

## This week's news...



### Well done to Year 6!

It's been a busy week for Year 6 as they undertook their SATs tests from Monday to Thursday. We are immensely proud of every single one of our Year 6s as they have worked so hard and shown a real determination to succeed. They should all be incredibly pleased with themselves for all they have achieved! I want to thank the families of our wonderful Year

6s for their support, together with the school team you have empowered the children to be ambitious and resilient – I saw this is their positive attitudes to the assessments this week which they undertook with such confidence.



### Bready Science for Panthers and Lions

Earlier in the term, children have learnt about irreversible changes in their science unit and we



wanted to put the knowledge

into practice through the baking process. Children each made some delicious bread and we hope they all enjoyed eating it too!

### Butterflies make a Greek Salad

As part of their topic learning about other countries around the world, children in Butterflies class made a delicious Greek salad this week and enjoyed eating it while listening to some fabulous Greek music.



### Clay Creations in Hedgehogs Class

Hedgehogs have been learning to join clay shapes and make marks in the tile surface to create a pattern. They have then drawn a house design and planned how to create the key features in clay. They have then created a clay house tile that has recognisable features made by both impressing objects into the surface and by joining simple shapes.



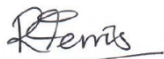
### Message from Gardening Club

The children at Mrs Kalampaliki's Gardening Club would like to say a big thank you to everyone who donated seeds and plants for them to plant and grow.

They are very keen to keep the planting going, so if you can donate any seeds or plants for them to grow, please drop them off with Mrs Kalampaliki on Wednesdays – thank you!



Thank you for your continued support and have a lovely weekend.



**Richard Ferris**  
Headteacher



### Attendance Stars

Classes with the highest attendance this week:

1<sup>st</sup> Place – Panthers (99.0%)

2<sup>nd</sup> Place – Red Butterflies (97.5%)

3<sup>rd</sup> Place – Tigers (96.1%)



## Diary Dates

MAY 2025	
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> to Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	Walk to School Week
Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup>	<b>Year 3&amp;4 Trip to Kew Gardens:</b> <a href="#">click here</a> for letter
Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup>	<b>Nursery:</b> Family Learning English 'Messy Writing' – 9.00am-10.30am
Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup>	SEND Coffee Morning with the MHST – 9.00-10.30am
<b>Monday 26<sup>th</sup> to Monday 2<sup>nd</sup></b>	<b>HALF TERM BREAK – pupils return to school on Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> June</b>
JUNE 2025	
<b>Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>Pupils return to school</b>
Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> to Friday 6 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Year 6:</b> Bikeability Lessons
Tuesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> to Friday 20 <sup>th</sup>	<b>KS2:</b> Swimming Lessons – details coming soon!
<b>Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> to Friday 13<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check</b>

## JUNE 2025

<b>Monday 9<sup>th</sup> to Friday 13<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>Year 1 Phonics Screening Check</b>
<b>Thursday 5<sup>th</sup></b>	Year 4&5 Just Good Science Assembly and Workshop
Friday 13 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Year 6:</b> Family Learning Transition to Secondary School (parent only session) 9.00-11.00am in Gold Hall
Friday 20 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Year 6:</b> Family Learning Transition to Secondary School (parent and child session) 9.00-11.00am in Gold Hall
Tuesday 24 <sup>th</sup> to Monday 30 <sup>th</sup>	Book Fair in School – open every day 3.00-3.30pm
Friday 27 <sup>th</sup>	SEND Coffee Morning with the MHST – 9.00-10.30am
<b>Saturday 28<sup>th</sup></b>	<b>FRoGS Summer Fair</b>

## JULY 2025

Monday 14 <sup>th</sup> to Wednesday 16 <sup>th</sup>	<b>Year 6:</b> Residential Trip to PGL Liddington
Friday 18 <sup>th</sup>	Proposed Date for Sports Day: TBC, further details to follow
<b>Wednesday 23<sup>rd</sup></b>	<b>Last day of Summer Term: School finishes at 2.15pm</b>

**These dates are subject to change, we will endeavour to give as much notice as possible!**

Please note that our Term Dates for 2025-26 are on our website here: [Term Dates 25-26](#)



### May half term fun at Bracknell Forest Family Hubs

Join us at one of our play and activity sessions. These sessions are free to attend, and no booking is required. Please be aware sessions may be busy.

- **Tuesday, 27 May – 10.30am to 11am**  
at **The Oaks Family Hub:** Singing/storytime
- **Wednesday, 28 May – 9.30am to 10.30am**  
at **The Rowans Family Hub:** Family play
- **Thursday, 29 May – 2pm to 3pm**  
at **The Alders Family Hub:** Family play
- **Friday, 30 May – 9.30am to 10.30am**  
at **The Rowans Family Hub:** Active play  
(This session is for families with under fives.)




Email: [early.help@bracknell-forest.gov.uk](mailto:early.help@bracknell-forest.gov.uk)  
Call: 01344 354382  
Facebook: Bracknell Forest Family Hubs  
[www.bracknell-forest.gov.uk/family-hubs](http://www.bracknell-forest.gov.uk/family-hubs)

Join us for a coffee morning with the  
**Mental Health Support Team**

**Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> May  
@ 9:00am**

Drop the kids off then pop round  
to the front office to join us!

**This session will focus on sleep.**  
*Tips and tricks for bedtime routines and a good night sleep.*

They are also available to discuss any other mental health topics as needed ... and there will be biscuits!

**All Welcome!**




Mental Health Support  
for Children of  
Primary School Age