



Brampton Village Primary School

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Newsletter

Summer Term 2021 16th July Letter 13

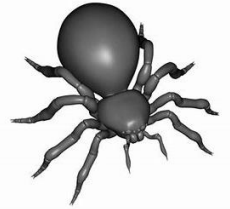


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Headteacher's notes...

The last full week of term has seen various 'sports days' and a visit for Reception from the 'Man with the Beasts'! They all enjoyed looking at various snakes and spiders and asked lots of good questions. Thank you for all the report comments that have been sent in – your feedback is appreciated and shared with staff.



The children from Reception to Year 4 were able to meet their new teachers for next year and you should have received a letter with further details on about this. After we finish next week there will be information on the website, including short videos and photographs, for you to look at during the summer. We hope to have an update on staffing for Year 6 early next week and then provide a chance for those in Year 5 to meet their new teachers.

Although many official restrictions end on Monday 19th July we will be maintaining our current measures until the end of term. Please read on for arrangements for September.

Our last day of term is Thursday 22nd July.

Year 6

We are planning to hold a picnic for Year 6 on Wednesday 21st July from 3.30pm-4.30pm. The children should bring in their own food and Year 6 parents are invited to join us from 4.15pm to meet with staff.

On the last day of term, the Year 6 children will be presented with their Leaver's Book and they may also bring in a school shirt so that it can be signed. Please can they also be sent in with a spare shirt so that they can change if required.

Parent Governor

One nomination was received recently for the post of Parent Governor and Katie Brown was welcomed to the Governing Body when it met earlier this week.

Term Dates change

As part of the celebrations for the Queen's Platinum Jubilee in 2022, there is an additional Bank Holiday on 3rd June which is part of a four-day weekend in recognition of the first time that a British monarch has reached this milestone.

This means that the Summer Term next year will be reduced by one day and we will finish on Thursday 21st July. The list of dates on the school website has been amended to reflect this change and there is a copy at the end of this letter.

Foodbank

Thank you for the donations to the Foodbank which will be collected next Tuesday.

PTA News

Summer Raffle Tickets

Final few hours to buy tickets for the Summer Raffle before the live draw at 6pm today - all proceeds will be going towards school playground improvements. <https://raffall.com/246353/enter-raffle-to-win-bvps-summer-raffle-2021-hosted-by-brampton-pta> Thank you for your support.



[Enter Raffle to Win BVPS Summer Raffle 2021 Hosted By Brampton PTA](https://raffall.com/246353/enter-raffle-to-win-bvps-summer-raffle-2021-hosted-by-brampton-pta)

Brampton Village Primary PTA welcomes you to this summer's online raffle! We have collected an amazing haul of prizes from local and national businesses, and for just £1 per ticket you could be in with a chance of winning one. This year the PTA has used raffall.com

Non-Uniform

Our final non-uniform day of the school year will be on Tuesday 20th July to celebrate the end of term. Children are invited to come to school dressed in clothes of their choice, making sure they are suitable for a day of learning and activity. A £1 suggested donation will be collected by the teachers on the door.

Bag2school

Our last collection raised £114 - thank you so much. We will let you know the dates for the collections for the new term once they are arranged.

Fair on the green

The PTA are having a stall at the Brampton Fair on the Green this year, doing games etc, but in order to run it we need some volunteers please! It's our last chance to make a few £s to continue funding trips etc next year, but we need some more help please, is anyone able to help even for an hour or two? It's Saturday 24th 12-4pm. Please email bramptonpta@outlook.com if you are able to help in any way. Thank you!

Have a great weekend,
PTA Team

Please keep your child at home if they are unwell or show signs of COVID. If someone in your house tests positive, please inform us immediately.

If a child becomes unwell or shows any symptoms of COVID-19 we will contact parents/carers immediately. We will then expect the process for booking a test to be followed. If there is a positive test this may impact on the bubbles with them having to close whilst staff and children isolate.

Please continue to inform the school each day by phoning or emailing
pupilabsence@brampton.cambs.sch.uk.

Please use this address if your child becomes unwell and needs a test at a weekend.

