



Brede Bulletin

31st March 2023

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Dear Parents and Carers, it's been a very busy week at Brede Primary. Lots of children have been out and about on trips and sporting activities. Thank you to all the teachers, support staff and volunteers who made these happen this week. It was lovely to see so many parents and family members come together on the recreation ground yesterday for our Easter egg and spoon race. The children had lots of fun and it was wonderful to see the older children working alongside and supporting the youngest children in the school. Thank you to those who came. Have a wonderful Easter break, everyone!

Mrs Knock

	<p><u>Star of the Week</u> Congratulations to our stars of the week, who are celebrated for being excellent listeners Owls: Chloe P for great listening and focus in class. Foxes: Queenie for being a super star listener, not only this week but every day. Rabbits: Jerson for great listening at Rabbit's trip to The Bright Foundation this week. Hedgehogs: Kieron: For all round fabulous listening, Kieron. Well done!</p>
	<p><u>Readers of the Week</u> Congratulations to our readers of the week: Owls: Maci, Heidi, Evie and Kai. Foxes: Saskia, Oliver, Orlagh, Caroline and Rose. Rabbits: Elspeth, Harriet, Harley, Ren and WyndSOR. Hedgehogs: Mostyn, Ayrton and Phoenix. The end of term class awards went to: Rabbits and Foxes.</p>
	<p><u>Reading Certificates</u> Stage 3 for reading 100 times goes to: Cali, Harriet, Daisy S, Mireya. Stage 4 for reading 150 times goes to: Evelyn.</p>
	<p><u>Indoor Football</u> Congratulations to the Year 4 boys' indoor football team who finished third at the tournament on Tuesday. The fast paced games gave our team the chance to display great skill and sportsmanship. Thank you to Mrs Ransley for acting as 'Team Manager.'</p>
	<p><u>St George's Church</u> Foxes Class started the week of trips by visiting St George's Church on Monday. Father Owen spoke to the children about how Christians will be celebrating Holy week at the church. The children had a chance to see lots of artefacts, clothing, taste unblessed communion bread, be sprayed with Holy water and ask lots and lots of questions. A great time was had by all.</p>

Eggcellent Easter Fun

Thursday, saw Brede turn into an eggtravaganza of Easter fun. From egg decorating to egg and spoon races to Easter themed prizes, a great time was had by all. Congratulations to our race champions: Miss Skidmore's Group, and our egg decorating winners: Elizabeth, Oscar H, Queenie, Tommy F, Wyndsor, Edward and Elouise. All the entries were fantastic, the judges were blown away by the innovative idea and creative skill of everyone who took part.



Bright Foundation

Rabbits Class visited The Bright Foundation on Wednesday to watch *The Hug* performed by Long Nose Puppets and Annie Brooks. 'The Hug' by Eoin McLaughlin and Polly Dunbar, is a tale of hope, empathy and acceptance. The children took part in a puppet making workshop, toured the Foundations wonderful toy and puppet museum and all left having had a very special hug with the fantastic puppets.



Cost of Living Support for Families



The current rising cost of living is affecting everybody in different ways and we want to support those most affected. We can sign post you to a number of different support mechanisms from financial to food, education to employment. Please do speak to Mrs Bulgin or visit:

<https://www.eastsussex.gov.uk/community/cost-of-living-support>

Parking



Just a gentle reminder to park with consideration for our neighbours and school community. Please don't block driveways or make it difficult for vehicles and pedestrians to pass safely. Thank you.



Headlice

May we remind parents to check your children regularly for Head lice and treat. Further advice is available [here](#).



As winter 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.

[NHS England: Is my child too ill for school?](#)

Diary Dates

Wednesday 19/4/23	Sussex Primary School Cross Country final	Maci G and Finn D
Friday 21/04/23	Tempest Photos (whole Class)	Whole School
Tuesday 25/4/23	Multi-skills @ Northiam	Y2 pupils
Wednesday 26/4/23	Kent Life trip	Rabbits
Thursday 27/04/23	World Daily Mile Day	Whole School
Tuesday 2/5/23	Multi-skills @ Northiam	Y1 pupils
9/5 – 12/5	KS2 SATS	Year 6 pupils
Wk beg 15/5	KS1 SATS	Year 2 pupils
18 th May – 29 th June	Swimming Yr 4 & 5	Letter to follow
Tuesday 23/5/23	Basketball @ Northiam	Y5 selected pupils
Wk beg 12/6	Phonics Screening Check	Y1 pupils
Monday 5/6/23	INSET	School closed to pupils
Wednesday 21/6/23	Sports Day (Reserve date 28/6/23)	Hedgehogs/ Rabbits am Foxes/ Owls pm
Tuesday 07/11/23	Tempest Photography (individual pupil photos)	Whole School



Safeguarding

If you have any concerns regarding safeguarding, please speak to any of the staff below:

- Mrs Bulgin – Designated Safeguarding Lead
- Mrs Burrows / Mrs Knock - Deputy DSLs