



BRENTFIELD NEWS

Issue #10

Dear Families of Brentfield,

Thank you to everyone who attended our new uniform coffee mornings to give us your views on our new school uniform. The feedback was very positive and we look forward to introducing our new jumper and PE kit in September. [Please click here](#) for further information about the new uniform and information on the new supplier.

You may come to the school office to check sizes before you order however, you will need to book via google forms. The link will be sent out on Friday 18th June.



Year 6 Sleepover

Cancelled

Year 6

Production

Tuesday 6th July

At 2.15pm

&

Thursday 8th July

at 5.30pm

Year 6

Graduation

Thursday 15th July

From 1.30pm

End of Term Tues-

day 20th July

Children finish from
1.15pm

Notices

- * Please remind your children to keep their poppets at home. They are not allowed in school.



- * Now the weather is getting hotter, please remember to bring a water bottle to school everyday.



Remember COVID rates are still high in Brent!

Please remember that the COVID restrictions are still in place to keep everyone safe. This includes ALL parents and carers waiting for their children BEHIND the barriers outside of the school.

Please remember if you or your child has a high temperature, loss of taste and smell or a persistent cough, please get a COVID-19 test and keep your child at home until you receive a result.

We are really happy to celebrate a full half term in school without any disruptions to our learning. No time was wasted!

Early Years Foundation Stage

Early Years have been learning about space and discussing what makes our planet special. Children have been learning about money and shopping, as well as using their new playground to develop their social skills, explore ways of moving and balancing, and making delicious 'food' in the mud kitchen.



Year 1 & 2

During money week, we learnt the value of the different coins and notes. We explored the difference between things we need and things we want. We also created a shopping list to make a sandwich within a budget of £5 and had fun using our written instructions to make and eat our sandwiches. Throughout the week, we worked together in groups to earn money towards a cinema treat by completing simple tasks.



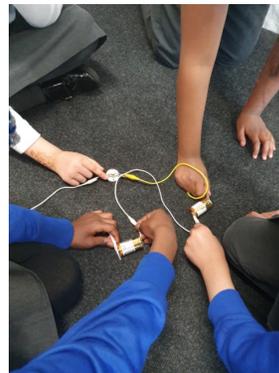
Year 3

Our scientists in Year 3 have been investigating the properties and classifying rocks! The pupils have been investigating different types of soil and which plants are best to grow in them.



Year 4

Year 4 have learnt a lot about electricity and circuits. The pupils were very excited and were engrossed in their learning.



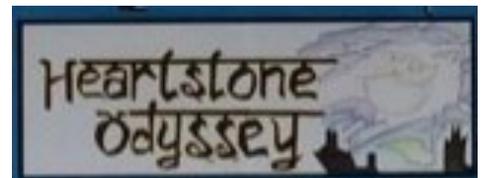
Year 5

Children in Year 5 visited Capital City Academy to be scientists and explore the wonders of science. They learnt about the PH scale and investigated the impact on acid and alkaline levels when adding solutions to liquids. The visit developed curiosity and inspired the children. Thank you Capital City for your invitation!



Year 6

During the Summer term, Year 6 have been studying a book called 'The Heartstone Odyssey' by Arvan Kumar. It is a fantasy book about hate crime, prejudice and friendship. It follows the life of an Indian dancer called Chandra who moved to England for work purposes. She works as a dancer entertaining the British public with her Indian dances however, she faces obstacles when she experiences racism and prejudice. It is a powerful story of how she overcame these obstacles with the help of her friends and stood up for what is right. Year 6 children have enjoyed this project as they have been able to discuss issues in the modern day world and relate this back to the issues that Chandra and her friends faced.



As part of the project the pupils created:

Poems based on the themes of the story: hate crime, prejudice, friendships and bravery.

Watercolour paintings looking at the differences between landscapes of England and India.

A persuasive letter to the Prime Minister encouraging him to do more to help tackle hate crime and racism.

Puzzles which created visual imagery from the book- spot the difference and join the dots.

Thank you to the Swaminarayan Temple who inspired and supported us in this project.

WEST LONDON ZONE!

We are delighted to announce that we are starting a partnership with local organisation West London Zone, in September. A West London Zone 'Link Worker' will be based in the school full time and will get to know and work with 40 pupils and their families. The Link Worker will plan and organise activities for them that they will most benefit from, such as further educational support and/or providing opportunities to develop skills and interests. We are really looking forward to getting started with them!

We will be working with WLZ and sharing information to decide which pupils are able to most benefit from the programme. If your child is selected for this opportunity, a member of staff will be in touch with further information.

