

Brookland Infant and Nursery School

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Enjoyment of learning, achievement for all

Jeans for Genes Day



Thank you for supporting **Jeans for Genes day**

We raised £300

PE



Some of our PE lessons are now taught by a PE coach from G C Sports Ltd. Mr Caslake our new PE coach is enjoying teaching our children and our children are enjoying their PE lessons with him.

Forest School

Forest School sessions will restart in January. The sessions will be delivered by a Level 3 Forest School Leader from Be Free Forest Schools. More details to follow nearer the time.



Learning Heroes



We are very excited to be launching our newly designed Learning Heroes.

Look out for the leaflet coming out soon that will give you more information about this.

Nursery Application Process - 2023/24

Applications are now being accepted for children born between 1st September 2020 and 31st August 2021 to start September 2024. We now accept applications for nursery places anytime during the academic year after a child's second birthday. The closing date for applications for starting nursery in September 2024 will be midday on Wednesday 6th March 2024.



Our online Application form is available on our school website at https://brooklandinfants.herts.sch.uk/

Or a paper Application form from the school office

We offer a limited number of 30 hour places

School Photographer

On Monday 16th October Sue Johnson of Imagination will be in school taking photographs

Sue will be taking individual and family photographs (children only)

All the children in the infant and nursery will have an individual photograph taken and a photo with their sibling (if they have a sibling in our school) during the day.

Proofs of photographs will be given to you when they are ready together with an order form (There is no obligation to buy)

'Family' Photographs including children not in the infant & nursery school

If you would like younger children (not in our nursery) and/or Junior children included in a family photograph these will be taken from 7.45am to 8.45am in the infant school. If you would like to take up this option please bring all your children to be included in this photograph to the infant school between the above times.

If you choose to take up this option you should be prepared to wait in a queue for possibly 15mins. You will also be expected to supervise your own children during this time. For safety reasons children will not be allowed to run around in the school.

Arbor Parent Portal and App

We are pleased to announce we have launched our Arbor Parent Portal this week and a welcome email should have been sent to all parents we have email addresses for. Using the portal will allow you view your child's attendance data and allows you to keep contact details and personal information up-to-date. Arbor will also allow us to gradually reduce the number of apps that parents have to currently use.

We will be taking Parents Evening Consultation bookings using the Arbor Portal next week, so please ensure you activate your account by this Friday 6^{th} October so you can book your appointment.

Please email the school office at <u>admin@brooklandinfants.herts.sch.uk</u> if you require any support with accessing your account.



