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Reminder - If you need newsletters or policies translated, please contact the office.

The following dates are a small fraction of the term and diary dates the school have arranged. Please check our website for future dates, events, Insets and term dates: Broom Barns Primary School » Diary Dates

Mon 28th October 2024 - Fri 1st November	Half Term
Mon 4th November 2024	Children Return to School at 8.50am
Wed 13 th November 2024	Nasal Flu vaccinations
Fri 29th November 2024	Decoration Day
Tue 10th December 2024	Y3 Swimming Lessons ends for the term
Thu 12th December 2024, 11:00am - 12:00pm	Nursery Songs - Parents/Carers invited
Thu 12th December 2024, 2:00pm - 3:00pm	Nativity Performance to Parents/Carers
Fri 13th December 2024, 5:00pm - 6:30pm	Christmas Family Disco - All children MUST be with an adult
Mon 16th December 2024, 9:30am - 10:30am	KS2 Church Carol Service
Mon 16th December 2024, 1:30pm - 3:00pm	Class Parties
Tue 17th December 2024	Christmas Dinner & Christmas Jumper Day (£1 donation)
Wed 18th December 2024	Peter Pan Pantomime - children collect from the Stevenage Leisure Park
19 th Dec to 3 rd Jan	Christmas Break
3 rd Jan 2025, 8:50am	Children return to school

Senco Surgery 25/11/24 - 1.30-3.20pm



Please can we remind parent/carers that PE kits and Swimming kits should be bought to school in a drawstring bag NOT a backpack. Backpacks are far too large for our cloakrooms. Thank you for your continued cooperation and support.



Earrings

We are writing to remind you about the school policy regarding the wearing of jewellery, specifically earrings. In line with our uniform and health and safety guidelines, we kindly remind all students that only stud earrings are permitted on school premises. Hoop earrings or any other form of jewellery are not allowed for the safety of all pupils. This rule extends to physical education (P.E.) classes, where no earrings should be worn. We ask parents to ensure that their child removes their earrings before school or that the child can do it themselves before P.E. classes/swimming. Your cooperation in this matter is greatly appreciated.



Congratulations to Miss Hindle on the birth of her son. We are looking forward to meeting him soon.





4th Nov to 29th Nov - Reverse Advent Calendar

After the success of the last seven years 'Reverse Advent Calendar', we would again like you to support us in this very worthy initiative, especially in these continued unprecedented times with so some many families being affected. A separate letter has gone out with a list of items requested.



29th November from 9.00 to 10.00am- Non-uniform and Decoration Day.

Parents/Carers/Grandparents are welcome to come and join their children in the morning to make decorations to decorate the school for the festive season. Please don't let the children come in their best clothes as they will be using glitter, paints, glues etc. - it can be messy (jeans are allowed)!! Please do not bring other children to this event, it is meant to be a special occasion for your child.



please click the link below for the nessie booking system.

nessie public booking platform v2.0 (procfu.com)

Respect

Our staff have the right to work in a happy and safe environment.

They are committed to dealing with any concern or difficulty which may arise and would hope to resolve them effectively.

However, we do not expect them to tolerate violent, aggressive, abusive or threatening behaviour.

Please treat our staff with respect.

Attendance

What YOU must do:

Try to telephone the school before 8.30am each day of your child's absence.

Tell the school in advance, of any medical appointments and bring in appointment cards/letters.

If you are not sure whether your child is well enough to attend school, send them in anyway as they often perk up on arrival.

Have a backup plan for if your child misses transport, call on a family member, neighbour or friend.

If you and your child are experiencing difficulties with school attendance then talk to us as a first step so we can help!

What WE will do:

Check your child's attendance every day.

Phone home to discuss your child's attendance with you.

Invite you into school for attendance meetings if we are concerned.

If we cannot establish a reason for absence, then we may make a welfare home visit.



If you would like to follow us on Instagram, please send you Instagram username into school via your Arbor App messages, so we can confirm identity. Thank you.

The school also has an Instagram account: Broombarnsprimary (Official).

Please note we do not use the Instagram message section for communication.



Boosters - in your Arbor app, clubs section.

Don't forget to sign up for our free breakfast boosters.

Y5 & Y6 breakfast booster every Monday, Wednesday, and Friday

Y3 & Y4 breakfast booster every Tuesday and Thursday

Year 6 - Moving on to Secondary School September 2025

School open events and key dates for secondary / upper transfer Information for parents/carers with children in year 5 at primary/junior schools and year 7 at middle schools.

Further information about moving to secondary or upper school in September 2025

will be available at www.hertfordshire.gov.uk/admissions