



BROOKVALE PRIMARY SCHOOL BULLETIN

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Monday 20th September	RECEPTION—Bring in bottles, tubes, yoghurt pots, plastic lids which can be used for 'Junk Modelling' that Reception will use to make houses this week. 9.30—10.30 on the playground- Eagles Enrolment Morning for FREE Adult Learning Course
Tuesday 21st September	Y5 SWIMMING Y6 SWIMMING
Wednesday 22nd September	Year 2 PE Year 3 PE
Thursday 23rd September	Year 1 PE Year 4 PE
Friday 24th September	Reception PE MacMillan Coffee Morning has been CANCELLED as we are awaiting an update from SAGE to confirm when we can welcome parents into school for events

ALL Children MUST have their PE kit in school for the whole half term.

Please ensure that all School Uniform, PE kits including pumps, trainers and coats are clearly labelled with your child's name.

Unfortunately we cannot return lost property that is not named.

SCHOOLMONEY AND TEXT MESSAGES

Unfortunately there are still ongoing issues with SCHOOLMONEY AND TEXT MESSAGES.






We are trying to get this issue resolved as soon as possible.

If you do wish to make a booking for Dinners or Breakfast Club please call or email the office who can do this.

When booking dinners please give at least a days notice as meals are ordered by 9.30am with Chartwells.

Lunch Menu

Week 1

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Hot Main Dish	Golden Fishfingers And Chips 	Hot Chicken/Halal Sandwich with Potato Wedges	Roast Chicken/Halal with Roast Potatoes and Gravy 	Beef /Halal Meatballs With Pasta ** 	Cheese and Tomato Pizza With Doughballs
Alternative Dish	Quorn Dippers and Chips	Mac N Cheese (V) 	Quorn Roast with Roast Potatoes and Gravy 	Quorn Hot Dog With Potato Wedges	Chinese Veggie Noodles (V)
Salads	A Selection of Fresh Salads Including Lettuce, Cucumber, Tomato, Grated Carrot.				
Jacket Potato	Jacket Potato With A Choice Of Fillings				
Pasta	Tomato Pasta ** (V) A delicious fresh, homemade tomato sauce with penne pasta				
Vegetables	Peas Baked Beans	Peas Broccoli	Carrots Cabbage	Broccoli Sweetcorn	Green Beans Sweetcorn
Desserts	Chocolate and Raspberry Swirl Cake	Secret Brownie	Shortbread Biscuit with Fruit Slices*	Berry & Peach Oaty Crumble* with Custard	Raspberry Ripple Ice Cream
Cool Water, Fresh Fruit, Freshly Baked Bread and Yoghurt available daily *Fruit Based **Wholegrain ***Oily Fish (V) Vegetarian					

Please ensure that you book your child's meal on **SCHOOLMONEY KS2 ONLY**
You have up until midnight the day before.

If you do not book a meal please provide your child with a packed lunch.

Reminder—NO NUTS OF ANY KIND IN SCHOOL

Children can **ONLY** bring in water in their water bottle to drink during the school day,
anything else will be poured away and replaced with water.

FIZZY DRINKS are not allowed in school at any time.

COVID Guidelines

Individuals are not required to self-isolate if they live in the same household as someone with COVID-19, or are a close contact of someone with COVID-19, and any of the following apply:

- ***they are fully vaccinated***
- ***they are below the age of 18 years and 6 months***
- ***they have taken part in or are currently part of an approved COVID-19 vaccine trial***
- ***they are not able to get vaccinated for medical reasons***

Children and young people who attend an education or childcare setting and who have been identified as a close contact, should continue to attend their setting as normal.

This means – If a child demonstrates symptoms of Covid-19 (no matter how mild), they should be kept at home, take a PCR test and only return when a negative result is received. Other members of the household do not need to isolate if any of the above criteria are met.

This also means – children/staff in classes where there has been a positive confirmed Covid-19 case will no longer need to isolate/be sent home as part of a 'bubble'.

Bubble Closures

Settings will continue to have a role in working with health protection teams in the case of a local outbreak. If there is a substantial increase in the number of positive cases in a setting, the Department for Education may advise that school close individual class bubbles to help bring infection under control.

Contingency plans (sometimes called outbreak management plans) are already in place to help break chains of transmission and therefore minimise disruption to the school community.

Control Measures

Although some measures have been eased, as a school we will continue to implement control measures that will minimise the likelihood of a significant outbreak. These measures include:

- ***Ensuring good hygiene for everyone, through regular hand washing and sanitising***
- ***Maintaining appropriate cleaning regimes, with additional cleaning carried out throughout the school day***
- ***Keeping occupied spaces well ventilated – school will also install carbon dioxide monitors to ensure ventilation is appropriate***
- ***Following public health advice on testing, self-isolation and managing confirmed cases of COVID-19.***

Remote education

In the event of a localised outbreak/bubble closure, school will continue to provide a high-quality remote learning offer to pupils. This will follow the same format as that delivered during the spring term of 2021

The remote education provided will be equivalent in length to the core teaching pupils would receive in school.

Everyday School Life

We recognise that the past 18 months have been difficult for all in our school community and many of you have missed out on important moments in your children's school experience, e.g. performances, working in class with your child etc. With easing of national measures, we have made the decision to re-introduce these events. However, this will be done in a controlled and measured way and will only take place if national guidance allows. Please look out for the events calendar following later this week.

We are incredibly grateful for the ongoing support of our community and go into this new year with hope that some 'normality' will return for our children.

Should you have any questions or suggestions about the measures, please do not hesitate to contact the school office.