



Newsletter

Spring Term

24th January 2020

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are so excited to share that our KS2 Athletics team supported by Mr Turner and Mrs Rockey on the day and coached by Mr Clark did a fantastic job at the Bracknell Athletics Tournament. They came fourth in their heat and we are through to the final on the 31st January in the afternoon. The children represented the school brilliantly and were complimented on for their exemplary manners.



Please take care in the car park in front of the school. There are no drawn zebra crossings. The raised bumps in the road signify pedestrian priority in this case!. We have had two near misses this week as people are carelessly reversing or stopping over the crossings. Our local PCSO's will be here to take photos of people not following the rules!

If your child rides a bike to school please can they check to ensure they have come home with the right bike. A child in Year 3 has lost his Royal Blue Polo bike. Thank you.



Welcome to one of the monsters from 'Where the Wild Things Are' drawn on the library mural.

New competition -
Playground design competition .



Top tips for reading with your child - BBC Bitesize. Some sound advice here on reading <https://www.bbc.co.uk/bitesize/articles/z7ycbdlm>

Many classes are taking part in the Radio 2 500 words challenge. <https://www.bbc.co.uk/programmes/p00rfvk1>

Have a lovely week.

Elizabeth Savage
Headteacher



Gratitude

Scavenger Hunt for Kids

1. Find something outside you enjoy looking at
2. Find something that is useful for you
3. Find something that is your favorite color
4. Find something you know someone else will enjoy
5. Find something that makes you happy
6. Find something that tastes good
7. Find something that smells amazing
8. Discover something new
9. Find something that makes you feel safe
10. Find something that makes a beautiful sound
11. Find someone you are grateful for
12. Find something that is unique to you
13. Find something that makes you laugh
14. Find something in the night that you enjoy
15. Find something in the morning that you enjoy
16. Find a friend/pet that you love spending time with
17. Find your favorite place to spend alone time
18. Find something that reminds you of the people you love
19. Find something that you enjoy doing outside with friends
20. Find a place that you love





Behaviour Code



As a Church of England school and a member of the Bonitas Multi-Academy Trust, Jennett's Park CE Primary School, expects that members of the public, parents, carers and other visitors to the school will behave in a polite and courteous manner - to each other, to staff and to pupils.

In their conduct and the way in which they address individual concerns, parents and carers should be good role models. We will not tolerate aggressive, violent, abusive or anti-social behaviour towards anyone on the school site. Should there be clear evidence that there has been a breach of this Behaviour Code, we will take action to safeguard members of the school community. *This may include banning the individual from the school premises.*

We understand that there may be occasions upon which a problem you encounter makes you feel angry. Here are a number of ways in which to deal with that situation:

Deal with your anger before going to the school. An angry confrontation will normally prompt a defensive response rather than a helpful one. School staff may also refuse to talk to you while you are angry, so you will have achieved nothing.

Don't jump to conclusions. What made you angry may not be what happened in reality.

Make an appointment to see the relevant person. If you just turn up at the school, staff may not be able to give you the time you need.

Make a note of the things you are unhappy about. It will help to clarify issues and help you when you meet the member of staff.

Consider having a friend with you when you have your meeting if you find it difficult to manage meetings.

Don't expect an immediate solution. The person you're talking to will need to validate your concerns before being able to take any action or reach a solution.

If you feel that your concern has not been dealt with effectively you should ask for a copy of the school complaints procedure. This will provide details of the informal and formal procedure for taking your concerns further.



Clubs Spring Term.

All school led clubs will run 13th January 2020 - 27th March inclusive. For all clubs we release from the front gate only.

Day		Time	Club	Run by	Location
External	Monday	3.30pm - 4.30pm	Girls Football** <i>Spaces already allocated</i>	Magpies in the Community	School Field
School Led	Monday	3.30pm - 4.30pm	Cricket Y3 to Y6	Mr Clark	School Field
External	Monday	3.30pm - 4.30pm	Dance Y1 to Y6	Dani Harmer Academy	Music Room
External	Tuesday	3.30pm - 4.30pm	Multi-Sports Y1 to Y6	BA Sports	MUGGA
External	Wednesday	3.30pm - 4.30 pm	Musical Theatre Y1 to Y6	Dani Harmer Academy	Music Room
External	Wednesday	3.30pm - 4.30 pm	Football Y1 & Y2	Playsport	School Field
School Led	Thursdays	3.30pm - 4.15pm	Performing Arts Y1 to Y6	Mr Turner and Miss Smith	Music Room
School Led	Thursdays	12.30pm - 1pm	Creative Play Y3 to Y6	Mrs Ilyas	Mockingbirds
School Led	Thursday	3.30pm - 4.15pm	Book club Y1 & Y2	Mrs Agbaje and Mrs Harris	Whinchats
External	Thursday	3.30pm - 4.30 pm	Lego R to Y6	Brickies Club	ICT
External	Friday	3.30pm - 4.30 pm	Football Y3 to Y6	Playsport	School Field

How to sign up to school led clubs: Please go to <https://jennettsparkce.parentseveningsystem.co.uk/>
You will need to sign in with the details you have provided the school. If you experience any problems then please email secretary@jennettspark.bracknell-forest.sch.uk

External clubs: Please contact the clubs directly.