Term Dates for 2021/2022

Autumn Term 2021

Professional Day	Wednesday 1 st September	staff training
Autumn term begins	Thursday 2 nd September	children return
Autumn half term	25 th – 29 th October	
Professional Day	Monday 1 st November	staff training
Autumn term ends	Friday 17 th December	

Spring Term 2022

Professional Day	Tuesday 4 th January	staff training
Spring term begins	Wednesday 5 th January	children return
Spring half term	14 th – 18 th February	
Spring Term ends	Friday 1 st April	

Summer Term 2022

Professional Day	Tuesday 19 th April	staff training
Summer term begins	Wednesday 20 th April	children return
May Bank Holiday	Monday 2 nd May	
Summer half term	30 th May – 3 rd June	
Professional Day	Monday 6 th June	staff training
Summer term ends	Thursday 21 st July	

September 2021

We are expecting to have all our usual arrangements in place when we return in September unless guidance changes over the summer. Please keep an eye on the school website as this is where we will post any updates.

Cleaning and Hygiene	<p>We will maintain hygiene control measures which include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Cleaning hands thoroughly and regularly. - Ensuring good respiratory hygiene by promoting the 'catch it, bin it, kill it' approach. - Maintaining enhanced cleaning, including cleaning frequently touched surfaces, throughout the day. - Ensuring spaces are well ventilated. - If any child shows symptoms we will contact parents immediately.
Uniform	<p>This year it has been very successful with the children wearing PE kits to school on PE days so we plan to continue with this. On all other days the children are to wear school uniform but on PE days they should come in PE kits to avoid the need to change. Please be prepared for all weathers. You will be notified of PE days at the start of next term.</p> <p>Children should wear appropriate shoes, no jewellery, except for watches and stud earrings or make-up or accessories. If you are planning on having your child's ears pierced, please do this over the summer so that they do not have to miss PE lessons because they cannot remove their earrings.</p> <p>PE kits:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • white round-necked T-shirt (football tops must not be worn) • blue/black shorts • for outdoors school sweatshirts (no hoodies) and dark blue/black jogging trousers should be worn • pierced earrings must be removed for PE and long hair must be tied back for PE and games

	<p>Uniform:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Sweatshirts – navy (with or without logo) • Polo shirts - white or navy • Trousers / shorts - grey, black or navy (trousers may be worn by boys and girls but no leggings) • Skirts / pinafores - grey, black or navy • Socks / tights - white, grey or black • Summer Dress - navy and white checked, or striped, summer dresses • Footwear should be sensible - black, flat shoes (high heels, boots or boot style trainers are not permitted) <p>Please remember:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • All clothes should be clearly labelled with your child's name. • Sweatshirts and polo shirts, with embroidered badges, may be ordered from Orchard Clothing – http://www.orchardclothing.co.uk/schools.php 	
Lunches	We will be offering a full hot menu and the children will eat in the KS2 Dining Hall. They can also bring in packed lunches.	
Equipment	<p>The school will continue to provide all the equipment, pencils, pens, etc that the children will need so please do not send anything in from home.</p> <p>The children will need their book bags in school as reading books can go home.</p>	
Classrooms	In Reception and Y1 the children will have access to continuous provision. Tables will be grouped or in rows as appropriate for the learning taking place.	
Playtimes and Lunchtimes	These will take place as usual.	
Parents/Carers	<p>Parents and carers must not come into school unless it has been arranged. All enquiries should go through the school office, ideally by email.</p> <p>office@brampton.cambs.sch.uk .</p>	
Start and end of the day	8.40am 8.45am 8.55am 9.00am 3.05pm 3.10pm 3.15pm 3.20pm	Gates open Doors open School starts and Registers open Doors close (after this point children must come in via the main office) Reception finish KS1 finish Y3/Y4 finish Y5/Y6 finish
Clubs	We will issue information about clubs at the start of next term.	
Attendance	<p>We will continue to work with families regarding any attendance concerns and please talk to us if you have questions. The usual rules on school attendance will apply from September, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> - Parents' duty to secure that their child attends regularly at school. - Schools' responsibilities to record attendance and follow up absence. - The availability to issue sanctions, including fixed penalty notices in line with local authorities' codes of conduct. This will be reviewed regularly by Governors. 	