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NEWSLETTER

Autumn Term 2023

Letter 5

6th October

Headteacher's notes...

We started this week thinking about all the things we can do and how we often learn by making mistakes. Sometimes we give up because we can't do things first time but by showing some resilience we can say "I can't do it yet... but I will try!" We have seen lots of examples of this across the school and the children have been so pleased when they have achieved something that they had found difficult. Your support with the children's learning is always much appreciated and there have been some wonderful homework projects on display recently – thank you. We are looking forward to sharing these successes with you at our Open Afternoon next week and Parent Consultations the following week.



We have taken part in the first sports tournament of the year this week, organised by the Hunts Schools Sports Partnership (HSSP). Children from Key Stage 1 participated in a multi skills festival – well done to everyone!

Parent Consultations

These are being held virtually on Tuesday 17th October, Wednesday 18th October and Thursday 19th October and bookings are now open. The website you need is <https://bramptonvillage.schoolcloud.co.uk/> and there is a link to this on the front page of the school website, along with various guides.

Open Afternoon

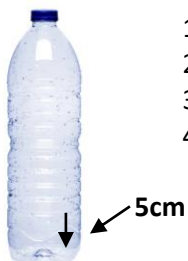
We are holding an Open Afternoon on Wednesday 11th October which starts at the end of school until 4.15pm. This is an opportunity for you to come into school to view some of your child's work from this term but please note that this is not the time to discuss matters with the teachers.

Year 6 Transition to Secondary School – Application Process

The deadline for secondary school applications is 31st October 2023. If you apply online by this date you will get an offer for a place on 1st March 2024 by email. For further information please contact the school or visit www.cambridgeshire.gov.uk/admissions.

Poppies

Thank you for all the bottles that have been sent in this week for our poppy display. A reminder that we would be grateful if each child could bring in the bottom of a plastic bottle which we can then paint in school for the display.



1. Measure 5cm from the bottom of the bottle and cut this off.
2. Send the bottom part of the bottle into school.
3. The rest of the bottle can go for recycling.
4. If you have more than one bottle available that is great – the more poppies we can make the better!

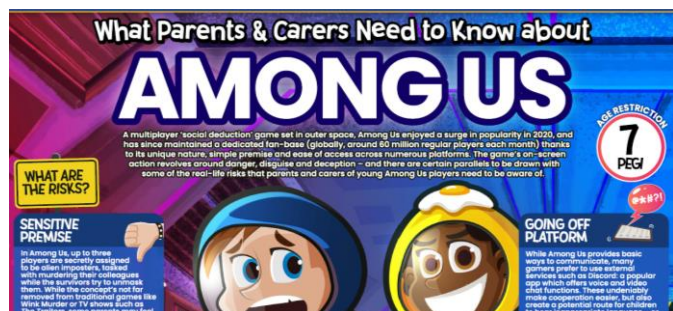
Please send into school before Monday 16th October – thank you!



Before and After School

Please can we remind all parents/carers that they should not come into the classrooms at the start or end of the day. Staff are usually outside at the end of the day and will be able to speak with you at this point. If there is an urgent message or need for an appointment please let staff in the school office know.

Contacting staff is best done through emailing the school office (office@brampton.cambs.sch.uk) or phoning 01480 375063 as any messages will be passed on.



Parent Computing Guide

Among Us - multiplayer game

PTA NEWS

AGM

Our AGM is on **Wednesday 11th October, 7.30pm**, everyone is welcome, this will be in school.

LOTTERY

Did you know?

Our weekly lottery has a guaranteed cash winner within the school every week. Tickets cost just £1 and you have a chance to win the £25,000 jackpot too. To start supporting, visit:

<https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/brampton-village-primary-school>

Many thanks, PTA Team.

What's On Next Week

Monday 9th October

Tuesday 10th October

Wednesday 11th October

Thursday 12th October

Friday 13th October

HSSP Yr 3&4 Mixed Football 3:15 – 4:15pm

Yr 6 Mixed Tag Rugby 3:30 – 4:15pm

Open Afternoon (after school until 4.15pm)

PTA AGM 7.30pm

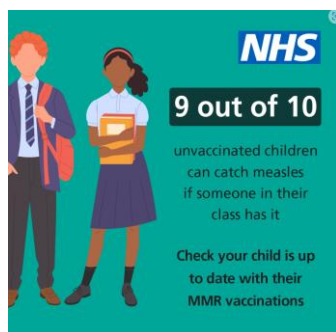
Choir 8.20am

HSSP Yr 5 Mixed Football 3:20 – 4:20pm

Yr 6 Mixed Football 3:30 – 4:15pm

Information from the NHS

Over 102,000 children starting primary school in England are at risk of catching measles.



With millions of children across the country going back to school this term, NHS England is urging parents to check that their children are up to date with their MMR (Measles, Mumps and Rubella) vaccinations in the wake of measles cases rising across the country.

Childhood vaccination rates have fallen over the past ten years and this week statistics show that over 102,000 children aged four and five years old starting in reception are not protected against catching measles, mumps and rubella. Measles is highly infectious and if left unvaccinated nine out of ten children in a classroom can catch the disease if just one child is infectious.

If you are unsure if you or your child are up to date, check your child's red book or GP records and make an appointment to catch up any missed doses.

For more information on the NHS vaccination schedule, please visit [NHS vaccinations and when to have them - NHS \(www.nhs.uk\)](https://www.nhs.uk).