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Braddan Primary School Newsletter -No1 September 2022 Headteacher- Mrs Louise Oates Tel 01624 661087

Welcome to the start of a new year at Braddan School. It has been lovely to see the children return from their summer break ready for learning, and we look forward to working together with yourselves to support your children over the coming year.

We were all saddened to hear of the death of Queen Elizabeth II, and we have spent time in school reflecting with the pupils on her life. Clearly the events may upset some children, cause them worry about their own family members, or bring back memories of loss in their own families. There is always someone that the children can talk to in school if they have concerns or worries, about this or any other issues.

School will be closed on Monday 19th September for the Queen's funeral.

Meet The Teacher Events

Over the coming weeks we will be holding meetings with all our class teachers where you will be able to find out face to face what the expectations are for the coming year. Teachers will cover aspects such as home learning, behaviour and most importantly how you can help and support your child. We really would like all children to be represented – and it is a great opportunity to ask questions, as well as discussing any issues along with other parents. Unfortunately teachers will not have the time to meet with parents individually if they can not attend this meeting.

Meetings will start at 3.40pm, and children can be accommodated in a neighbouring classroom.

Tuesday 20th Sept – year 2 Wednesday 21st Sept – year 5 Thursday 22nd Sept – year 4 Monday 26th Sept – year 6 Thursday 29th Sept – year 3 Monday 3rd October – rec and year 1



Do remember to check your child's hair <u>regularly</u> for Headlice.

These are a fact of life at any Primary School – so please don't be upset if you find your child has them.

If you are unsure about treatment or prevention, please do pop in to ask. There is no stigma attached to catching Headlice – but it does take vigilance to watch out for them, eradicate them before they spread too far, and prevent their return. Please remember that long hair should be tied up.

There is <u>a lot</u> to remember when you start school – both for children and parents, but please ask if there is anything you are unsure of. Our Website contains a lot of information, and we regularly post on facebook to show you what we have been doing in school.



School Photographs **WEDNESDAY** 28th September



It's really important to make sure your child has everything they need for school – particularly a water bottle, and PE kit. We cannot use 'shared' cups, and only have a limited amount of spare kit, which is only for emergencies – not regular use. Thank you.

Please make sure you read with your child – daily would be great – but 4 times per week is a minimum expectation.

READING REALLY MAKES A DIFFERENCE!

