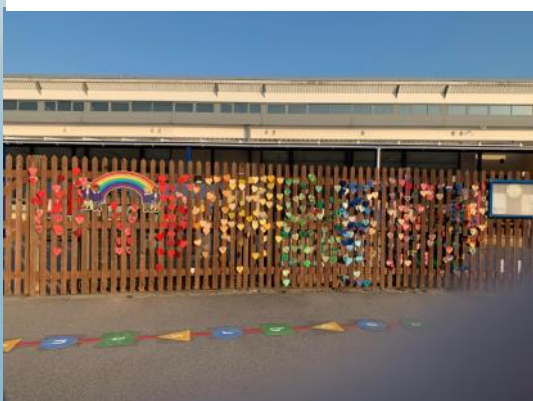




Newsletter

Summer Term 13th May 2022
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John 10:10 Live life in all its fullness



Dear Parents and Carers,

This week is **Mental Health Awareness Week**—celebrated in school. Everyone should feel able to ask for help.



[Mental Health Awareness Week | Mental Health Foundation](#) This

years focus is Loneliness. We have lots of information to help here: [Wellbeing | Jennett's Park \(bonitas.org.uk\)](#)

Please always ask if you need help. We have many different ways to get advice, resources or just a listening ear.

Do check out our report from the **Antibullying alliance** on page 3

Queen's Jubilee dances—you are all invited—see page 2

Pause day—20th May. Please show your support for Ukraine by dressing in Yellow and blue. Donations to [Ukraine Crisis Appeal | British Red Cross](#) please

Uniform check—now we return to more normalcy we will start expecting a return to our uniform. To give you time to get this we will arrange our first check after the half term. Thursday 9th June. List and details of kit available here [School-Uniform-Policy-12-18-1.pdf \(bonitas.org.uk\)](#) If you need any items the PTA run second hand items and if you are in financial straights please see Mrs Thorpe.

See you on the gate

Liz Savage

Headteacher



This week

Welcome Get involved Parent Support Owl and rainbow Term Dates

Antibullying Ambassador Awards



On Thursday 5th May some of the Anti-Bullying Ambassadors (ABAs) went on Antibullying Ambassador training with 10 other Primary schools. The training was delivered by the Diana Award and will help us implement lots of changes over the next year or so, to help Jennett's Park be the very best it can be!

We defined bullying as 'repeated, negative behaviour that is intended to make others feel upset, uncomfortable or unsafe.' We spent a long time looking at different scenarios and working out if it was bullying behaviour. There are 3 different types of bullying: verbal, physical and indirect. We learnt how to identify the signs of someone experiencing bullying behaviour and how we can report it and end it.

We also thought about ways that can decrease the amount of bullying behaviours and ways to increase positivity and inclusiveness. We are currently collating the first phase of our plans and the future of the award at JP and really excited to get going.

We have filmed our first video where we introduce ourselves as the ABA team to everyone and would like to invite everyone in every year group to the gazebo on Fridays to say hello to us. We are going to be there every Friday lunchtime by the willow mounds, if you would like to talk to any of us about how someone else is making you feel.

We are also hoping to start something called Feel Good Friday every month to help JP be a place that makes people happy just for being them. These Fridays could be doing something silly like the 'Put Everything Down and Dance' or even a dress up day like we already do, like for Yellow Day.

We will tell you more about them in good time!

Sadie B, Russell, Seanveer, Becky P, Nathan and Mrs Dhillon

[AntiBullying Ambassadors | Jennett's Park \(bonitas.org.uk\)](https://bonitas.org.uk)

JUBILEE BOOKS



We're thrilled to see the books announced for the
Big Jubilee Read!

This national campaign from the [Reading Agency](#), [BBC Arts Online](#) and [Arts Council England](#) coincides with Her Majesty The Queen's Platinum Jubilee, celebrating great reads from across the Commonwealth. Seventy titles have been chosen by an expert panel that will introduce you to a brilliant selection of authors and books. [Full list of Big Jubilee titles.](#)

Come into the library to borrow books from the list or download them from [BorrowBox](#).

