

# Brooke Primary Academy

## Weekly News

The KS2 Student Council started off the week by leading the whole school assembly, focusing on our fundraising event **March for May**.

A leader from ClicSargent will be leading the assembly on Monday, to explain to the children how their fundraising will help others.

### Pupil of the Week

Well done to the following children who have been awarded pupil of the week for going the extra mile with their learning / displaying the school values.

<u>Class</u>	<u>Pupil</u>
F2 Mrs Binns/Baxter	Oliver S
Y1 Mrs Brown/Miss French	Ruby R
Y1/2 Mrs Head	Olivia W
Y2 Miss Hennigan	Matthew M
Y3 Mr Moore	Amelia H
Y3 Miss Saul	Franc M
Y4 Mrs Parkin	Danielle G
Y4 Miss Merry	Keegan H
Y5 Mr Thomas	Hugh R
Y5 Mr Farrand/Mrs Sanders	Ella E
Y6 Mrs Marshall	Harley W
Y6 Miss Jackson	Laila S



### Census Day

Thursday (20.04.21) is school census day. It is important that all children attend school on this day.

DOLCE have organised a special menu for the day, based on Euro 2021 football championship. You can look at the options through the link below.

[J003740 Dolce Euro-Menu A4 NEW V2 \(brookeprimaryacademy.org.uk\)](https://www.brookeprimaryacademy.org.uk/j003740-Dolce-Euro-Menu-A4-NEW-V2)



W/E 14<sup>th</sup> May 2021

**Attendance Challenge Winners – W/E 07/05/2021 (Week 4 of Summer 1)**

Key

Attendance is at or above the school target of 96-97%

Attendance is between 92 – 96%, below school target and being monitored

Attendance is below 92% and significantly below the school target of 97%. Action to improve attendance needed

Phase	Class	Percentage	Winner
EYFS	F1 Mrs Whitfield	95.9%	All children who achieved 100% will have a dip in the box
	F2 Mrs Binns/Baxter	98.9%	
KS1	Y1 Mrs Brown/Miss French	94.4%	Y2 Miss Hennigan's class – Dojo Shop prize
	Y1/2 Mrs Head	93.5%	
	Y2 Miss Hennigan	98.7%	
LKS2	Y3 Miss Saul	83.2%	Y4 Miss Merry's class – Breakfast goodies
	Y3 Mr Moore	97.2%	
	Y4 Mrs Parkin	82.9%	
	Y4 Miss Merry	97.8%	
UKS2	Y5 Mr Thomas	95.7%	Y6 Miss Jackson's class – Non-uniform day on Mon 17.05.21
	Y5 Mr Farrand/Mrs Sanders	95.8%	
	Y6 Mrs Marshall	94.8%	
	Y6 Miss Jackson	99.5%	

**Student Council Poster Competition**

We are completing the March for May Challenge.

We want you to design a poster to promote the event to people in the community. Your poster must include the following information:

**Brooke Primary Academy March for May Challenge  
WC 24th May 2021**

**Fundraising for Shine and Cliv Sargent**

**Target £1000**

**If you would like to sponsor us, please go to our Just Giving Page.**

Posters should be handed in to your School Council Representative by **Monday 17th May.**



**March for May**

Please sponsor us to raise money for two fantastic charities. Spread the word within the community and come and cheer us on! Details of the event can be found at the link below.

[Captain-Tom.pdf \(brookeprimaryacademy.org.uk\)](http://brookeprimaryacademy.org.uk)

The Student Council are running a competition. There are great prizes to be won.



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## Healthy Eating

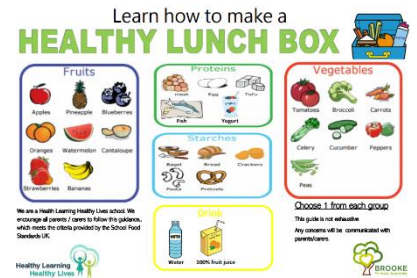
We are a Healthy Learning Healthy Lives school. Our food provider, Dolce, ensures that its food meets the Food Standards Agency guidance.

For children bringing a packet lunch, we expect parents to follow our Healthy Lunch Box guidance, as this meets the standards expected to be a Healthy Learning Healthy Lives school.

[Brooke-Healthy-Lunch-Box.pdf \(brookeprimaryacademy.org.uk\)](#)

Please remember not to send in fizzy drinks or sweets. Chocolate should be kept to a minimum.

Further guidance can be found in our school policy [Healthy-food-and-drinks-policy.pdf \(brookeprimaryacademy.org.uk\)](#)



## Baking

We are trying to organise for all of the children in Y1 – Y6 to take part in an additional baking session before the end of the academic year. If you enjoy baking and are able to help, please contact the school.

A BIG thank you to our existing volunteers, Mrs Wass, Mrs Stent and Mrs Morris who will start baking with the children over the next few weeks.



## Coronavirus

As the easing of restrictions continues, we will continue to apply our current risk assessment, for now. The children's education is not being affected by this. We are providing the full curriculum and the restrictions we have put in place are being applied well in school. These include:

- Children working as a 'bubble' (from Monday KS1 will be one bubble)
- Limited movement throughout school
- Regular hand washing and sanitising
- One-way system on entry and exit of the school site
- Parents encouraged to wear face masks on entry and exit to the school site

Coronavirus has made us think differently about the organisation of the school. Please let us know about any of the changes that you feel should continue in the new academic year.

## Parent Focus Group Meeting

The meeting was held on Tuesday through Zoom. We really appreciate the support of the parents who have been attending. However, we need more parents to attend.

Without parent support we will struggle to provide the 'extras' such as discos, fayres and events that are financed through fundraising i.e. pantomime.

The next meeting is on **Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> June**. We would love to see more parents there!

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**Important Dates**

- WC Monday 24<sup>th</sup> May – March for May
- 31<sup>st</sup> May – 4<sup>th</sup> June – Half Term (School Closed)
- Monday 7<sup>th</sup> June – School reopens
- Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> June – Parent Focus Group meeting
- Friday 16<sup>th</sup> July – Final day of this academic year.



Wishing everyone a lovely weekend.

Emma Levers

Head of School