



## Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II

1926 - 2022

We are deeply saddened by the passing of Her Majesty Queen Elizabeth II. Her dedication to the UK, other realms & territories has been an inspiration. We thank her for her service and send our deepest sympathies to the Royal Family. Whilst observing the national mourning period we will continue to support our pupils, families and staff.



**Nursery:** **DIAMOND:** AM: PM:

**Reception:** **CORAL:** All of the children in Coral. **RUBY:** All the children for Ruby Class as they have settled so well. **AMBER:** All of the children in Amber Class.

**Year 1:** **JADE:** Kyra and Henry for their amazing behaviour and participation in class. **EMERALD:** Everyone in Emerald class for settling in really well in Year 1. **TURQUOISE:** Whole class for settling in very well.

**Year 2:** **CRYSTAL:** Layla, excellent behaviour and willingness to learn. Mohammed Al Z - For excellent behaviour and attitude to learning. **ONYX:** Sharjeel, excellent attitude and behaviour. Rim for excellent attitude and behaviour. **SAPPHIRE:** Yalda, has settled in the class very easily. Bella, excellent participation in class.

**Year 3:** **TOPAZ:** All the children in Topaz. **AQUAMARINE:** Haider for good listening and great attitude. Amaya brilliant listening and behaviour. **OPAL:** Nour for trying her best in everything. Omar Y for being an amazing role model for the whole class.

**Year 4:** **GARNET:** A great start to the term. **ZIRCON:** A great start to the term. **AMMOLITE:** All the children for their great behaviour.

**Year 5:** **AMETHYST:** All children, a great start to the term. **MOLDAVITE:** All of Moldavite – great start. **PEARL:** The whole class for being so well behaved and learning the routines and rules quickly.

**Year 6:** **QUARTZ:** Nadir and Mussa, **TANZANITE:** David Thomas and Jemimah, **LAPIS-LAZULI:** Abdal Aziz and Malak,

A week of fantastic work from our amazing SUPER STARS!  
from Reception to Year 6. You are AMAZING!



### Welcome Back!

Let me take this opportunity to welcome back our wonderful pupils to a new school term. This school year will be another amazing one as we have already seen the passion in our teachers, both old and new staff throughout the first week. We have seen the smiles on our pupil's faces as they transition from one teacher to another in a new class.

I am pleased to say how impressed I am with how pupil's arrived in full uniform during the first week. I wish for this to continue throughout the year.

Thanks to Reception parents for their understanding during the staggered week to get children settled.

Apologies for the rush after school in KS2 during the first back to school rainy day, exactly at home time.

Thanks for your patience as we made the improvements over the rainy days that followed.

This year, a key focus is for all children to improve in Reading. It is also your duty to check that children are reading every day after school. If there are no books to read at home, please inform us at school.

This year we will be working even better together to ensure that we will achieve Success in Everything We Do.



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# Braintcroft E-Act Primary Academy Weekly Newsletter



THE WEEK 09. 09.2022

Breakfast Club will be back this term.

## Attendance and Punctuality

It is very important that your child attends school every day unless of course they are ill or there is another very good reason for them not attending. Frequent absences affect your child's learning. In addition, information on all absences is automatically transferred to Brent Council on a weekly basis. You **MUST** ensure that your child attends school every day and on time. Only request leave of absence in exceptional circumstances will be looked at by the Headteacher and this should be done in advance. Book any medical appointments around the school day where possible. If your child is ill or there is any other reason why they cannot attend school, please contact the school office on the first day of absence. Punctuality to school is also important. We open our gates at 8:30am and will close them at 8:45 when lessons begin. Pupils should be seated in their classes, and ready to learn before 8:45.

Families will be reported and/charged £120 for unauthorised absences in instances.

Breakfast Club will be back for those families who would like us to help them in getting the children to have a nutritious morning meal before they start their lessons. Please remember that children who are entitled to Free School Meals can come in early for breakfast.

Also, make applications online if you think your child should be receiving Free School's Meal. Check that you are not missing out on these benefits for your child, such as vouchers.

## THE LEARNING HAS STARTED!



Thank you to our Braintcroft staff for an excellent start to the new school term and for helping our children to settle in new classes.



## Our Braintcroft Staff Family



RECEPTION and other year groups had a fantastic start.



This Wednesday 14<sup>th</sup> September, please spare a few minutes after school to meet your child's teacher in their classroom.

# MEET THE TEACHER

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## We are now ready to grow WINTER CROPS

Pupils below are reaping from their garden



### The Meaning of our Values

- **S**uccess means trying to be the best that we can be
- **P**erseverance is trying and trying and never giving up
- **I**ntegrity is about being honest and doing the right thing
- **R**esilience having a can do attitude to overcome all obstacles and difficult challenges
- **I**ndependence is doing things by ourselves
- **T**houghtfulness is always thinking about the needs and feelings of others.



### READING IS ONE OF OUR KEY FOCUS FOR ALL PUPILS THIS YEAR

Please ensure that your children are reading at home. Stop them from playing games on electronic devices that are not helping their educational development. Ask for a book at school if there is nothing to read at home.

### Calendar for the start of 2022

- Fri 9<sup>th</sup> Sept**- HM Queen Elizabeth Assembly (**GG**)
- Mon 12<sup>th</sup> Sept**- Democracy and Leadership (**KK**) - Roald Dahl Day- Reading
- Tues 13<sup>th</sup> Sept** – Student Leaders Speeches (Head Boy and Head Girl+ House Captains)
- Wed 14<sup>th</sup> Sept**- Yom Kippor Day
- Wed 14<sup>th</sup> Sept** - Pupil Election Day-
- Wed 14<sup>th</sup> Sept** - Meet the Teacher Afternoon (Y 1 –6) at 3:30 PM
- Fri 16<sup>th</sup> Sept** – Safeguarding/Child protection assembly (**RH**)
- Monday 19<sup>th</sup> Sept** –NO SCHOOL QUEEN'S BANK HOLIDAY
- Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> Sept** Equality, Diversity and Inclusion Assembly (**AR**)
- Tuesday 20<sup>th</sup> Sept**- Induction meeting for all Nursery parents at 12.45
- Wed 21<sup>st</sup> Sept** - International Day of Peace
- Thurs 22<sup>nd</sup> Sept** – Coffee mornings for parents (**AFLO**)
- Fri 23<sup>rd</sup> Sept** – Jeans for Genes Day Assembly (JEANS DAY-Non uniform Day) (**CC**)
- Mon 26<sup>th</sup> Sept**- Recycling assembly (**AR**) -Recycling week – Poster Competition
- Wed 28<sup>th</sup> Sept**- World Heart Day
- Wed 28<sup>th</sup> Sept – Fri 30<sup>th</sup> Sept** -Assessment 1
- Fri 30<sup>th</sup> Sept** - British Values assembly- All values and an activity to follow (**GG**)
- Breast Cancer Awareness Day
- ADHD Awareness Day
- Mon 3<sup>rd</sup> Oct** - Child exploitation CCE/CSE assembly (**AR**) -Poetry Day (Poet in school)
- Tues 4<sup>th</sup> Oct**- National Libraries week (Visit Brent libraries during this week)
- Fri 7<sup>th</sup> Oct**- Peer on Peer/ Child on Child Assembly (**KK**)



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