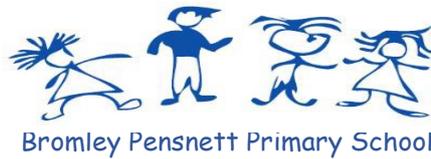


Newsletter

Friday 21st September



Dear Parents and Carers,

Thank you for all your support to make sure coming back to school has gone smoothly. Your children look so smart!

Inside this newsletter is exciting news about a new award and information about our new Learning Hub. Do check our website for information about your child's learning, as it has recently been updated.

We will be having a big push on attendance this year. The target for the whole school is 96%. The top class is 2D with 97% which is above our target. Please see the table below to see how your child's class is doing. Coming to school everyday helps make sure they don't miss out on learning, fun and building friendships. Our attendance clinics are to support you with any difficulties. Let's make this terms attendance the best yet!

As always, if you have any questions or queries, please do not hesitate to contact the main school office.

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Tomlinson

	September
Reception	94%
1D	89%
1H	88%
2D	97%
2S	91%
3/4B	92%
3/4R	86%
3/4T	96%
5R	93%
6M	86%



Breakfast Club

As of September 2018, breakfast club will cost **£2.00 per day**.

We are open every school day from **7.45am**, with last arrival being at **8.30am**.

You do not need to pre-book.

Your children will be cared for by Mrs Slater and Miss Hall, and escorted to their classroom when school begins.

Your children will have a choice of:

Cereal, toast, fruit and yogurts, and squash or milk. There may also be occasions where a different breakfast menu may be offered (e.g. bacon or sausage sandwiches)



Children have access to construction toys, books, puzzles, creative activities, computers, and games with a sports coach or teacher.



After-School Club

We also offer an after-school club which your child is welcome to attend.

You will need to pre-book your children into after-school club to ensure there are enough supplies for your child to take part in the planned activities. This can be done by filling out a form, available from the school office, at the start of the school week.

After-school club costs **£4.50 per day** for children stopping up until 4.30pm and **£6.00 per day** for children stopping until 5.45pm.

We ask that you pay this money when you hand in your after-school club form.

Upcoming Events

School Photos (Individual and Sibling)
Monday 15th October

School Disco
Date to be Confirmed

Parent's Evening
16th and 17th October
Letters with more details to follow

School Fences

Between October and December, the school will be having a new fence and gates fitted across the front of the school. This will not impact on the school whilst being installed, but will improve security when it has been finished.

Novus Community Hub

In July the school won the Novus Big 5 project. The £20,000 project helped to refurbish our old mobile classrooms. The work saw a team of 10 install a new roof, repair and redecorate the interior and exterior, fit new steps, replace doors and flooring, and install a new kitchen in just 2 weeks!

The new Novus Learning Hub offers a space where parents and carers can visit for support and advice.

Here are some pictures of the new Novus Community Hub.



Before



After



Novus and Our Community

A Note from Mrs Sampson

Hello, I am Mrs Sampson, your new SENDCO and I am delighted to be part of the Bromley-Pensnett family.

It has been a busy start to the term getting to know everyone, especially the children and the staff team who are working hard to set up extra support for those children who need it. I am here to help your children, you, and the school team to support learning needs and you are very welcome to make an appointment with me to discuss any concerns you may have. If we have identified that your child may need extra help, then I will contact you for a chat first.

I look forward to working with you to ensure that your child's life at Bromley is a happy and successful one!

The Mayor of Dudley's Heroes Drawing Competition!

This Year, Himley Bonfire will be taking place on November 3rd in celebration of the 100th anniversary of the ending of World War One.

The Mayor of Dudley would like primary school children in the borough to take part in the celebration by drawing a picture of their hero.

All you need to do is draw your hero, write a little description about why they are so special and send it off to:

The Mayor of Dudley, Dudley Council House, Priory Road, Dudley DY1 1HF by the 12th October 2018

All entries must include the following details:

Child's name, Name of Primary or Special School, Class, Child's age

All entries will be displayed at Himley Hall and on the big screen during Himley Bonfire. The Mayor will also be choosing a winner who will win family VIP tickets to the event and get the opportunity to press the button to start the Fireworks! The class of the winner will also be invited for tea with the Mayor.

Make-Up

We have noticed recently that a few girls have been attending school wearing make-up. May we remind you that this is against school rules. This includes mascara.

School Admissions 2019

Is your child due to start Primary or Secondary school in 2019?

Why not apply online?

www.gov.uk/admissions

Primary School

If your child was born between 1st September 2014 and 31st August 2015 then you will be able to apply for a school place from 1st October 2018.

You must complete an application by 15th January 2019!

Secondary School

If your child is currently in Year 6, you must complete an application for Secondary School before Wednesday 31st October 2018!



In August we were awarded the **Primary Science Quality Mark!**

This means the school has shown excellence and commitment to the teaching and learning of science.

This is a super submission, with so many strengths, and I have no hesitation in recommending it for the PSQM Award... I would quite like to be a pupil at your school!

-Bill Roffey (Reviewer)