[Platinum Jubilee celebrations with Bracknell Forest libraries \(govdelivery.com\)](#)

Queen's Jubilee Dances

You are all welcome to come dance and celebrate dances throughout the seven decades of HM Queen Elizabeth's reign at 2:30 each day. If wet it will be in the hall. We would strongly encourage dancing along or even costumes!!!



Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday
17th	18th	19th
Nursery	Year 4	Year 5
Reception	Year 1	Year 6
Year 2	Year 3	

Big Plastic Count

Monday 16th May to Sunday
22nd May.

Thank you to
Mrs Johnson
for getting us
signed up for



this fabulous cause! Read
more here

[Big Plastic Count Monday
16th May to Sunday 22nd
May. | Jennett's Park](#)



Battery Hunt

We believe that to tackle the effects of climate change, we need to inspire and encourage children to care about their environment now and in the future. With over a billion batteries consumed in the UK every year and less than half recycled, we know that recycling batteries can make a real difference to our planet. The Big Battery Hunt gives our pupils the exciting opportunity to be pioneers, powering change in an exciting recycling challenge to encourage them and the wider community to recycle more batteries.

As a school, we are taking part in Duracell's Big Battery Hunt to raise awareness about recycling batteries. We would love to collect as many used batteries as we can before the 10th of June for us to recycle. We will have collection points in each class (and in the office) for your child to add their batteries to.

Please note, for the in-school collection, we are only able to accept: AAA, AA, C and D batteries.

Any batteries for recycling after the 10th of June can be taken to various collection points across the borough (most supermarkets have these).



LONELINESS ONLINE:

What Causes It and Ways to Feel Better

Have you ever been online and felt a little bit lonely? In a recent study, 14% of 10–12-year-olds said they often felt lonely, so you're not the only one who sometimes feels that way. We spoke to a group of children and teenagers, who told us some of the things that make them feel isolated when they're online.

CAUSES OF LONELINESS ONLINE

-  Seeing photos or videos of friends having fun without me
-  Being excluded from group chats or games with friends
-  Friends or family not replying to texts or answering my calls
-  People being unkind to me online
-  When friends leave my group chat



WHAT CAN YOU DO?

So if these things happen to you and you start to feel down, what can you do? The same young people also told us how they make themselves feel less lonely when they're online – and we've collected some of their advice to share with you.

- Tell a friend or a trusted adult that you feel lonely
- Watch funny videos of cats and pandas
- Watch yoga videos and do some exercises
- Play single-player games you enjoy
- Listen to happy music
- Listen to your favourite audiobooks
- Send nice messages to your friends and family
- Play games with friends who you trust, if they're online too



TAKE A BREAK

Sometimes the best thing you can do is to take a break from technology and do something offline that makes you feel happy.

Here's what our group suggested!

- Paint or draw pictures
- Play with a pet
- Write about your feelings
- Hang out with your family
- Get outdoors & enjoy nature



FURTHER SUPPORT

Remember, it's normal to feel a bit lonely sometimes – but if it's really upsetting you, and you have no-one to talk to, you can call Childline for free on

0800 1111



 **National Online Safety®**
#WakeUpWednesday

Early Years

Free Fun Day



Jocks Lane RG12 2BH
Weds 22nd June
11am - 2pm

Join Bracknell Town
Council in partnership with
Bracknell Forest Council
for our Early Years fun day
on 22nd June.

- Petting Farm
- Make your own playdough
- Sensory activities
- Splash pad
- Free tennis taster sessions with Matt Reid Pro Coaching
- Free Bracknell Railway Society steam trains
- Information on family services provided by the Council
- Large play area
- Coffee Shop
- Toilets and changing rooms
- Lots more free activities for under 5s!



www.bracknelltowncouncil.gov.uk
Bracknell Town Council 01344 420079





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Parent Support Workshops

To book a space please email [your name, school and contact number to Inge.Taylor@bracknell-forest.gov.uk](mailto:your.name.school.and.contact.number.to@Inge.Taylor@bracknell-forest.gov.uk)

Your chosen course which will be delivered face to face at the **Bracknell Open Learning Centre**. You will be asked to complete an enrolment form prior to the start of the session and to follow COVID guidelines. Your place at the session will be confirmed prior to the course and if the paperwork is not completed your space will be offered to someone else.

