



# Brookland Infant and Nursery School

## NEWSLETTER

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Spring 1  
January 2022

**Enjoyment of learning, achievement for all**

### Diary Dates

Please note: dates below may be subject to change at short notice

#### January 2022

Monday 24 <sup>th</sup>	Skipping Workshops - Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 during the school day
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Monday 31 <sup>st</sup>	Year 1 Wow day - Moon Landing workshops
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#### February 2022

w/b Monday 7 <sup>th</sup>	Parent Consultations - details to follow
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Friday 11 <sup>th</sup>	Non-Uniform Day - in support of medical treatment for Arianna
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Half Term  
Monday 14<sup>th</sup> - Friday 18<sup>th</sup>

#### February 2022

Monday 21 <sup>st</sup>	Year 1 Wow day - Magical Toy Museum workshops
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#### March 2022

w/b Monday 7 <sup>th</sup>	World Book Week
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Friday 18 <sup>th</sup>	Red Nose Day
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Thursday 31 <sup>st</sup>	Last session for nursery afternoon children
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Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> April	End of Term - school closes at 1.30pm
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### Non-Uniform Day – Friday 11<sup>th</sup> February

On Friday 11<sup>th</sup> February we will be supporting Arianna and the Pentney family (Jaxon in Maple class) by holding a non-school uniform day. Please see the letter attached from the family explaining why they would be grateful for the support of our Brookland community. Arianna has been diagnosed with a rare and aggressive cancer which requires treatment from abroad. As a school we are supporting the Pentney family by hosting this non-school uniform day. If you would like to support the family by making a donation please follow this link:

<https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/brooklandinfantnonuniform>

Alternatively you can send in a cash donation on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> February and we will send all donations on to the family.

You can find out more information and follow Arianna's story at Facebook- <http://www.facebook.com/ariannatherealwonderwoman/>

## Nursery Application Process – 2022/23

Applications are now being accepted for children born between 1<sup>st</sup> September 2018 and 31<sup>st</sup> August 2019 to start September 2022. 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 2022 will be midday on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> March 2022.



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

## Good News - Well Done Junior School



Well done to our colleagues at Brookland Junior School and their pupils as they achieved a rating of 'Good' following their recent Ofsted in December.

Read the report at: <https://reports.ofsted.gov.uk/provider/21/117233>

## BUG Club – Year 1 & Year 2

Please remember to log on regularly to Bug Club with your child.

You can access Bug Club via this link:

<https://www.activelearnprimary.co.uk/login?c=0&l=0>

When you log-in you will find your child's allocated book under the "My Stuff" tab.

Each child has their own account with their own username and password. This information has been sent out to you previously but if you need a reminder please email your child's class teacher via the class email address.



## School Meal Booking System

Please remember to order your child's meals on SchoolGrid.

- Lunch orders need to be placed before 8:55am on the day
- If your child is absent please remember to cancel their meal
- If no lunch order is received, a Jacket Potato will be provided for your child
- You can place meal orders up to 10 weeks in advance

If you need any support with the SchoolGrid system please contact the School Office.



# Reminders

As our letter to you said last week we are currently in an 'outbreak' situation due to the number of positive COVID cases within the school. This will be reviewed on 1<sup>st</sup> February when hopefully cases will have reduced.

Please support us by:

- Adults wearing face coverings when in the school grounds
- Wearing a face covering if you need to come into the school
- Testing - anyone (children and adults) who has a positive case within their household should LFD test daily for a minimum of 7 days and book a PCR immediately if they also start to show symptoms.

Please continue to send your child to school:

- ✓ If they are well.
- ✓ If your child has been identified as a close contact by NHS Track and Trace, they should have daily Lateral Flow Tests for seven days. (Children aged 5 and over)

Please keep your child at home:

- ✗ If they are displaying any symptoms of being unwell.
- ✗ If your child is displaying **Covid 19 symptoms (even if they are mild)** please book your child a PCR test. Your child needs to **isolate** until a negative result is received, or for 10 full days after their symptoms started.

If your child has a negative Lateral Flow Test on day 5 and 6 (taken 24 hours apart), they can return to school on day 6. The negative LFT tests should be logged with the NHS and emailed to [admin@brooklandinfants.herts.sch.uk](mailto:admin@brooklandinfants.herts.sch.uk) before your child returns to school

## Safety Alert – Nuby recalls kids water bottles

Find out which bottles are affected and what to do if you've bought one - read more at:

<https://www.which.co.uk/news/2022/01/safety-alert-nuby-recalls-kids-water-bottles/>



Nuby has issued a recall for certain batches of its Incredible Gulp and Super Quench cups, due to a potential choking hazard.

The recall applies to all Incredible Gulp and Super Quench cups purchased from the Nuby UK website, Asda, Morrisons, Tesco and Boots between 1 November 2021 and 14 January 2022. If you've purchased one of these products, you should stop using it immediately. Nuby is offering a full refund for all those that purchased an affected product.