BA Sports - info@basportstar.co.uk **Dani Harmer Academy** - jj@daniharmeracademy.com

Playsport - info@play-sport.co.uk **Brickies Club** - info@brickies.club



Did you know there is a church which meets every Sunday on Jennett's Park? St Francis and St Clare meets in our school hall every Sunday with refreshments and crafts from 11am and a service at 11:30am. We are a very family-friendly church and part of the Church of England. To find out more, visit our website: www.jennettsparkchurch.org

Competitions and Challenges

I love a competition. These are the new competitions and details/ deadlines . Please make sure all names are clear. If you are entering from outside the school please ensure we have your contact details.

Competition Name	Description	Open to	Entries to	Prizes	Closing Date
Book Riddles	Write a series of clues for a book with the answer concealed at the end.	All	Mrs Savage	Published in this newsletter	Until February 2020
Playground design	Design a new playground game. We could win a free playground set up!	All	Mrs Savage	Badge and pencil to each entry	February 2020

Items we need at JPCE

Item	Date added	Deliver to
Plastic Bottle ends for Remembrance display	November 2019—collected all year	Office
Packs of cards	September 2019	Mrs Venediktou
Books of any sort of age range 2- 11	June 2018	Office
Puppets/ Dressing up clothes	April 2018	Mrs Savage
Lego	April 2018	Office
Storage boxes/ trolleys	March 2018	Office

If you have a Co-op card please consider choosing Jennett's Park PTA as your local cause. Please note a new round has begun, which means the process starts again, so even if you previously selected JP, you will need to do so again. <https://membership.coop.co.uk/causes/34299#>



Sienna Courtney

Memories of the Past

The clouds clung in need of the morning sky, as the cool air shot a mist over the field. Tasting the dew on her lips, Lucy quivered as the wind waved through the grass, ~~to morning~~ murmuring noises of the past in her ear. Out of nowhere, a squirrel scurried through the autumn leaves and vanished into a hollow of a lifeless tree. As Lucy wondered about the critter's odd actions, the darkness was sucked up by a shard of sunlight, breathing life into the sea of bright red roses that ringed around her.



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



♥ Love

☞ Forgiveness

♦ Honesty

⌚ Patience

🚶 Respect

🛠 Support

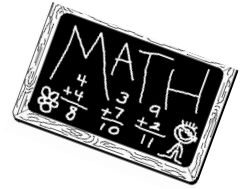
☮ Peace

😊 Kindness & Joy

Our Owl Learning Behaviours are:

C - Collaboration
O - Optimism
P - Perseverance
P - Pride
I - Inspiration
C - Challenge
MD - Managing Distractions





Our Rainbow Moments this week are.....

Robins	Macey
Woodpeckers	Noah
Stonechats	Beaux
Whinchats	Cassie
Canaries	Jesleyne
Yellowhammers	James
Greenjays	Sophia
Parakeets	Max
Kingfishers	Theo
Macaws	Veronika
Mockingbirds	Freddie C
Peacocks	Sienna K
Sabrewings	Sam
Sunbirds	Kamille

Our Owl Learners this week are....

Robins	Elsie C
Woodpeckers	Molly
Stonechats	Esme G
Whinchats	Harrison
Canaries	Mia
Yellowhammers	Lyla
Greenjays	Bella
Parakeets	Emily
Kingfishers	Chloe
Macaws	Riley
Mockingbirds	Reagan
Peacocks	Zach
Sabrewings	Harry
Sunbirds	Mehran

Attendance

Attendance should be 96% or above. Please note, the school will not authorise leave unless under exceptional circumstances if a child is over 5 years and therefore of statutory school age.

Absences

All absences should be reported by telephone or email before 9.30am. Thank you.

Well done Macaws with 100% attendance this week .

Robins	90.7%
Woodpeckers	93.0%
Stonechats	94.7%
Whinchats	97.1%
Canaries	97.6%
Yellowhammers	99.0%

Greenjays	96.0%
Parakeets	99.0%
Macaws	100%
Kingfishers	92.7%
Peacocks	97.6%
Mockingbirds	97.2%
Sabrewings	97.4%
Sunbirds	97.4%

