



# Newletter

16TH OCTOBER 2026

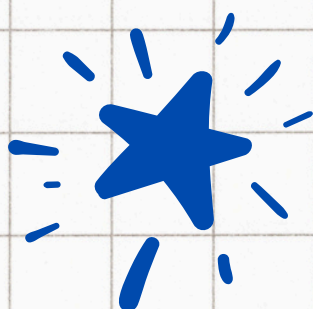
As we approach the end of our first term back, we would like to say a big thank you to all our parents and carers for your continued support in ensuring good attendance. It has been a lovely first term, and we really appreciate your support in helping our children make the most of every school day. We are looking forward to welcoming our Year 1, Year 2 and Year 3 families to our craft mornings next week. These are always a lovely opportunity to get creative together!

## Reception Admissions – September 2027

Applications for children due to start Reception in September 2027 are now open via the Knowsley Admissions website. If you have a child who is due to start Reception next year, please contact the school office for more information about our upcoming open evening events. We would love to welcome you and show you what our school has to offer!

## End of Term Reminders

A quick reminder that school will close on Thursday 22nd October at 3:20pm.  
School will also be closed on Friday 23rd October for staff INSET.  
We hope you all have a lovely, restful weekend!



## Stars of the week



## National Day of Spain

On Monday, pupils enjoyed celebrating the National Day of Spain in their classrooms! The children took part in a range of exciting activities, exploring Spanish culture through dancing, map work and art. Many pupils also enjoyed trying our special Spanish-themed lunch. It was a lovely opportunity for everyone to learn more about Spain, its culture and traditions while having lots of fun!



## Year 6 Into Univeristy

Year 6 have had a fantastic week working with IntoUniversity, learning all about World War Two. The children enjoyed a day at the IntoUniversity centre in Kirkby Town Centre, alongside a series of workshops held at Park Brow. Their learning was brought to life with a visit to a museum, giving them the opportunity to explore the topic further.

To round off the week, the children enjoyed a tour of the University of Liverpool followed by a graduation ceremony to celebrate their achievements. It has been a wonderful opportunity for the children to learn new things, develop their knowledge of WW2 and experience university life. They have thoroughly enjoyed the week, and we are very proud of their enthusiasm and engagement!



| October<br>Black History Month<br>Harvest Festival              |                                                                                                                                                                      |
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| Monday 5 <sup>th</sup> October                                  | School Photograph Day                                                                                                                                                |
| Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> October                                 | Reception 2027 intake meeting 4-5pm. <i>This is for prospective parents for pupils starting reception in September 2027</i>                                          |
| Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> October                               | Christmas Art work to go home (Information to be shared prior to this).                                                                                              |
| Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> October                                 | Christmas Art Work deadline. All work to be returned to school                                                                                                       |
| Wc 12 <sup>th</sup> October – 6 <sup>th</sup> Nov               | Year 6 Into Univeristy Weeks – <i>information to follow.</i>                                                                                                         |
| 14 <sup>th</sup> , 15 <sup>th</sup> & 16 <sup>th</sup> Ooctober | Harvest Festival 14 <sup>th</sup> , 15 <sup>th</sup> , 16 <sup>th</sup> <i>Tinned/dried food donations for food bank.</i>                                            |
| Wednesday 14 <sup>th</sup> October                              | Scarecrow completion begins – all entries to be put in the school garden.                                                                                            |
| Thursday 15 <sup>th</sup> October                               | Year 5 class assembly – 2pm in the hall.                                                                                                                             |
| Tuesday 20 <sup>th</sup> October                                | Halloween Craft Morning – Year 1 9:15-10am <i>parents are invited to attend the crafts morning in the main hall. Pupils will attend once registers are complete.</i> |
| Wednesday 21 <sup>st</sup> October                              | Halloween Craft Morning – Year 2 9:15-10am <i>parents are invited to attend the crafts morning in the main hall. Pupils will attend once registers are complete.</i> |
|                                                                 | Scarecrow Completion closing date                                                                                                                                    |
| Thursday 22 <sup>nd</sup> October                               | Halloween Craft Morning – Year 3 9:15-10am <i>parents are invited to attend the crafts morning in the main hall. Pupils will attend once registers are complete.</i> |
|                                                                 | School finishes for half term at 3:20pm. <i>Pupils return to school on Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> November</i>                                                            |
| Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> October                                 | Staff INSET day – <i>pupils should not attend school on this day</i>                                                                                                 |

# Park Brow Primary School

## Supporting families at the right time

Because every family matters



### What is Family Help?

Family Help is the right support, at the right time, to help children, young people and families before problems become bigger.

It's about working together with families, our school and local services to build on strengths, boost wellbeing and create brighter futures.



Small steps can make a big difference

### When might you need Family Help?

There's no set list – every family is different. You might want to reach out if you're feeling:

Worried about your child's behaviour or emotions

Finding things difficult at home

Concerned about your child's wellbeing or mental health

Struggling with finances or housing

Need support with parenting or routines

Or just need someone to talk to

The earlier we can help, the better outcomes for your child and family.

### What We Can Offer at School

Our school is part of the Family Help network in Knowsley. We can:



#### Listen and understand

Our caring staff get to know your child and family and are here to listen to any worries or concerns.



#### Support your child's learning

We can offer extra help, nurture support and strategies to help your child feel confident and ready to learn.



#### Connect you to the right help

We work with other services in Knowsley, such as health, mental health, parenting support and family services, to make sure you get the right support.



#### Support your family wellbeing

We can offer guidance, information and access to local support groups and services.



#### Celebrate your strengths

We see the value in every family and work with you to build on what's going well.



If you think you need Family Help support, please contact

## Miss Casey

Our Family Help Lead at Park Brow Primary School



Call or speak to Miss Casey at the school office

You can also talk to your child's class teacher or any member of our school team, who will be happy to help.

Together, we make a difference