

BROADMEADOW INFANT AND NURSERY SCHOOL (8)

November

I hope that everyone was able to enjoy half term. We've had an exciting first week back at school, although the weather has been very wet and windy.

The first week back has been very busy and there has been lots of great learning going on across the school. Over the next few weeks children will be learning about some of the festivals and celebrations that many people in Birmingham take part in. Everyone has been learning about the tradition of Firework night and the importance of safety. We hope everyone has a great weekend. Stay safe.

SCHOOL PHOTOGRAPHS

The children had their photograph taken this morning with Lucy from CARMEL JANE. She commented on the children's good behaviour. Thanks to Miss Bull and Mrs Millar for their great organisation.

FLU SPRAY-MONDAY 14TH NOVEMBER

Please return your child's flu spray form as soon as possible. The spray takes just a couple of seconds and gives protection to your child and reduces spread to those who are more vulnerable.

OPEN DAYS FOR RECEPTION 2023

There is an opportunity for parents to have a guided tour and ask questions. Book your school tour via the link which is available on the website. The tour lasts approx. 1 hour.

<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/broadmeadow-infant-and-nursery-school-open-evening-tickets-429560455887>

Complete the Eventbrite booking form with your details.

Open days and times are as follows:

Monday 7th November 4:00pm

Tuesday 15th November 4:30pm

Tuesday 22nd November 4:00pm

THE START AND END OF DAY

PROCEDURES

We understand how much parents value having a daily hand over and a short interaction with staff. However, in relation to having a longer conversation about your child, this is not a suitable time, as the main focus of staff is the safe hand over of all children.

Staff can take quick or urgent messages but, if you wish to speak to the class teacher for longer, please call the school office on 0121464 4266 or e-mail office@brdmedoi.bham.sch.uk and a suitable time will be found. Thank you for your co-operation .

DON'T DELAY - RECEPTION AND YEAR

2 INFANT to Y3 JUNIOR

PLACES 2023

Online admissions opened on **1 October 2022** for **Reception and Year 2-3** (Infant to Junior) admissions in September 2023.

Applications can be made online through the [Birmingham City Council website](https://www.birminghamcitycouncil.gov.uk) until the **final deadline of 15 January , 2023.**

Please note ,as 16 April 2023 is a Sunday, **offers will be sent on Monday 17 April.**

Please contact **Annette Kemp** via the school office (0121 464 4266) on Wednesday or Thursday if you need any further assistance to log on to complete admissions forms.

ALL YOU NEED TO KNOW

<https://www.brdmedoi.bham.sch.uk/>

FIREWORK, SPARKLER & BONFIRE SAFETY

Fireworks can be great fun for families, not just around November 5 (Bonfire Night/Guy Fawkes Night), but also Diwali, New Year's Eve and birthdays.

If you are having a firework party at home, you can make the occasion fun and safe for everyone by following the Firework Code.

Have a look at ROSPA's website:

<https://www.rospa.com/home-safety/advice/fireworks-safety/>

There are tips for sparkler and bonfire safety.



Special Educational Needs



Around one in five children has Special Educational Needs (SEN) at some point during their school years, when learning is harder for them than other children of the same age, due to a variety of reasons.

Mrs Harris, the SENCO, is available to call parents on Friday afternoons to discuss individual concerns. If you would like to make an appointment for a timed call please e-mail

office@brdmedoi.bham.sch.uk

RAINY DAYS ARE HERE!

Just a reminder, now that the weather is turning wetter and colder, children need a waterproof coat, hat, scarf, gloves and sensible footwear. Also, please make sure your child's name is on all clothes. Thank you.



DATE FOR THE DIARY

Friday 18th November Non-uniform day for Children in Need. The children can choose what they would like to wear.

Pay £1 via ParentPay



CRIME PREVENTION, SAFEGUARDING ,

BEHAVIOUR AND SECURITY - CCTV

We would like to remind all parents that we have CCTV cameras operating across the whole site and focused on all the entrance gates and playgrounds.

There is a camera in the foyer. The information is shown on screens in both offices and records on to DVD recorders.