Newsletter 12th September 2025

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New Staff Welcome

We would like to welcome two new members of staff!



Miss Brant Teaching Assistant



Mrs Kelly Teaching Assistant

Week 3

Brook Menu 2025

Monday

Battered Fish Fillet Quorn Cottage Pie (v) Served with Mashed Potatoes, Peas & Sweetcorn

Chocolate & Cherry Flapjack



Southern Fried Quorn Nuggets (v)

Served with Waffle Fries & Mixed Vegetables

Strawberry Jam Sponge & Custard

Thursday Butcher's Sausages Salmon Fishcake

Served with Boiled Potatoes, Green Beans, Carrots & Gravy Rice Crispy Cake

Tuesday

Beef Lasagne with Wholemeal Rustic Bread

Fish Finger Bap (v) Served with Salad & Dips

Peaches & Cream

Friday

Cheese & Tomato Pizza (v) Chicken Nuggets Quorn Nuggets (v) Served with Chips & Spaghetti Hoops

Chocolate Ice Cream

Check out our delicious menu for next week!

Don't forget to book your children's meals on Parent Pay before the cut off on Sundays



A Note About Water Bottles

We're so pleased to see that so many of our students are bringing water bottles to school each day—staying hydrated is an important part of learning and staying healthy!

However, we'd like to ask for support in reminding children about safe and sensible water bottle use. Water bottles can be surprisingly heavy and can cause accidents or injuries if they hit someone.

Please take a moment to talk with your child about:

Carrying their water bottle safely, not swinging or throwing it.

Keeping it in their bag, on their desk, or in the designated classroom space when not in use.

Using it only for drinking, not as a toy.

By working together, we can ensure that water bottles continue to serve their purpose—keeping our students refreshed and ready to learn—without creating unnecessary risks in the classroom or playground.

Thank you for your ongoing support in helping us keep our school a safe and happy place for everyone!



We have had numerous complaints from local residents regarding the inconsiderate parking of our parents/carers at our school. We regularly receive complaints about residents having their driveways blocked, their cars blocked in and frequent confrontation when they are asked to move or not block them in.

PLEASE show respect to our neighbours and surrounding community and be mindful of where you park and leave your car. Please do not park over lines, across driveways or block cars in.





Well done to Archie in Year 4 who achieved his first learn to swim award and star of the week during the school holidays!

BROOK PRIMARY SCHOOL

Thursday 18 September 2025 - 9.30am Thursday 9 October 2025 - 2pm Monday 20 October 2025 - 9.30am Wednesday 12 November 2025 - 1.30pm

Brook Primary is a community school, we are proud

RESPECT

PRIDE

RESILIENCE

CHALLENGE

Why not come and see us in action?

Please call the school on 01384 389888 or email at info@brook.dudley.sch.uk to book a date.



https://brook.sch.life











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Children Bereavement Sessions



Session Overview:

- 1. Introduction to Bereavement Understanding loss and what grief can look like.
- 2. Exploring Emotions Identifying and expressing feelings through creative activities.
- 3. Looking Forward Building resilience for the future.

Attendance:

- · We recommend attending all 3 sessions for the full benefit, but this is not compulsory.
- · A parent or carer must attend with their child at each

at Kingswinford Library: 6th September 10.30am - 12:00pm



pafss@marystevenshospice.d

Brierley Hill Library: 11th October Stourbridge Library



Dudley Parent Carer Forum Annual Survey 2025

Helping Children Get

Free Programmes & Workshops

HENRY supports families to build healthier

habits and routines that support children's physical and emotional wellbeing, right from the start and as they grow.

A range of free, friendly and practical sessions are available to parents and carers in Dudley with children aged 0-12,

as well as those expecting a baby.

the Best Start in Life

WANT MORE

NFORMATION?

Dudley Parent Carer Forum are currently running their annual survey regarding SEND (Special Educational Needs or Disabilities) services in Dudley.



The survey is designed for parent carers of children/young people with SEND between the ages of 0-25 and living in Dudley.

The results are completely independently evaluated by the parent carer forum.

The survey takes around 10-15 minutes to complete and enables us to capture the true feelings of parent carers in the borough. The results of this are vital to our work and to ensure that we focus on the things that really matter to you.

Scan the QR code to complete:



Survey open between 1st September - 2nd November 2025





Since we have returned back to school on the 3rd September **345** children have had 100% attendance. Well Done!

Well done to class **3B** who have had the highest class attendance this week with 100% Attendance!

Our attendance superstar this week is **Lexi-Mae** in Year 1!





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.

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!

To get in touch, please call our mobile: 07970704158

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

Please note we now open at 7:30am and close at 5:45pm