<p>Helping children to overcome anxious thoughts and worries</p> <p>A 2-hour session looking at What happens when children become anxious The impact that COVID has had on children's mental health Techniques for helping children deal with their fears / worries</p>		
<p>Anxiety Y 14 spaces</p>	<p>Wednesday 15th June 2022 @ Bracknell Open Learning Centre</p>	<p>9.30 – 11.30 am</p>
<p>Managing Behaviour in a Positive Way A 2-hour session looking at Gain insight into your own parenting style / relationship with your child Learn or revisit positive ways of managing behaviour Strategies to deal with unacceptable behaviours</p>		
<p>MB18 18 spaces</p>	<p>Tuesday 17th May 2022 @ Bracknell Open Learning Centre</p>	<p>6.30 – 8.30 pm</p>
<p>MB17 Fully booked</p>	<p>Monday 20th June 2022 @ Bracknell Open Learning Centre</p>	<p>9.30 – 11.30 am</p>
<p>Supporting Children to get a Healthy Night's Sleep A 1 ½ hour session looking at The different sleep issues facing our families Tips on how to get a good night's sleep. Help children develop good sleeping habits</p>		
<p>Let me know if you would like me to add your name to the waiting list</p>		
<p>Reducing Sibling Rivalry A 1 ½ hour session looking at Encouraging a more harmonious sibling relationship Learn / revisit techniques for children to cope with being a sibling Triggers for negative sibling attitudes / boost children's emotional literacy</p>		
<p>Siblings 2 2 spaces</p>	<p>Tuesday 10th May 2022 @ Bracknell Open Learning Centre</p>	<p>6.30 – 8pm</p>
<p>Supporting a smooth transition to secondary school (for year 5 and 6 parents) A 1 ½ hour session looking at What the transition involves The positives and concerns of transitioning to a new setting Boosting your child's ability to have a smooth transition</p>		
<p>Transition 6 1 space</p>	<p>Wednesday 25th May 2022 @ Bracknell Open Learning Centre</p>	<p>6.30 – 8pm</p>
<p>Transition 7 11 spaces</p>	<p>Monday 13th June 2022 @ Bracknell Open Learning Centre</p>	<p>6.30 – 8pm</p>

Ways you can get involved

	What	When	Who to contact
PTA	Attending our planning meetings or giving of time or donations to fund-raising events	See PTA pages	Email - jennettsparkpta@gmail.com Facebook* - jennettsparkpta
Class Assemblies	A chance to see what is going in in school	List on dates at back	Secretary@ and class teachers
Volunteering in school	Reading, craft, cooking, maths support	1 hour or more per week	Miss Szadowski via secretary@ email
Parents Forum and Coffee Mornings	Chance to meet parents and have informal chats on different themes	See dates on flyer	Shelley Thorpe Family Support Worker via familysupport@ or secretary@ email
Donate items	Any items on donation table– see final pages	Drop off any time	secretary@ or catch staff on the gates for what we need



COFFEE MORNING

COME AND JOIN US FOR COFFEE AND
BISCUITS AND A GOOD CHAT OVER A HOT
BREW!

THIS IS A GREAT OPPORTUNITY TO MEET
OUR FAMILY SUPPORT ADVISOR SHELLEY
THORPE AND MEET OTHER PARENTS AT THE
SCHOOL

UPCOMING DATES

Thurs 26th May 9-10.30am

Tues 21st June 2-3.15pm

Thurs 7th July 2-3.15pm

GEMS offers information and support to parents and carers of children with autism and ADHD within East Berkshire.

Workshops & Courses...

What's coming Up in June 2022

Girls and Autism

Thurs 9th June at 10am to 12pm (Maidenhead)

A look at the behaviours and challenges that may be experienced by girls with autism.

Pre & Post Assessment workshop Sleep - Autism/ ADHD

Monday 13th June at 7pm to 9pm (Online)

An introductory two – hour course for parents and carers who have children and young people with autism & or ADHD who struggle with sleep.

