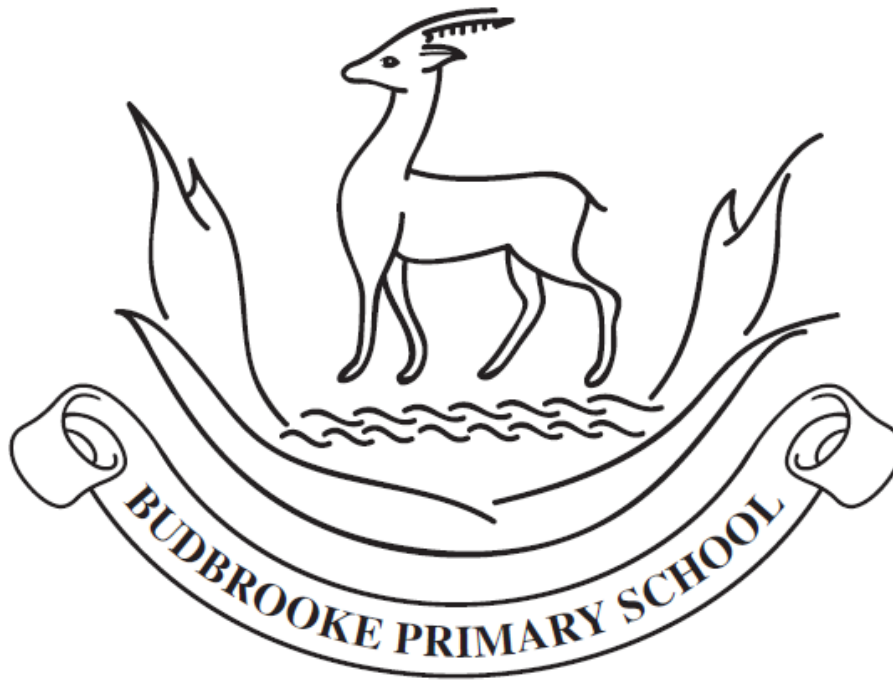


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Friday 10th January - Spring Term 1, Week 1

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A message from the Acting Head of School



Dear parents,

Welcome back to a new and exciting term! It has been wonderful to welcome all pupils back and hear about their amazing adventures during the half term break.

Pupils are embracing their new curriculum themed learning - please look out for your child's Curriculum Newsletter that will be sent to you soon. The Curriculum Newsletter contains details about all areas of your child's learning throughout the Spring Term so that you can encourage and support their learning journey, if there is anything that you think you would be able to provide to support our new curriculum themes across the school we would love to hear from you.

Spring Term at Budbrooke:

Maple Class (Reception) - Long ago / Ready Steady Grow

Elm Class (Year 1) - Bright lights, big city

Beech Class (Year 2) - Coastline

Holly Class (Year 3) - Rocks, relics and rumbles

Chestnut Class (Year 4) - Misty Mountain, winding river

Redwood Class (Year 5) - Sow, grow and farm

Cherry Class (Year 6) - Frozen Kingdom

I have already seen some fantastic examples of learning this week and I cannot wait to see what pupils are going to achieve this term.

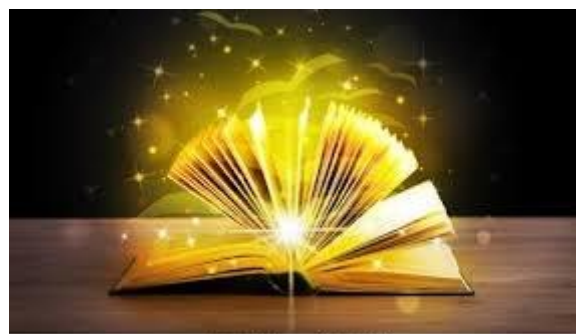
Have a lovely weekend,

Mrs. Lisa Hopkins

Acting Head of School

Achievement Assembly

On Friday afternoons we celebrate the special achievements of one pupil from each class. If your child is chosen by their class teacher to celebrate their achievements, you will receive an invitation via email to come into school and watch your child receive their certificate. All details will be included in the email sent to you on the day before the Achievement Assembly takes place. We look forward to welcoming you into school and celebrating your child's achievements with you.

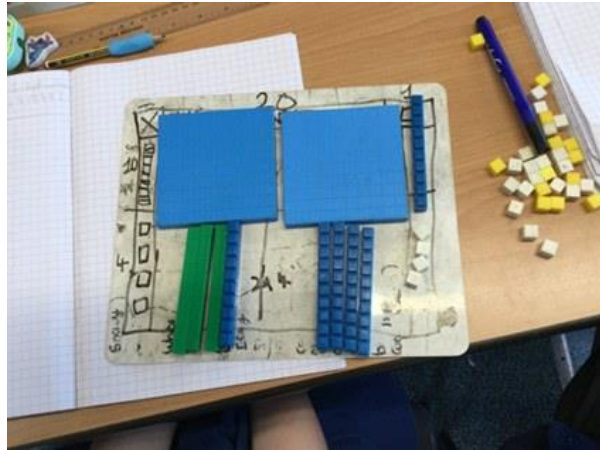


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Redwood Class Spotlight







Redwood have had a spectacular, spidery start to the spring term. We have started our new writing unit which so far we know features a spider and a farm. We have been working on predicting the links between some picture clues from the book (to be revealed next week!) along with researching to find out how to care for spiders to put together a leaflet using this knowledge.

