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Brentfield News



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Tuesday 15th December 2020

DATES TO

REMEMBER

End of Term

Thursday 17th
December

Finishing Times:

Nursery &
Reception
1.15pm

Years 1, 2 & 3
1.20pm

Years 4 & 6
1.30pm

Start of Term

Tuesday 5th
January 2021

Children start at
8.30am

Dear Families of Brentfield,

I am sorry for the short notice and I appreciate the change in term dates has been an inconvenience for some families, however the health and safety of the school community has to be a priority during these times. Finishing school on Thursday 17th December will give families five days to 'isolate' before meeting up with two other households in a 'Christmas Bubble' from 23rd December.

The school has been asked by Public Health England to play a key role in supporting contact tracing during the Christmas break. If your child tests positive for Covid-19 after the end of term up to Wednesday 23rd December please email the school on emergency@brentfield.brent.sch.uk. We will then let pupils & staff know if they have to isolate.

Congratulations

Congratulations to our Timestable Rockstars Superstars. The superstars answered the most questions correctly in the fastest time within their Year group.

Congratulation to Jamil Bakri for being the Numbots Superstar for Year 1.

Abubaker Ali	Yr 6
Huda Hassan	Yr 5
Mahad Ali	Yr 4
Simran Ahmed	Yr 3
Beheshta Zahiri	Yr 2

Sorry we were unable to invite you into our Achievement assemblies but we would like to congratulate all the winners! (Please visit our website to see a list of all our Brentfield achievers this term.)

A special congratulations to all our Stars of the Term!



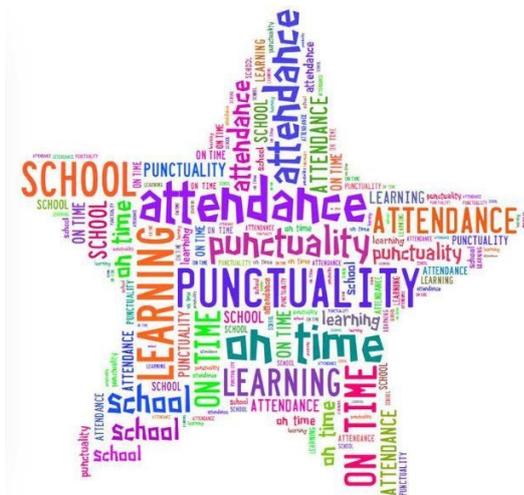
FOOD VOUCHERS

If your circumstances have changed because of Covid-19 and you would like to receive food vouchers, please call the school office, leave your name and contact number and Cindy Beggs will arrange for a voucher from our local food bank.



Everyday Counts!

Congratulations to the following classes for the best attendance this term. We will be congratulating the children who have outstanding attendance in our attendance assembly when we return in January.



We would like to congratulate our
top 5 classes.

Sapphire Class – 97.3%

Platinum Class – 97.3%

Blue Class – 96.9%

Orange Class – 96.9%

Amber Class – 96.9%

Covid-19 Winter Grant

Brent Council has been working with Edenred to administer the Covid-19 Winter Grant food voucher scheme. The scheme will provide eligible families with a £15 food voucher per child per week of the school holidays (£30 at Christmas and £15 at February half term). In addition, the council will be making a one-off payment in the new year of £50 per household for utilities. This grant will be paid to families who are entitled to benefit related free school meals. If you have a child in Reception, Year 1 or 2 and have not yet told us you are eligible for free school meals (**NOT UNIVERSAL FREE SCHOOL MEALS WHICH ALL CHILDREN ARE ENTITLED TO**), please follow the link in the text message that will be sent later today.

I would like to wish all our children & families who celebrate, a Merry Christmas and a safe and healthy New Year. I hope everyone has a well rested break and we look forward to welcoming you back to Brentfield on Tuesday 5th January 2021.

Nicola Harmer

Headteacher

