



Brede Bulletin

13th September 2024

Responsibility Inquisitiveness Confidence Inspiration Respect

Dear Parents and Carers. Welcome to our new children and families. It's been wonderful to finally say hello. The Year 6 pupils are taking their 'Buddy' roles very seriously and helping our youngest children settle into school. #hotchocolatefriyay! started today, with eight children across the school getting WOW note invitations, for going over and above the expectations laid out in our school charter. I was also very impressed to see lots of names on the classroom WOW Walls. Next week's Right is the Right to play, which is very opportune, due to the new playground equipment that arrived this week. Have a great weekend, everyone. Julie Knock

Our School Charter

Each week we work as a team to demonstrate our responsibility and commitment to ensuring everyone at Brede Primary School has ...



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| The Right to be heard | The Right to be included | The Right to learn | The Right to be me | The Right to play | The Right to be safe |
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This week's Right was The Right To Learn

... and look who was invited to #hotchocolatefriyay! for going over and above this week:



<p>Hedgehogs</p>	<p>Rabbits</p>	<p>Foxes</p>	<p>Owls</p>
Rosie River	Freya Kelan	Haytham Ananda	Vinnie Jasper

	<p><u>Reading Certificates</u> Reading certificates will be given out soon, so keep your reading records up to date.</p>
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	<p><u>Your PTFA needs you!</u></p> <p>Thank you to the parents from Hedgehogs Class that have already nominated two parent representatives. We are just waiting on nominations from Rabbits, Foxes and Owls classes. We cannot stress how important this committee is, particularly at a time when school funding is increasingly stretched. The PTFA run a number of fun events and raise much needed additional funds for the school. These events, including school discos and the Christmas fair cannot happen without your support. This year, we are seeking two parent representatives from each class to form the PTFA committee. Miss Nugent and Mrs Knock will also be on hand to support wherever they can. Have a chat with the other parents from your class and drop an email to the school office with the nominated names by Friday 20th September.</p>
	<p><u>Is your child entitled to free school meals?</u></p> <p>Children in Year 3 and above may get free school meals if their parents or carers get any of these benefits:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Universal Credit - GOV.UK (with an annual household income below £7,400 after tax, not including other benefits). • Income Support - GOV.UK • Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance (JSA) - GOV.UK • Income-based Employment and Support Allowance (ESA) - GOV.UK • Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999 - GOV.UK • The Guaranteed element of State Pension Credit - GOV.UK • Child Tax Credit - GOV.UK (with an annual household income less than £16,190). • Working Tax Credit run-on (paid for 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit). Anyone who gets Working Tax Credit itself, won't get free school meals. <p>Find out more here.</p>
	<p><u>PE Kit in School</u></p> <p>Please can we remind parents that children must have a PE kit in school every day. Children must have available a t-shirt, shorts and suitable footwear stored in a drawstring bag on their coat-peg every day. If you are having any difficulty providing this, please contact the main school office.</p>
	<p><u>The East Sussex Parenting Team</u></p> <p>Being a parent is amazing, but we all need some help, advice and practical tips at times... and let's be honest parenting during a pandemic has been particularly stressful! The East Sussex Parenting Team is on hand to deliver tried, tested and internationally renowned parenting programmes to help you and your children get the support that you need.</p> <p>We all have very busy lives and different needs, for this reason the service is not a "one size fits all" but rather a selection of different programmes that you can choose from. Find out more here.</p>



[Keeping Children Safe online.](#)

We teach online safety to all year groups at school, with the aim of protecting children when using digital technologies. Below are some helpful websites which parents can also use to get further information about how they can support their children at home.

[Thinkuknow](#)

[Keeping Children Safe Online - CBeebies](#)

[Internetmatters – get smart about smartphones](#)

[Childnet](#)

[Online Safety Guidance for Parents](#)

[Young People and Screen Time – A Good Start](#)

[SWGFL: The TikTok Checklist](#)

[SWGFL: The Snapchat Checklist](#)

[SWGFL: The Roblox Checklist](#)

[SWGFL: The Netflix Checklist](#)

[SWGFL: The Instagram Checklist](#)

[SWGFL: The Yubo Checklist](#)

[Password Management and Security](#)

[SWGFL: Online Safety Podcast](#)

[Family Hub East Sussex.](#)

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	<p>Advice and Support for Families</p> <p>Did you know that our school website offers a host of useful links on advice and support for parents and carers? Everything from cost of living advice and support, to managing a child’s challenging behaviour at home. More information is available here. It also contains a host of other information, including school policies and Special Educational Needs.</p>																
	<p>Childcare Sufficiency Parental Survey.</p> <p>East Sussex County Council is attempting to secure enough childcare places as far as is reasonably practicable, for parents and carers who are working, studying, or training for employment. The feedback from parents and carers will help them to form their 2025 Childcare Sufficiency Duty Report. The survey can be completed by clicking the link below. Responses will need to be submitted by the 7th October.</p> <p>https://consultation.eastsussex.gov.uk/childrens-services/copy-of-childcare-sufficiency-duty-parental-survey</p>																
	<p>Have Your Details Changed?</p> <p>This is a reminder to all parents/guardians to notify the school office of any changes, such as medical conditions, home addresses, contacts and permissions you wish to reconsider i.e. use of your child’s photo.</p>																
	<p>Parking Outside School at Drop Off and Pick Up</p> <p>The road outside of Brede Primary can get very busy during drop off and pick up times and it is important that parents and visitors park safely. Please do not park on the yellow zig zag lines or across our neighbour’s driveways. The yellow zig-zag lines are a no stopping zone during the following times:</p>																
	<p>As illnesses continue to circulate NHS England has published advice on their website. It lists all the most common childhood illnesses and their advice regarding attendance at school, including when to contact your GP.</p> <p>NHS England: Is my child too ill for school?</p>																
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	Week beginning 28/10/24	Half Term	Whole School
	Thursday 24/10/2024	Individual School Photos	Whole School
	Monday 09/12/2024	Flu vaccination	Whole School
	Wednesday 11/12/24	Christmas Fair– more information to come.	Whole School
	17/12/24	Nativity Concert– more information to come.	Hedgehog and Rabbits classes
	18/12/24	Christmas Dinner	Whole School
	19/12/24	Christmas parties	Whole School
	INSET DAYS 2024/2025	24th February 2025 21st July 2025 22nd July 2025	Whole School
	<p>Safeguarding</p> <p>If you have any concerns regarding safeguarding, please speak to any of the staff below:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Mrs Burrows – Designated Safeguarding Lead • Mrs Bulgin, Mrs Knock/Miss Nugent - Deputy DSLs 		