



Brookland Infant and Nursery School

Enjoyment of learning, achievement for all

Spring 7 – March 2025

NEWSLETTER

Staffing News



We are very sad to be informing you that Miss Mitchell has decided to take the opportunity to work as a Deputy Head in a Primary School covering Nursery to Year 6 which is closer to home for her. She will start her new post after the Easter Holidays.

Since Miss Mitchell started with us in April 2021, she has been an incredible support to staff and children across the school. Some of her great strengths are how innovative and creative she is, as well as being such a hard worker. We will miss her very much.

World Book Day

Last week we had a very busy week preparing for World Book Day, the children took part in different activities to encourage their love of reading. On Tuesday, we had a special visitor at Brookland Infants- Chloe Inkpen who is an author and illustrator came to do workshops throughout the day for the children. The children learnt about how to develop characters and illustrations and took part in telling a story. The children also had the opportunity to have a go at creating their own characters.

On Wednesday, children from the Junior school came to read stories with the children in reception. On Friday morning, Year 2 had the opportunity to visit the Junior school and enjoyed sharing stories and writing in the sunshine with the children in Year 3. Year 1 also had a reading session with children from Year 4 who came to visit them on Friday afternoon.



The children had a fabulous and very colourful Friday coming to school dressed in their fantastic World Book Day Outfits.



Red Nose Day- Friday 21st March

To support Comic relief, we would like to invite Children to wear something red to school on Friday 21st March.

Comic Relief gives money it raises to thousands of charities to help people living tough lives in the UK and around the World- <https://www.comicrelief.com/rednoseday/>

Donations can be made using our Just Giving Link [Brookland Federation- Red Nose Day](#)



MUGA

Please could we ask that parents ensure that children do not use the MUGA before and after school, this area is only for use by children during the school day when a member of staff is present. Recently we have had equipment set up for PE and after-school club sessions removed by unsupervised children, which has resulted in delays to the start of sessions. Could we also remind parents that children need to be supervised by an adult at all times in all areas of the playground.



Diary Dates

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

March 2025

Friday 21 st March	Red Nose Day- Children can wear something red
Wednesday 26 th -Thursday 27 th March	Parents evening consultations
Thursday 27 th March	Cherry class Mother's Day celebration- 11:00am & 2:45pm

April 2025

Thursday 3 rd April	Last day of term for Cherry Class afternoon only children
Friday 4 th April	End of term- School closes at 1:30pm
Tuesday 22 nd April	Children return to school