, featuring practical workshops, discussion sessions, presentations, exhibition and more!

£35 TICKETS for Black Country schools!







Attendance

This week 336 children have had 100% attendance. Well Done!

Well done to class **3B** who have had the highest class attendance this week with **98.89%** Attendance!

Our attendance superstar this week is **Isobel** in Year 6!





Brook Buddies



Brook Buddies parents it's that time again! If you require a place at Buddies this year, please remember you need to fill in a new Buddies agreement, which can be found here:

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

1 form needs to be completed for each child.

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:

7:30am-8:45am - £4.50

Afterschool club:

Full session 3:20pm-5:45pm - £8.00

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

This week in Buddies we have enjoyed looking at mini beasts, we have created some autumn pictures & some leaf bugs.

Please can we remind parents that if they need to book in/cancel spaces to contact Buddies on 07970704158 (you can text out of hours) or email at buddies@brook.dudley.dudley.sch.uk

Could we ask parents to book well in advance if they need spaces as we are very busy at present. Please remember we open at 7:30am & close at 5:45pm. (Your child/children need to be collected by this time!)