Pre & Post Assessment workshop - ADHD

Tues 14th, 21st, 28th June at 7pm to 9pm (Bracknell)

For Parents & carers of children & young people who are waiting for an assessment for ADHD or who have recently been diagnosed

High Alert - When Anxiety Strikes

Thurs 23rd June at 10am to 11.30am (Online)

What to do when worries take over. We take a look at what causes anxiety and some tried and tested strategies to tackle it.

To book onto any of the below workshops please contact GEMS on:
0800 999 1342 or gems.4health@nhs.net

Outstanding Owl and Rainbow Promise Learners



Each week children are chosen for showing Owl learning behaviours or following our Rainbow Promise.

Our Rainbow Promise underpins everything we do at school. Just as the Rainbow was a sign of God's promise to Noah that from that moment God would enable Noah and the people of the earth to flourish and experience life in all its fullness. So as a school community we promise to do our best to enable all the pupils and adults of our school to flourish academically and professionally so that they might reach their potential.

The Rainbow is also a symbol of the diversity of our school community, but as a church school we recognise that we are all created and valued by God, and so as a school community we commit to care for and value each other.



The dove symbolises our need to persevere in some aspects of life as it is not always the first time we find success. It was not the first time that Noah had tried to find dry land and so we much seek strength within ourselves and from God to achieve.



These are our Values we try to live each day

 *Forgiveness*

 *Love*

 *Patience*

 *Honesty*

 *Support*

 *Respect*

 *Kindness & Joy*

 *Peace*

Our Owl Learning Behaviours:

C - Collaboration

O - Optimism

P - Perseverance

P - Pride

I - Inspiration

C - Challenge

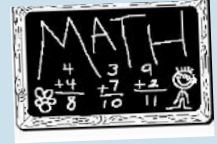
MD - Managing Distractions



Pages for Children



Our Rainbow Moments this week



Our Owl Learners this week

Robins	Freddie
Woodpeckers	Eleanor
Stonechats	Theo
Whinchats	Erica
Canaries	Minnah
Yellowham- mers	Ashton
Greenjays	Ishitha
Parakeets	Ariadna
Kingfishers	Jesleyne
Macaws	Lara & Marwah
Mockingbirds	Jamie
Peacocks	Xanthe
Sabrewings	All of year 6
Sunbirds	All of year 6

Robins	Mason
Woodpeckers	Hunter
Stonechats	Oliver M
Whinchats	Ronnie
Canaries	Leo
Yellowham- mers	Emily
Greenjays	Rose
Parakeets	Daniel H
Kingfishers	Rohan
Macaws	Storm
Mockingbirds	Adam
Peacocks	Ashleigh
Sabrewings	All of year 6
Sunbirds	All of year 6

Term dates 21/22 and 22/23

Term Dates 2021 2022

Half Term	Monday 30th May – Friday 3rd June 2022
Start of half term	Tuesday 7th June- Monday 6th June school closed as additional day for Queen's Jubilee
End of term Nursery	Friday 15th July
End of Term YR– Y6	Wednesday 20 th July end 1:30

Term Dates 2022-23

Autumn Term 2022

Professional Training Days	Thursday 1st September 2022 Day 1 / Friday 2 nd September 2022 Day 2
Start of Term	Monday 5 th September 2022 Children return
Half Term	Monday 24th October - Friday 28 th October 2022
End of term Nursery	Thursday 15th December
End of Term	Friday 16th December 2022 1:30 pm

Spring Term 2023

Professional Training Day	Tuesday 3rd January 2023 Day 3
Start of Term	Wednesday 4 th January 2023
Half Term	Monday 13th February - Friday 17th February 2023
End of term Nursery	Thursday 30th March
End of Term	Friday 31 st March 2023 1:30 pm (Good Friday 7th April 2023; Easter Monday 10th April 2023)

Summer Term 2023

Start of Term	Monday 17th April 2023—Children return
Half Term	May Bank Holidays 1st and 29th May 2023 Monday 29th May to Friday 2nd June 2023
End of term Nursery	Friday 14th July
End of Term	Wednesday 19 th July 1:30 pm 2023

