



Broadheath Primary School Reception Class Newsletter **June 2025**

Dates for the diary

Tuesday 17th June: 9- 10am Teapot Talk for all parents of children who speak English as an Additional Language

Friday 20th June: PTFA Bounce Event Details to Follow

Wednesday 25th June: EYFS Sports Day Reception 1.30pm Details to follow

Monday 7th July: Reports out to parents and New Classes shared ready for next year

Wednesday 9th July: 3.30-4.30pm Parents Drop In opportunity if you would like to discuss your child's report.

Friday 11th July: Class Swaps Details to follow

Thursday 24th July (3.20pm) Break up for the summer holiday!

Wednesday 3rd September (8.50am) School reopens!

Topics

Our new topic is all about Under the water and at the seaside! We will be looking at sea creatures and naming, describing and sorting them into groups. We are going to read stories related to this topic including The Rainbow Fish and Pirates Love Underpants. We are going to draw and label sea creatures. We will also be doing some science experiments related to our Under the Water theme. We are continuing to work on using a capital letter at the start of a sentence and a full stop at the end and trying to remember to leave a space between each word as well as forming all letters correctly. In maths we are improving our ability to problem solve and to develop our skills in spatial reasoning. We will be telling the time to o'clock and learning the value of different coins. We will also be consolidating some of the different maths skills we have learnt this year in reception. During the Summer term as part of Healthy Lifestyles week we will also be looking at different families, routines of the day, healthy eating and the importance of good hygiene.

Transition into Year 1

In September the children will be moving into Year 1. The children will have an opportunity to go into their new classroom and become familiar with it before we finish for the Summer Holiday. The Year 1 staff will also be sending home a transition leaflet for the children to keep at home and share with you. On Friday 11th July in the morning, it will be class swap day. The children will line up that morning ready to go into Year 1 instead of Reception. (Details to follow)

Reception Fund

Your weekly contributions of £1 are gratefully received. This goes towards providing baking, play dough ingredients and buying new resources. Without your support we would not be able to continue with these activities.

Reading and library Books

We will collect in all the reading and library books in on **Friday 18th July** and give out new ones in September. All children have made fantastic progress in their reading this year, please continue to read with your child and visit the library over the summer.

Library Books

We visit the school library every week . RE on a Wednesday and RHB on a Friday and really enjoying choosing a new book to bring home. Please ensure your child has their library book in school every Wednesday or Friday to swap it for a new one. If a library book has got lost either donate a good quality book or send in a donation of £5 towards a new book. If you are unsure which was the last library book your child had please ask your child's class teacher, as we do keep a log of which books have been borrowed. Thank you.

Water Bottles

Please can you ensure that your children are bringing in water to school and not juice in their water bottles. Thank you

PE and Earrings

PE lessons are on a Tuesday for RE and Mondays for RHB. Please can you ensure that the children are NOT wearing ear rings for PE days. The children need to come into school in their PE kits on their PE day. **They will need to wear navy or black jogging bottoms, a plain white T shirt and a navy tracksuit top or their school jumper. They can wear trainers or pumps.**

Please ensure that ALL uniform including school jumpers, PE tops and trainers and shoes are clearly labelled with your child's name.

Illness

If your child has a high temperature, please keep your child off school until the temperature has settled and they feel well enough to return to school. If your child is poorly with sickness or diarrhoea please keep them at home for at least 48 hours after the last bout, until they are well.

Thank you for your support.

Sun Cream

As summer is here, we thought it would be worth mentioning sun cream now. Due to the nature of the play-based curriculum your child/children can choose to be outside for much of the day. With this in mind we suggest that, when necessary, **you send your child to school having applied the 'all day' lotions.** A labelled hat or cap should also be brought to school every day. Please ensure that this is named.

Thank you for all your support this year. All the children have made brilliant progress. Please remember if you have any questions, please do not hesitate to speak to us.

The Reception Team