SPRING / SUMMER TERM 2020 – DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Thursday 30th January 2020	Reception Assembly - 9am Year 1 - Milestone Museum Trip
Friday 31st January 2020	Year 2 Cake Sale
Tuesday 4th February 2020	2pm - Year 1 parents invited to talk about toys
Wednesday 5th February 2020	Reception Woodpeckers Parents Maths Workshop - 08.50 to 10.15
Thursday 6th February 2020	Year 4 Assembly - 9am Reception Robins Parents Maths Workshop - 08.50 to 10.15
Thursday 13th February 2020	Year 2 Assembly - 9am 2pm - Year 1 Class Museum
Friday 14th February 2020	Year 1 Cake Sale Year 2 Trip to Windsor Castle
Monday 17th February 2020	Half Term
Thursday 27th February 2020	Year 6 Assembly - 9am
Friday 28th February 2020	PTA Bingo
Monday 2nd March 2020	Maths Week Scholastic Book Fair
Tuesday 3rd March 2020	Year 1 Stonechats Parents Maths Workshop - 08.50 to 10.15 Parents Evening - 5pm to 7.30pm
Wednesday 4th March 2020	Year 1 Whinchats Parents Maths Workshop - 08.50 to 10.15
Thursday 5th March 2020	World Book Day Year 5 Assembly - 9am Parents Evening - 5pm to 7.30pm
Friday 6th March 2020	Reception Cake Sale
Monday 9th March 2020	Science Week
Thursday 12th March 2020	Year 3 Assembly - 9am
Wednesday 18th March 2020	Year 3 Parents SPAG Session - 08.50 to 10.15
Thursday 19th March 2020	Year 1 Assembly - 9am Year 4 Parents SPAG Session - 08.50 to 10.15
Friday 20th March 2020	Year 6 Cake Sale
Monday 23rd March 2020	World of Work Week
Wednesday 25th March 2020	Pause Day
Friday 27th March 2020	PTA Easter Egg Hunt
Thursday 2nd April 2020	End of term 1:30
Friday 3rd April	INSET day staff
Wednesday 22nd April 2020	Reception Vision and Hearing Screening
Thursday 23rd April 2020	Reception Vision and Hearing Screening
Friday 24th April 2020	Year 5 Cake Sale
Tuesday 28th April 2020	Green Day Year 4 Parents Maths Session - 08.50 to 10.15am
Wednesday 6th May 2020	Class Photos
Thursday 7th May 2020	Year 4 Cake Sale Year 5 Parent Transition Session - 08.50 to 10.15am
Tuesday 5th May 2020	Uniform Check
Friday 8th May 2020	CHANGE OF DATE FOR MAY BANK HOLIDAY
Monday 11th to Thursday 14th May 2020	Year 6 SATs
Friday 15th May 2020	PTA Quiz Night

Monday 18th May 2020	Year 2 SATs
Friday 22nd May 2020	Year 3 PTA Cake Sale
Monday 1st June 2020	Art Week
Tuesday 2nd June 2020	Year 6 Book Look
Friday 5th June 2020	Year 2 Cake Sale
Saturday 6th June 2020	PTA Rainbow Run
Tuesday 9th June 2020	Year 1 Book Look
Thursday 11th June 2020	Year 6 Parent Transition Session
Friday 12th June 2020	Sports Day - KS2 (9-10:15) KS1 (10:20 - 11:15)
Tuesday 16th June 2020	Year 2 Book Look
Wednesday 17th June 2020	Pause Day
Friday 19th June 2020	Year 1 Cake Sale
Monday 22nd June 2020	International Week
Tuesday 23rd June 2020	Year 3 Book Look Year 5 and 6 Bikeability
Tuesday 20th June 2020	Year 4 Book Look
Wednesday 1st July 2020	Year 6 Brakenhale Transition Day 1
Thursday 2nd July 2020	Year 6 Brakenhale Transition Day 2
Friday 3rd July 2020	Summer Fayre
Tuesday 7th July 2020	Year 5 Book Look
Friday 10th July 2020	Reception Cake Sale
Wednesday 15th July 2020	Reception Assembly - 2.30pm
Friday 17th July 2020	Last Day of Term—1.30pm Finish

_____ ** These dates are subject to change** _____

nubivagant

Adjective

wandering in clouds;
travelling through the air

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Term Dates 2020

Spring Term 2020

Professional Training Day	Monday 6th January 2020
Start of Term	Tuesday 7 th January 2020
Half Term	Monday 17th February - Friday 21st February 2020
End of Term	Thursday 2nd April 2020 1:30pm
Professional Training Day	Friday 3rd April 2020

Summer Term 2020

Start of Term	Monday 20th April 2020
Half Term	Monday 25th May - Friday 29th May 2020
End of Term	Friday 17th July 2020 1:30pm
Professional Training Days	Monday 20th and Tuesday 21st July 2020

Term Dates 2020/2021

Autumn Term 2020	
Professional Training Days	Tuesday 1 st September 2020 Day 1
Start of Term	Wednesday 2 nd September 2020 - Children return
Professional Training Day	Friday 23 rd October 2020 Day 2
Half Term	Monday 26 th October - Friday 30 th October 2020
End of Term	Friday 18 th December 2020
Spring Term 2021	
Professional Training Day	Monday 4 th January 2021 Day 3
Start of Term	Tuesday 5 th January 2021
Half Term	Monday 15 th February - Friday 19 th February 2021
End of Term	Thursday 1 st April 2021
Summer Term 2021	
Professional Training Day	Monday 19 th April 2021 Day 4
Start of Term	Tuesday 20 th April 2021
Half Term	Monday 31 st May - Friday 4 th June 2021
End of Term	Tuesday 20 th July 2021
Professional Training Day	Wednesday 21 st July 2021 Day 5