



Park Brow Primary School



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Curriculum Newsletter—15th October 2023

Dear parents/carers,

The past few weeks have been extremely busy in and out of the classrooms. The pupils are settled and full immersed in their lessons and it has been lovely to see the learning come to life in a variety of ways.

I'd like to say thank you for your attendance of our parent consultation afternoon. The pupil's thoroughly enjoyed having their parents and carers in the classrooms, as did the teachers. The afternoon was a huge success!

Please can I remind all parents and a carers that the school day begins at 8:50am, therefore we expect pupils to be on site at 8:50am to begin their school day.

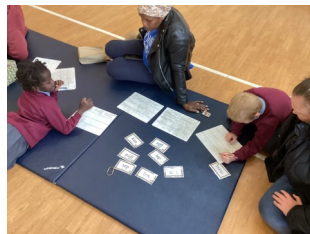
Thanks for you continued support.

Kind regards,

Miss Connell

Parent Phonics Workshop

Year 1 Parents were invited into school for a Phonics Workshop. They were shown our phonics scheme Supersonicphonicsfriends and given information about how important phonics and reading at home is to their child's learning across the curriculum. It was great to see so many parents and carers attend and be able to discuss any questions they had about supporting their child's learning. Children then joined their adults to take part in some phonics activities, games and reading. It was a fun afternoon for all!!



Early Years Stay and Play

On Wednesday 4th October we had our first 'stay and play' in Early Years. An amazing 55 parents and carers attended across the sessions and had a fabulous time exploring, playing and learning with their children. This was a great opportunity for families to engage with how our children learning in Early Years, see how their child has settled and build relationships between home and school.

Just look at all the happy faces! We look forward to our next 'stay and play' in December.



Dates for your diary

Friday 10 th November	School Photograph Day
Monday 13 th November	Odd Socks Day with a donation for Kirkby Christmas Crusade
Tuesday 14 th November	Parent Review Meetings 1:45-6:30pm
Friday 17 th November	Children in Need Day

Christmas Card Enterprise

The pupils enjoyed creating their Christmas card designs. They used a variety of resources including paints, oil pastels, chalks and crayons to create their final design. Pupils' designs have been printed on tea towels, mugs, cards and calendars. I am sure that they will make great Christmas gifts!



Girls' Football

Earlier in the term, the school's girls' football team took part in the first round of fixtures for the Knowsley Schools Girls League. Our girls won 4 games and drew 1 in the first round of fixtures. They currently stand unbeaten in their total of 9 games played overall. Well done, girls! We are so proud of you!

Mr Beckwith & Mr Myres were extremely pleased with the girls' attitudes and behaviour when representing our school. They were fantastic Park Brow role models.



Cadbury's World

Year 4 had a fantastic trip to Cadbury World! We learnt all about the history of The Maya tribe and how this ancient civilisation used the cacao bean for making drinking chocolate, to give to their warriors and even as currency! We learnt loads of fascinating facts about the way they lived and had the opportunity to see lots of Mayan artefacts. We discovered how chocolate is made, the history of the Cadbury brand and how this has developed over time. We even got the chance to enter the factory and see the moulds they use to make some of the best known products, as well as bringing lots of samples back to try! There was a 4D cinema where we rode the Crunchie Rollercoaster and had a go on the Cadabra ride. It was an action packed day.

