

Bramley Sunnyside Infant School





Newsletter 36 Summer Term 27th June 2024









Reminder: School Inset Day - Friday 28th June 2024

The school will be closed tomorrow to all children to allow statutory staff training to take place.

Finishing Time for the Summer Holiday

On the last day of term, Tuesday 23rd July 2024, all children will finish school at the earlier time of **2.00pm**.

Picture This Exhibition



This week Mrs Fitzgerald & Mrs Frost had the pleasure of setting up our children's art work in an exhibition called Picture This. The Picture This Art Exhibition is an opportunity for schools to showcase children's art work along with schools in the authority. In the summer term the children began our picture this exhibition working with the land artist James Brunt. The children have continued to develop their art skills working on the theme of 'rewilding'. As a family you are warmly invited to visit the Picture This Exhibition at the Rotherham United football ground. The children's exhibition is open to the public on Saturday 29th June or Saturday 6th & 13th July between 10am and 1pm. If you would like to visit the exhibition please report to RUFC main reception where security staff will direct you to the exhibition.

Summer Reading Challenge

We had a wonderful assembly this week with Mrs French from Wickersley Library . She told us all about this year's Summer Reading Challenge and showed us the amazing prizes children will receive for taking part!

Be sure to sign up at Wickersley Library from 6th July to get started.



The Summer Reading Challenge is a free reading program for children aged 4-11 years old. It encourages children to read for pleasure over the summer holidays by setting them a challenge of reading six or more library books. Please see the attachment for more details.

Sports Day Reminders

All Sports Days (4.7.2024 - FS1 @ 9.30am & 1.30pm & 5.7.2024 - FS2, Year1 & Year2 @ 9.30am) will be held



on the school field. Children should come in PE kit on these days and we would ask that you ensure you have applied sunscreen to your child that morning.

Please make sure your child also brings a water bottle to drink during Sports Day. Please note no jewellery including earrings to be worn.

Families are welcome to come and watch and cheer the children on. Please make your way to the school field outside the cordoned area, where the children and staff will join you once the registration has been completed. The children will complete a number of events which will be organised in a 'clock' formation. The children will stay in their class and move around the 'clock' completing each event. Families will be able to move round the events in order to watch and encourage the children.

We will also be looking for volunteers for the adult races at the end of Sports Day. I am sure that it will be a hugely enjoyable event and look forward to seeing you all there.

Grateful thanks go to Mrs Somerset, our P.E. lead and Mr Mimms, our Live and Learn Sports coach, for the tremendous amount of work that goes into organising the event.

Please note that the exit from the school grounds at the end of Sports Day will be via the gate on Linden Avenue



Holiday Club at Bramley Sunnyside Junior School

A holiday club will be running for children in Years 2 to 6. It will be held at Bramley Sunnyside Junior school over the summer holidays. Please see attached poster for further information and details of how to book a place.

Reminder: Please DO NOT report absence via Class Dojo. When your child is absent from school, please call



the school office before 8.30am on each day of the absence leaving your details and the reason for your child's absence. Safeguarding procedures dictate that, should school not receive an absence notification from the initial text and phone call, a member of staff will visit the home address to ascertain the reason for the absence.

Term Dates for 2024

Please ensure that leave in term time for holiday reasons is avoided and all holidays are taken when school is closed (see term dates for 2024 below). Thank you.

School Opens	
Monday 8 th January 24	Friday 9 th February 24
Tuesday 20 th February 24	Thursday 28 th March 24
Monday 15 th April 24	Friday 24 th May 24
Monday 3 rd June 24	Tuesday 23 rd July 24

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Dates to note

4th July 2024 FS1 Sports Day (9.30am & 1pm) 5th July 2024 FS2/YR1 & YR2 Sports Day – 9.30am

Please ensure that children are wearing their P.E. Kit and earrings are removed for Sports Day.

17th July 2024 Year 2 Leavers assembly @ 2pm

18th July 2024 Transition day in new class (children will spend time each day in their new class but

should still be brought and collected from their current class).

19th July 2024 Transition day in new class
22nd July 2024 Transition day in new class
23rd July 2024 Last day with current teacher

23rd July 2024 School closes at the earlier time of 2pm

Inset Days 2024/2025

Monday 2nd September 2024 Monday 4th November 2024 Monday 24th February 2025 Friday 2nd May 2025 Friday 27th June 2025