## Broadwood Primary School Weekly News



Autumn Term 5<sup>th</sup> edition

## Weekly attendance:

Week ending: 3rd October

Nursery	N/A		
Reception	<mark>93%</mark>		
Year 1	<mark>92%</mark>		
Year 2	<mark>89%</mark>		
Year 3	<mark>92%</mark>		
Year 4	96%		
Year 5	<mark>88%</mark>		
Year 6	98%		
Weekly average	<mark>93%</mark>		
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Below 90% has a drastic effect on academic achievement

91%-95% is a cause for concern

96%-100% is Excellent attendances

'Well done' to Year 6 this week – very impressive attendance!

## Stars of the Week:

Nursery	Sinem	
Reception	Hussain	
Year 1	Billy	
Year 2	Aadish	
Year 3	Oliver R	
Year 4	Jaxon	
Year 5	Lennie	
Year 6	Lacey	
Hi Arp	Lizzie	

Communication We use various platforms to communicate with families, including Seesaw, Facebook, newsletters, Twitter, texts and our website. Please ask at our office for assistance with accessing any of these platforms.

Parent/Carer Views Your views are important to us as we are always striving to improve. Please complete the parent/carer survey we have sent to you, via text message.

Early Years' Open Evening We are pleased to announce that on Tuesday 7th October at 4pm, we will be hosting an Early Years Open Evening for families considering enrolment in our Early Years provision for next September.

## **Dates for your Diary**

Date	Activity	Date	Activity
6 <sup>th</sup> October	Year 2 Library Visit	8 <sup>th</sup> October	Year 6 Careers Fayre
7 <sup>th</sup> October	Year 5 STEM Fest	9 <sup>th</sup> October	Year 2 Quayside
7 <sup>th</sup> October	Year 2 Scotswood Garden	10 <sup>th</sup> October	World Mental Health Day
7 <sup>th</sup> October	Early Years Open Evening	10 <sup>th</sup> October	Year 4 Parents residential











This week, our Year 6 children embarked on an enriching and interactive trip to Safety Works, where they gained invaluable insights into road safety, dog safety, and fire safety. The children then shared several useful tips.

Concerning dog safety, they learnt to remember the 3C's: Check with the owner before approaching a dog, Call the dog over, and Count to three while stroking it to ensure the dog is comfortable. We discussed our school dog, Broadie, who is gentle due to his experience with children, however, not all dogs are as calm and gentle.

In terms of water safety, the children were advised that if they find themselves in deep water and unable to swim, they should lie on their back in a star shape, shout for help, and wave one hand. They were reminded never to jump into the water to attempt a rescue but to look for a life ring instead.