



Braddan Primary School Newsletter No 5 January 2022

Welcome back to School for the Spring Term! Whilst it may be warm and sunny by the end of term, it is certainly wet and chilly at the moment. Please make sure your child has a warm, waterproof coat, hats, gloves, and is dressed nice and warmly. Getting outside to play and have some fresh air is really important, so we do go outside even when it's raining. With windows open in classes too, its important that they have some cosy layers to put on should they need to.

With lots of coronavirus still around, it's important that children remember to practice good hygiene, washing hands thoroughly, using a tissue or their elbow when sneezing or coughing, and having their own drinks bottle in school to avoid sharing cups etc.

School closely follows Public Health advice, and this includes NOT informing parents if there are positive COVID cases in school. This has been the case since September. Whilst we understand that some parents would wish to be informed, we do have to follow this advice.



We are really pleased to welcome Mr Corlett and Mrs Howard to our Braddan staff team. Mr Corlett will be teaching the year 3 /4 class, and Mrs Howard will be in Reception class on Fridays, and also in other classes across the school. I'm sure you will all help them to feel welcome.

Athletics Club will start after school for pupils in years 4, 5 or 6. This club will run from 3.30 - 4.30pm each week. Please ensure you let the office know that your child will be attending, and how they will be getting home afterwards (ie collected, walking home etc).

ALL PUPILS need to have a full PE kit in school to take part in regular PE lessons.





We are pleased to say that school swimming will re-commence on Wednesday 12th January for all pupils in years 3, 4, 5 and 6. This is a reminder that pupils need to have their kit, including a towel, in a suitable bag. Children with long hair must wear a swimming cap (girls and boys), and earrings MUST be removed.

Is your child due to start school in
September?

Or do you know anyone who is?

Please ensure they are registered with us
as soon as possible.



Please ensure you are driving and parking with consideration, and regard to safety when using our car park.

Parking in the bus stop is actually breaking the Highway Code and could result in points on your licence or a fine.

As you know we put a BIG emphasis on learning to read at Braddan - and we have shown that children who read regularly at home make more progress in both their reading and writing - thank you for supporting your child!

To help engage children and give them a variety of challenges, school subscribes to 'Reading Eggs' and 'Reading Eggspress' for ALL of the children. They are able to access their accounts from school AND home. If you are not sure about log in details please see your child's class teacher.

