



# COMIC RELIEF



Today we have worn red for comic relief! It has been great to see everyone come together and show their support for this fantastic cause.

If you haven't already, please follow this link to make your £1 donation:  
<https://app.parentpay.com/ParentPayShop/Foc/Default.aspx?shopid=20447>

Thank you to everyone who has already donated, we have raised £95 so far.



**FEREDAY'S  
 FIRST RESPONSE**  
 -HELPING YOUR COMMUNITY-

Today we were visited by Fereday's First Response who very kindly donated us a bleed response kit, accepted by 2 members of our school council.

Fereday's First response aims to improve community first aid resources and this kit provides the same equipment as used by paramedics to save lives before emergency services arrive.

Each kit costs around £100 and the charity always welcomes sponsorship or donations. You can do this by contacting them on their Facebook page or reaching out to [feredaysfirstresponse@gmail.com](mailto:feredaysfirstresponse@gmail.com).

**Lightweight Bag with carry handle**

**TraumaFix Dressing**

**Foil Blanket**

**Chest Seal**

**Pen & Info Leaflet**

**Resuscitation Face Shield**



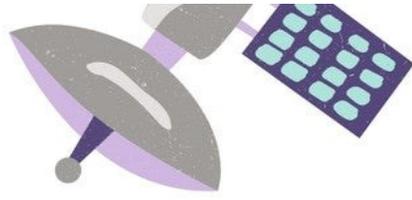
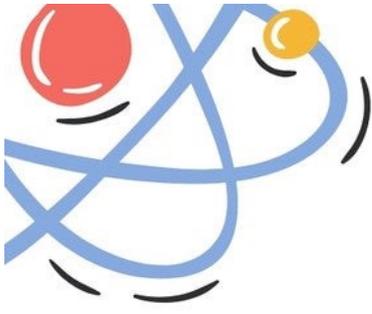
**Tourniquet**

**Emergency Shears**

**Disposable CELOX Gloves**

**Haemostatic Gauze**



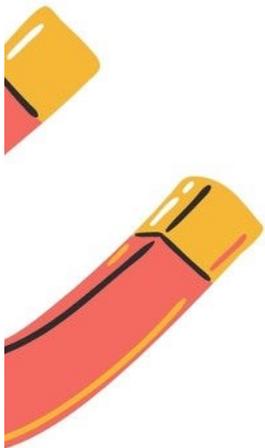


# BRITISH SCIENCE WEEK

Last week, Brook had a fantastic time celebrating British Science Week. This year's theme, 'Curiosity: What's your question?', gave pupils plenty of opportunity to work scientifically asking questions. Similar to previous years, pupils took part in four investigations and created their own question based around a theme. Thank you to everyone who purchased items from the gadget shop - we hope you have enjoyed your purchases! Congratulations to our raffle winners: **Isaac in Year Five and Jacob in Year One.**

Here is a sample of questions that were investigated across the school:

- Does a black pen only have black ink?
- Does the size of a flower affect how quickly the petals open in water?
- Are some animals easier to spot than others?
- How do birds build their nests?



**WHEN IT COMES TO STROKE,  
BE FAST CALL 911**

Any one of these sudden **SIGNS**  
could mean a **STROKE**



**Balance**

Watch for sudden loss of balance



**Eyes**

Check for vision loss



**Face**

Look for an uneven smile



**Arm**

Check if one arm is weak



**Speech**

Listen for slurred speech



**Time**

Call **911** right away

Yesterday, both year 4 classes received a free session from Louise at the Dudley Stroke Association to teach the children about the signs and symptoms of a stroke. This was a very valuable session where the children learnt how to look out for the signs of a stroke, how to ring an ambulance in an emergency, how to put someone into the recovery position and helped them to understand how difficult life can be after a stroke.

The children asked some great questions and gained a lot from the session. Louise sent an email following the session to say that she was extremely impressed with the children's behaviour, listening skill and their thoughtful questions at the end.

The children were all given a few goodies at the end of the session, including a leaflet for them to share with parents and carers at home to spread awareness on the signs to look out for when someone may be having a stroke. We hope the children shared this with you all at home, we are very proud of how mature they all were.

Miss Hughes and Miss Walters

**Raring 2go!**

Click on the link below to view the Raring 2go spring edition magazine!

It is packed full of ideas of things to do during the Easter holidays - some with discounts codes for booking as well as competitions to enter.

<https://magazines.raring2go.co.uk/kid/derminsterandstourbridge/spring2026/>



**Pupil achievements!**



Well done to Autumn who has been awarded her Swim stage 2 certificate and badge!

Spaces are filling up for Easter holidays sports camps! These sessions are always popular and jam packed full of fun sporting activities! Whether it helps with childcare or if children want an extra day with friends - the easter sports camp is the place to be!

# Easter Holiday Camps at Brook Primary School

## Multi Sports

9am - 3.30pm (lunch 11.30am - 12.30pm)

Week 1: Monday 30, Tuesday 31 March, Wednesday 1, Thursday 2 April

Week 2 - Tuesday 7, Wednesday 8, Thursday 9 and Friday 10 April

**Activities include: Archery, Basketball, Football, Dodgeball, tennis, table tennis, rounders and fun games**

**Cost:** 1 day: £20, 2 days: £35, 3 days: £50, 4 days: £70

**For children in Reception to Year 6. Medals and certificates will be given at the end of each week. All sessions will be led by experienced, fully qualified, DBS checked Sports Plus Coaches.**

If you would like to book your child a place on either of the Holidays Camps, please book the sessions you would like them to attend through ParentPay.

(Please note: you will not be charged in the first instance, once we have received your chosen sessions we will send you a reply with details on how to make payment.

Places will not be confirmed until payment is made.



## ATTENDANCE UPDATE



This week **327** children have had **100%** attendance. Well Done!

Well done to class **2H** who had the highest class attendance this week with **100%** Attendance!

Our attendance superstar this week is **Lily** in Year 6!  
Well done Lily!



You may have noticed a police presence on Oak Park road this week, as requested by Mrs Fellows.

This comes as we have received even **MORE** complaints of speeding and inconsiderate parking.

Can we please remind parents and carers to be respectful when it comes to parking around school. We have had rising complaints about people parking in front of driveways, blocking access and even being verbally abusive to residents.



# 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.**

To get in touch, please call our mobile: **07970704158**

Our email is **Buddies@brook.dudley.sch.uk**

This week in Buddies we have been making the most of the sunshine. We have been busy weeding the garden, we have planted some bulbs & flowers and we have planted some seeds too!

\* Parents please help us out by not letting your children run over the garden whilst waiting for the door to open. Thank-you.