



Dear Parents,

We are really enjoying being able to have visitors back in school especially on Fridays for Celebration Assembly. Last week we were also pleased to have Reverend Chris in school to lead our Collective Worship on Thursday.

Class Learning

On Friday we started a whole school project called 'Buddy Writing' where children buddy up with a child in a different class to write together. We started with a picture and then worked in mixed age pairs to come up with ideas together before starting the writing. Have a look on our Facebook and Twitter pages to see some pictures of the project in action.

Leopards Class have written letters to all the other classes to invite them to the Teddy Tombola next week and explain about the charity they are supporting, The Samaritans' Purse. Polar Bears have been drawing self-portraits using the artist Frida Kahlo as inspiration. They have also been learning the story of creation in their RE lessons.

White Tigers have been writing letters from the character, Lyla, in their class novel 'The Firework Maker's Daughter'. They have amazed everyone in Celebration Assembly with



their mature use of language.

Pandas class have been writing the introduction to their stories, 'The Day the Moon came to

Earth' it is based on a film clip about the impact of climate change. You can have a look at the one-minute film that inspired them here:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZKtvC5awQEM>

School Vision

Over the last couple of weeks, we have been thinking about our School Vision Statement in Collective Worship, *"With the world as our parish, we evolve as a family so that children and adults flourish. Through a Christian lens, we all develop the skills, knowledge, hope, compassion and aspiration to be active in our local and global communities, celebrating, exploring and living life in all its fullness."* In particular, this week, we have been considering how we are active in our local and global communities.

Dates

OCTOBER

6th – Film Club

8th – Sports Crew*; School Grounds afternoon (from 2pm)

11th – Cross Country *

13th – NQ Media individual and sibling photos now 18th

14th – Fitness Profiling

15th – Handball*; PTA Autumn Disco

18th – NQ Media individual and sibling photos – **please note date change!**

19th – Face-to-Face – Parents Evening 3:30pm start

20th – Flu Vaccinations

21st – Zoom – Parents' Evening 5pm start

22nd – INSET Day (school closed)

Week beg 25th Oct – half term

NOVEMBER

5th – Harvest Service at Church, 9am

11th Nov – Remembrance Service at church (9am)

DECEMBER

6th – Film Club

17th – Last day of term; Christmas Service at Church, 9am

7 Jan 2022 – Young Voices, Sheffield

JULY

13th – PTA Circus – to be confirmed

*small number of children participating – separate communication to be sent out via Parentmail.



We have been thinking about how we are the same and different to each other and other members of our community. Polar Bears and Pandas joined together during their class Collective Worship on Tuesday and enjoyed finding out what interests they shared with each other.

My School Fund

The PTA have signed up to 'My School Fund' which is an easy way of contributing to their profits for the benefit of all the children in school. Using the link: www.myschoolfund.org or the QR code which is on the poster on the main gate, you can register your credit or debit card and each time a purchase is made with Sainsburys or Argos. For every £1 spent, 1% goes to school and 2% directly to you, overtime this can be redeemed in the form of e-gift cards to be spent online or instore. Have a look at the website to see how to do this.



Asda

www.asda.com/green-tokens

Please use the link above to vote for our school PTA to be part of the 'green token' giving scheme which will help the PTA add to their funds further. You can vote every 7 days – please share as widely as you can. The PTA have already made over £60 this week selling treats this week – thank you everyone.

BBASE/After School Club Cancellations

Please note that we have adjusted the cancellation times for this to a week. If you no longer require childcare that has been booked, please let the staff know via the brantbroughtonafterschool@gmail.com email address to avoid a charge – thank you.

Active Travel Link Reminder:

https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=4I_ewOP1L06Lz_HFSzjyi0fKIOtWtvhGse87nNu9SDBUOVhNOU4ySVpDSzBZUEVONVhPRIMyS1BUMi4u

School Grounds Reminder

We are planning a School Grounds 'tidy up afternoon' from 2pm on **Friday 8th October**. If parents or carers are available to help us with a bit of weeding and general tidying up of our school grounds, please feel free to join us from 2pm.

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BRANT BROUGHTON CE METHODIST PRIMARY SCHOOL

WEEK BEGINNING: 4TH OCTOBER 2021



Values Points and Celebration Assembly

8th Oct	Pandas and Leopards sharing work Values Awards for all classes
15th Oct	White Tigers and Polar Bears sharing work Values Awards for all classes
INSET/Half Term	
5th Nov	Harvest Service at St Helen's (parents and carers welcome)

Parents will be contacted via Parentmail on the Wednesday of the week in which their child will receive a Values Award.