

Newsletter

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Your child will return home today with their school report for 2022-23, providing you with information about their achievements, progress and targets for their next steps.

Also inside the envelope you will find:

- Student Update form- Please check the information on the student update form and if any changes need to be made, please do so and return it to the school office ASAP.
- New classteacher slip- You will be informed of who your child's classteacher will be next year. The children will be having a morning with their new teacher on Monday.
- If your child is in Years 1, 2, 4 or 6- they will also receive a slip informing you of their statutory assessment information following the tests conducted this year.
- You will also be sent an email with an attachment to a document that has been created by your child's new year group team. Please read this with your child over the weekend, so that they can find out a little more about the new staff that they will be working with next year.
- Finally, can we ask that you complete the following questionnaires, you simply need to click the links in the email and answer the questions:
 - The first link is for your report feedback, we are keen to know about your child's year, your thoughts about the report and there are also a few further questions about Brook as a school. <https://forms.office.com/e/i7qu9Q0AXJ>
- On Monday 17th July, staff will be available from 3.30pm-4.30pm for a drop-in session, should you need to discuss anything with the classteacher from the report. There are no appointments necessary, we ask that you enter through the main school office.
- If you have any further questions or comments, please don't hesitate to get in touch.

Staffing updates

- Miss Cotterill** - leaving Brook for a new position elsewhere
- Miss Edwards** - leaving us to work for a mental health charity
- Mrs Crump** - beginning her maternity leave over the summer
- Miss Jhally** - leaving Brook for a new position elsewhere
- Mrs Brookes** - leaving Brook for a new position elsewhere



We would like to welcome 2 new class teachers!

Mrs Bishop - our new Reception teacher

Miss Paige - our new Year 5 teacher

Miss Jones will be joining the Teaching Assistant team and the other positions will be covered by staff already in school.

2★23 Brookfest

We would like to say a huge thankyou to everybody who attended Brookfest yesterday, it was a huge turnout and a great success and we are so grateful for all of your support! We're sure you will agree that we had some fantastic performances and are so proud of all of our children!



Transition

Monday morning is transition morning when your child meets their new teacher. Please ensure your child is in school so that they don't miss this opportunity.



Books

The children's school books will be sent home with them on Wednesday- please send an extra bag/carrier bag with them to help carry them home.



Achievers

Invites went out this week- we are excited to celebrate this wonderful achievement!

KS1/Reception Achievers is at 2.30pm on Tuesday 18th July

Year 6 Achievers evening is at 6pm on Wednesday 19th July
following the performance

KS2 Achievers is at 2.30pm on Thursday 20th July



Summer sports camps

Spaces are filling up fast for our summer sports camps but we do have some availability across both weeks! Please complete the following link to if you would like to book your child a place! <https://forms.office.com/e/eWt6JDHthB>

SUMMER CAMPS

Week 1:

Monday 24th—Friday 28th July

Week 2:

Monday 31st—Friday 4th August

SUMMER CAMPS

1 day: £20 | 2 days: £35 | 3 days: £50 | 4 days: £65 | 5 days: £80

FREE Children's Activities at Wordsley Library!

Don't Forget to Join the Summer Reading Challenge and complete our Treasure Trail!

DATE	TIME	EVENT
Saturday 8 th July	All Day	Summer Reading Challenge Launch Day & "Alfie on Holiday" Family Craft Drop In (10am-1pm)
Saturday 15 th July	10.00-1.00	Saturday Lego Club Drop In Session
Saturday 22 nd July	10.00-1.00	Family Craft Drop In
Monday 24 th July	10.30-11.30	Craft – Paper Plate Sporty Frisbee
Wednesday 26 th July	10.30-11.30	Craft – Jungle Animal Parachutes
Saturday 29 th July	10.00-1.00	Family Craft Drop In
Tuesday 1 st August	10.30-11.30	Craft – Football Flag
Friday 4 th August	10.30-11.30	Craft – Wooden Racehorse
Saturday 5 th August	10.00-1.00	Family Craft Drop In
Monday 7 th August	All Week!	Badge Making!
Monday 7 th August	10.30-11.30	Craft – Football Scratch Art Magnets
Wednesday 9 th August	2.00-3.00	Circus Comes to Wordsley with Juggling Jim!
Thursday 10 th August	11.00-1.00	Meet the Police on the Green! (Drop In)
Saturday 12 th August	10.00-1.00	Family Craft Drop In
Monday 14 th August	All Week!	Badge Making!
Monday 14 th August	10.30-11.30	Craft - Ball Catcher
Tuesday 15 th August	10.30-11.30	Craft – Baseball Bear
Friday 18 th August	10.30-11.30	Craft – Animal Gliders
Saturday 19 th August	10.00-1.00	Saturday Lego Club Drop In Session
Monday 21 st August	10.30-11.30	Craft – Cheerleader Pompoms
Thursday 24 th August	2.30-3.30	Lego Workshop
Friday 25 th August	10.30-11.30	Craft – Racing Car Suncatchers
Saturday 26 th August	10.00-1.00	Family Craft Drop In
Wednesday 30 th August	11.00	Professor Black's Magical Animals of the Ancient Egyptians
Wednesday 30 th August	2.00	Professor Black's Magical Animals of the Ancient Egyptians
Thursday 31 st August	2.30-3.30	Craft – Make a Winner's Trophy
Friday 1 st September	10.30-11.30	Craft – Design a Medal
Saturday 2 nd September	10.00-1.00	Family Craft Drop In
Saturday 9 th September	All Day!	End of Summer Reading Challenge Party & Family Craft Drop In (10am-1pm)

Contact the library to book your place!
Phone Wordsley Library on 01384 812765

LIBRARY NOTICE



SUMMERTIME RATTLE & RHYME



AT WORDSLEY LIBRARY

Thursday 27th July - 10.30-11.00
 Thursday 3rd August - 10.30-11.00
 Wednesday 9th August - 10.30-11.00
 Thursday 10th August - 10.30-11.00
 Thursday 17th August - 10.30-11.00
 Thursday 24th August - 10.30-11.00
 Tuesday 29th August - 10.30-11.00
 Thursday 31st August - 10.30-11.00

Attendance % w/c 03/07/2023	
6AH were the highest attendees in KS2 and 2HD were the highest in KS1.	
Well Done!	
Rec SD	93.29%
Rec H/W	92.33%
1CR	93.67%
1ZH	93%
2EB	91.38%
2HD	99.67%
3RT	95.38%
3W/H	96.80%
4AC	93.01%
4LF	94.83%
5C	95.86%
5HI	94.67%
6AH	97.33%
6HT	96.67%
School Total	94.53%
Target	96+%

Brook Buddies

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:

Half session 3:20pm-4:45pm - £5.25

Full session 3:20pm-5:45pm - £8.00

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!

Buddies parents please note:

If you need an emergency place—this needs be paid on Parent Pay no later than 3pm.