



# Braintcroft E-Act Primary Academy Weekly Newsletter



STARS OF THE WEEK ENDING 20<sup>th</sup> Jan 2023

Friday January 20, 2023



## STARS OF THE WEEK



**Nursery:** **DIAMOND:** **AM:** Zainah has confidence. **PM:** Joud for writing his name.  
**Reception:** **CORAL:** Esraa, working hard during phonics. Anam, learning to work independently. **RUBY:** Sofia, improvement in phonics/writing. Amir, excellent attitude towards learning. **AMBER:** Paul, improved listening. Good, trying hard with sounding.

**Year 1:** **JADE:** Amenah, great teamwork. Fahd for enthusiasm and participation. **EMERALD:** Adam, settling in well. Zara for eating all her lunch! **TURQUOISE:** Rahil and Fariha, always working hard.

**Year 2:** **CRYSTAL:** Ayat for perseverance. Joel, working hard in lessons. **ONYX:** Nayif, being so helpful and kind. Rim, doing well with finding fractions of amounts. **SAPPHIRE:** Bella, amazing work. Heelah, beautiful handwriting.

**Year 3:** **TOPAZ:** Ahmad and Sedra, showing great improvement in their writing. **AQUAMARINE:** Adnan, impressive learning. Anayah, persistence in Reading lessons and doing well. **OPAL:** Khadidja and Anaya, trying hard in their learning.

**Year 4:** **GARNET:** Abdulbari and Usman, being ambitious with their learning. **ZIRCON:** Ayesha and Nasra, working very hard on their homework. **AMMOLITE:** Rayan, Adeeba for their independence and resilience.

**Year 5:** **AMETHYST:** Maryah, great write up on science investigation. Ali, beautiful presentation in writing book. **MOLDAVITE:** Raul, showing integrity and honesty at all times. Eilin, showing great independence in her work. **PEARL:** Ahad, Ruweyda, for their resilience in Maths.

**Year 6:** **QUARTZ:** Saja and Hezbullah, **TANZANITE:** Adelina, excellent effort in writing. Ismail, being a good role model to his peers. **LAPIS-LAZULI:** Samar new improved attitude towards learning. Mais, being amazing every time.

## THANK YOU FOR ATTENDING OUR PTA COFFEE MORNING!

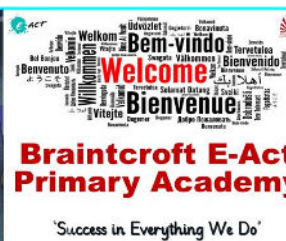
I want to express gratitude on behalf of all the staff at our school, to those parents who were able to attend the Coffee Morning. I do understand that some parents had to work or had other engagements and could not attend.

It is always good to have the conversations with parents face to face about things that are of concern to them. We take your arguments on board and I do hope there is better understanding about what we do as a school in relation to PSHE and RSE.

Please view the calendar of upcoming events and key dates so that you can get involved in the planning of some of these events.

Thanks again for your cooperation and continued support.

Ms Rosewell



## Key Events for 2023 at Braintcroft

- Friday 10th Feb** - Healthy Community Day- (Pupils wear PE Kit)
- Tuesday 21st Feb** - Pancake Day Sale
- Thursday 2nd Mar** - World Book Day Festival- Dress up as Book character
- Mon 6th - 10th March** - Careers Week
- Friday 10th Mar** is Careers Day-Children Dress up in clothes of any chosen job.
- Wed 8th Mar** - International Women's Day – Women Pampering Day
- Tues 14th March** – Commonwealth Games Day- PE Kit for activities
- Friday 17th March**- Red Nose Day
- Wed 22nd Mar-Fri 21st April**- Ramadan
- Mon 3rd April-Friday 14th April** -Easter Holiday
- Mon 1st May**- Early Bank Holiday
- Mon 8th May**- King Charles Coronation-Bank Holiday
- Fri 20th May** Staff and Teacher's Appreciation Day- Cake sale – Cake sale
- Friday 26th May**, International Day-
- Fri 16th June**- Dads and Lads in school
- Fri 23rd June** - Business Enterprise/Dragon's Den
- Thur 6th July** - E-Act Celebration- Birmingham
- Fri 7th July** – School Summer Fair
- Thursday 13th July:** Year 6 Graduation
- Fri 21st July**- Last Day for Students
- Monday July 24th**- Staff INSET



RECEPTION STARS!

## OUR SCHOOL MANTRA:

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Reception Children



Humpty Dumpty by Nursery children



It was good to see the men in the back of the room who turned up and participated well in discussions.



Another SMOOTHIE making Super Star. We will invite them again.



**AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS AND INTERVENTIONS!**

Please ensure that pupils attend their class interventions after school and other clubs.



**MUSIC CLUB AFTER SCHOOL!**



**Year 3 Pupils singing a Bob Marley song with Mr Dyke in the Music Room.**

**Upcoming Events!**

- Tues 24<sup>th</sup> Jan**- House Leaders Meeting with Mr Goma.
- Fri 27<sup>th</sup> Jan**- Holocaust Memorial Day Assembly CC
- 30<sup>th</sup> Jan – Mon 6<sup>th</sup> Feb** - National storytelling Week
- Mon 30<sup>th</sup> Jan**- Mental Health assembly (Time to Talk)
- Thurs 2<sup>nd</sup> Feb** - EYFS Dental Workshops for parents and students
- Thurs 2<sup>nd</sup> Feb**- Time to Talk Day
- Fri 3<sup>rd</sup> Feb** - Global Goals
- Mon 6<sup>th</sup> Feb** - Safer Internet Assembly
- Mon 6<sup>th</sup>- Sun 12<sup>th</sup> Feb**- Children's Mental Health Week
- Fri 10<sup>th</sup> Feb** - Healthy Community Day



ASPENS is the company that provides our meals for our pupils. Their staff engaged our pupils in two days of Healthy Eating, where pupils made their own SMOOTHIE.

**ATTENDANCE MATTERS!**

After issuing fines, sending out letters, have 1:1 meeting with parents, we are still having casual absences and are not reaching our target of 96%. This week our attendance was 93% and the only class with 100% attendance was Year 5 Amethyst. Well done to Ms Cyrus and her pupils.

Please do not allow pupils to take days off when they are well enough to attend school. Nursery and Reception children must attend school every day. Whenever they are absent, it impacts negatively on whole school attendance and their learning.



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