Bramley Sunnyside Infant School

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Dear Parent/Carer

Learning from home just got more exciting with Discovery Education Espresso

We are pleased to announce that you and your child can access the award-winning Discovery Education Espresso service from home.

We use Discovery Education Espresso in school to help motivate, engage and support learning in the classroom. Now your child can continue to enjoy what they have been doing at school, and you can be involved in their learning at home.

About Discovery Education Espresso

Espresso is an online cross-curricular service that provides video-rich resources to schools throughout the UK. It contains thousands of videos and multimedia activities, as well as a weekly news service — all designed by teaching professionals. For more information, please visit: www.discoveryeducation.co.uk/espresso

How to access Discovery Education Espresso from home

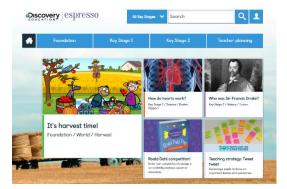
To access Discovery Education Espresso from home

- go to www.discoveryeducation.co.uk
- click the 'Login' button in the top right corner
- select 'Espresso'
- enter your child's username and password. These details can be found on page 2.

Getting started

Your child should already be familiar with Espresso. They could show you how they have been using it in class and how to find resources. Once you are familiar with the service, you and your child may like to explore Espresso's *Online safety* modules designed to help children develop a better understanding on how to use technology safely and respectfully.

We hope you will find Discovery Education Espresso useful as a resource to extend your child's learning. If you have any further questions about how to use the service, please speak to your child's teacher.





Pupil Home Access Login

Go to our website: www.discoveryeducation.co.uk

Click on "login" and select "Espresso"

Enter your username: student27402

Enter your password: bramley



Reading Race

Well done to Unit 1 AM, Unit 1 full time and Unit 4 for achieving the highest reading scores last week! Reading an average of 5 times a week is an amazing achievement and we are very proud of you! A special well done to Unit 4, who are maintaining their fantastic high score! Keep up the home reading!

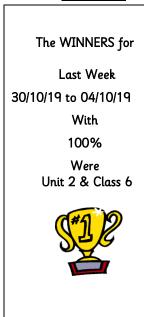
Average read per child:

Unit/Class	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7
Unit 1 AM	n/a	n/a	3	3	5		
Unit 1 full time	n/a	n/a	3	4	5		
Unit 1 PM	n/a	n/a	3	2	3		
Unit 2	2	5	4	6	4		
Unit 3	2	4	4	4	4		
Unit 4	2	5	5	5	5		
Class 5	2	4	4	4	4		
Class 6	2	3	4	4	4		
Class 7	2	3	4	3	3		
Class 8	3	5	4	5	4		
Class 10	3	5	4	4	4		

Number of reads per class:

Unit/Class	Week 1	Week 2	Week 3	Week 4	Week 5	Week 6	Week 7
Unit 1 AM	n/a	n/a	80	85	124		
Unit 1 full time	n/a	n/a	48	55	67		
Unit 1 PM	n/a	n/a	52	40	44		
Unit 2	51	109	103	140	122		
Unit 3	45	105	101	104	107		
Unit 4	56	128	125	131	133		
Class 5	73	108	134	127	111		
Class 6	53	102	115	106	104		
Class 7	61	100	117	114	106		
Class 8	91	144	134	135	114		
Class 10	89	136	122	131	125		

Attendance



WELL DONE!

Class Attendance (last week)					
Unit 2 Unit 3 Unit 4 Class 5	100% 99.1% 91.3% 98%				
Class 6 Class 7 Class 8	100% 98.0% 95.3%	\(\frac{1}{2}\)			
Class 10 Whole School Overall	98.7% 97.7%				
FS2 YR1/2	96.8% 97.7%				

Happy Home Learning Foundation Stage 1

This week we have been learning the rhyme 3 autumn leaves. Go on an Autumn walk with your grown up around the park or in the garden. Talk about the change in season and the changes that occur. You could also take a small bag with you to collect your autumn treasure.

FS2 Homework

Literacy

Make a small box model of your favourite nursery rhyme eg. Incy Wincy Spider, Humpty Dumpty. Sing the nursery rhyme and listen for the words that rhyme.

Number

Go on an Autumn walk with a grown up around the garden or to the woods. Talk about the season and the changes that occur. Take a small bag with you and collect some Autumn treasures eg. Leaves, conkers, acorns and bring them into school on Monday.

Y1 and Y2 Homework

Y1 Spellings

Look at 'oo'-sound words - look looking book cook took

What **mystery spellings** could there be? i.e other words that have this **'oo'** sound. How many can you think of?

Y1 common exception words;

we he she me be

Y1 Numeracy:

Choose a number between 2 and 5, how many different ways can you split this into 2 parts?

For example,

My whole amount is 4

I can split it into: -

3 and 1, 4 and 0, 2 and 2 repeat for all the numbers within 5.

Y2 Spellings

Words with a 'j' sound jaw jacket jar join jump

Y2 common exception words; every again child children

Y2 Numeracy:

We are noticing in our daily fluency part of the maths lesson that many children are not secure with counting backwards in ones, especially when crossing a multiple of ten. (20 30 40). Please practise counting backwards from these numbers 25 29 36 38 44 49

Practise making and recalling addition bonds for 6 7 8 9 and 10 to also help develop your child's mathematical fluency.

Inset Days 2019/2020

Monday 4th November 2019 Friday 14th February 2020 Friday 19th June 2020 Monday 20th July 2020

Diary Dates

w/c 14/10 Parent Consultations

21/10/19 Harvest Festival @ St Francis Church (YR1 & YR2)

14/11/19 Year 2 Children - Coding Robotics & Drones 14th November @ 13.00-15.15

Holiday Dates:

October half term - 28th October to 1st November. (1 week)
Christmas - 23rd December to 3rd January. (2 weeks)
February half term - 17th February to 21st February. (1 week)

Easter - 6th April to 17th April. (2 weeks)

May Day - Friday 8th May.

Spring Bank - 25th May to 29th May. (1 week)

Summer - 21st July (6 weeks)