Term dates 23/24

Term Dates 2023-24

Autumn Term 2023

Professional Training Friday 1st September 2023 Day 1

Days Monday 4th September 2023 Day 2

Start of Term Tuesday 5th September 2023

Children return

Half Term Monday 23rd October to Friday 27th October 2023

End of Term Nursery Thursday 14th December 2023

End of Term Friday 15th December 2023 1:30pm

Spring Term 2024

Professional Training Day Tuesday 2nd January 2024 Day 3

Start of Term Wednesday 3rd January 2024

Half Term Monday 12th February to Friday 16th February 2024

End of Term Nursery Thursday 17th March 2024

End of Term Thursday 28th March 2024 1:30 pm

(Good Friday 29 March 2024; Easter Monday 1st April 2024)

Summer Term 2024

Start of Term Monday 15th April 2024

Half Term May Bank Holidays 6th and 27th May 2024

Monday 27th May to Friday 31st May 2024

End of Term Nursery Wednesday 17th July 2024

End of Term Friday 19th July 2024 1:30pm

Professional Training Day Monday 22nd July 2024

Tuesday 23rd July 2024

Day 4 & 5 (taken as staffs TOIL)

Upcoming Dates for your Diary

Tuesday / Wednesday and Thursday 17th , 18th and 19th May	Queen's Jubilee Dance Days– performance days Tuesday YN, YR and Y2 Weds Y4, 3 and 1 Thursday Y5 and 6
Thursday 19th May	Summer census—please pick a school meal to help our funding!
Friday 20th May	Pause Day / Acts of Kindness Fundraising for Ukraine– dress in Yellow and blue
Monday 23rd May	Arts Week Fantastic FRED workshops
Wednesday 25th May	Year 1 Class Assembly 2.30pm
Thursday 26th	Year 2 assembly Thursday 2:30
Friday 27th May	Y5 pottery
Thursday 2nd to Sunday 5th June	National Queen's Platinum Jubilee celebrations
Wednesday 8th June	Reception trip to Wellington Country Park
Thursday 9th June	Uniform Check ALL CLASSES
Friday 10th June	PTA Jubilee Tea—details Tbc Year 6 Class Assembly 9am
Monday 13th June	World of Work Week Happy Puzzle Workshops Y6 Bikeability L3
Thursday 16th June	Millers Ark farm Year 5 Class Assembly 9am
Monday 20th June	International Week Felt making 3 days
Wednesday 22nd June	Windrush day
Thursday 23rd June	Year 4 Class Assembly 9am
Friday 24th June	Wintershall trip
Wednesday 29th June	EYFS Sports Day -Attempt 1
Thursday 30th June	KS1 & KS2 Sports day-Attempt 1
Friday 1st July	Reports out Plastic free month starts– details tbc
Wednesday 6th July	Moving up morning Open Evening 5pm-7pm EYFS Sports day-Attempt 2
Thursday 7th July	KS1&KS2 Sports Day—Attempt 2 Year 3 Class Assembly 9am
Monday 11th July	Enchanted Glass to work with Y6 Back up sport day this week attempt 3
Tuesday 12th July	Y5/6 Production 5– 6:30
Wednesday 13th July	Reception Class Assembly 9am
Thursday 14th July	Y5/6 Production 6-7:30 Nursery's Stay and Play date: Thursday 14 th July.
Tuesday 19th July	Grand day in



[St Francis & St Clare
Church of England |
Jennett's Park](https://www.jennetts.bonitas.org.uk/community/st-francis-st-clare-church/)

Please see below the link to the church website.

[https://www.jennetts.bonitas.org.uk/
community/st-francis-st-clare-church/](https://www.jennetts.bonitas.org.uk/community/st-francis-st-clare-church/)

Donation Station

DONATIONS REQUEST!

For our Art lessons we can get really messy! So, we would love donations of no longer loved shirts. Ideally these would be an adult size small or medium. Reception are also on the hunt for Small World People, ideally Duplo please.

Many thanks in advance.



Items Any time

Items for food/ family donations—long life preferably

Clean Uniform

Sports

Puppets/ Dressing up clothes

Clean Toys and games

Lego

Storage boxes/ trolleys—we love being tidy