In art we have been investigating into the continuous line technique pioneered by Pablo Picasso. The children enjoyed recreating some of his pieces and a few of their own!

In maths we have started work on our second unit of multiplication and division exploring multiplication and division using manipulatives.

Our Grow, Sow and Farm topic has begun with the children considering the land used for allotments and learning some of the vocabulary used when considering agriculture. In science we have been learning about the life cycles to identify similarities and differences between species.

National Story Telling Week



Dear Parents/Guardians,

The week beginning the 3rd February is National Story Telling week. Throughout the week, children will learn about story-telling and will each create their own story to tell.

We would like to invite parents/guardians and family members to come into school for a story-telling session in which your child can share their work with you.

The sessions will be as follows:

KS1: Thursday 6th February at 2.30pm

KS2: Friday 7th February at 2.30pm

Please be aware we can only extend the invite to 2 adults per family due to capacity. Children will be expected to stay until the end of the school day. For pupil safety, at 3.15pm, we will expect parents to go and wait on the playground while children are dismissed. If you have more than one child within the school, you will be able to go between your children's classes.

We recognise that there will be some of you who are unable to make it. Please do not worry, we will ensure children have a school adult to share their work with. Children will also take their work home. We would welcome it if families who were unable to make it, could send in a photo of them sharing their child's story at home.

Yours Sincerely,

Ms Whittall

English Lead

House Captain Spotlight

As House Captains we are the leaders for our Houses: Emerald, Sapphire and Ruby.

We enjoy ensuring the whole school have good experiences in everything we do. We are working hard at lunchtimes to collect and calculate the number of stars that members of our houses have been receiving each week, and we announce the winners in Achievement Assembly every week. The results are displayed in the school hall. Our main aim for this term is to encourage everyone to follow our 5 Budbrooke Values; Consideration, Collaboration, Challenge, Confidence and Curiosity, so that each house can gain more stars. We hope that this will make everyone want to work hard both in and out of lessons. Each house will be making posters to display around the school to remind everyone. We will also be holding regular meetings to discuss our future actions, and competitions that we are going to hold this term.

Census Promotional Lunch



Don't forget to book your Jungle Explorer Lunch for Thursday!

Amazon Wish List- A huge Thank You

We would like to say a huge thank you to those families who have contributed to our new Reading and Writing curriculum through donations from our Amazon wish list, it is having a very positive impact in the classroom.

For those families who would still like to contribute please find the link below:

<https://amzn.eu/6g0XwQF>



NHS Pharmacy First Service- Think Pharmacy First.

NHS Pharmacy First Service

Did you know that the NHS Pharmacy First Service enables children and adults to get convenient access to healthcare advice and treatment where appropriate, for seven common conditions without the potential delay of having to wait for a GP appointment? Accessing the service may mean that can help children feel better and back to school as quickly as possible, as well as supporting parents/carers to also get better if they are unwell with one of the conditions covered under the service.

There is no need to make an appointment; parents or carers can pop into their local Boots pharmacy with their child and ask for help under the service.

The person will see a pharmacist in a private consultation room. The pharmacist will provide advice and, if clinically appropriate, offer to supply treatment for the condition*. If treatment is provided, an electronic message will be sent to the person's GP surgery so their health record can be updated.

Should the pharmacist be unable to help, they will direct the person to their GP surgery or other healthcare professional, as appropriate.

Support for the following conditions can be accessed under the service, free of charge (unless NHS prescription charges apply):

Common condition / Patient eligibility

Earache- 1 to 17 years

Impetigo- 1 year and over

Infected insect bites and stings- 1 year and over

Sore throats- 5 years and over

Sinusitis- 12 years and over

Uncomplicated urinary tract- Women 16 to 64 years

Shingles- 18 years and over

With the ever-increasing pressures on the NHS, particularly during these busy winter months, it is important to us, as a community pharmacy, that we do all we can to provide support.

*NHS Pharmacy First Service: In pharmacies in England only. Subject to availability.

Treatment is subject to suitability assessment. Normal NHS prescription charge rules apply.

Act for Autism

🌟 New Year, New Webinars! 🌟

📅 Save the Dates:

🔍 Emotional Dysregulation in Autistic Children

MONDAY 20TH JANUARY 2025, 8-9 PM GMT.

Link: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/1132534805089?aff=oddtcreator>

🔍 The Four Areas of Difference in Your Autistic Child

MONDAY 24TH FEBRUARY 2024, 8-9 PM GMT.

Link: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/1137813423579?aff=oddtcreator>

🔍 The Most Effective Way to Connect with your Autistic Child

MONDAY 24TH MARCH 2024, 8-9 PM GMT.

Link: <https://www.eventbrite.com/e/1137883753939?aff=oddtcreator>

🎓 Why join us?

✅ Expert-led sessions

✅ Free to attend

✅ Everyone and anyone is welcome! Feel free to share with colleagues, friends and family

✅ Opportunity to ask questions in an interactive Q&A

JANUARY	FEBRUARY	MARCH
Monday 20	Monday 24	Monday 24
Emotional Dysregulation in Autistic Children	The Four Areas of Difference in your Autistic Child	The Most Effective Way to Connect with your Autistic Child
8 - 9 PM GMT	8 - 9 PM GMT	8 - 9 PM GMT




Absences and Lateness

If your child is unwell and unable to make it into school for any reason please notify the school office of this absence giving a clear reason by **9.00am**. This can be done via email or calling the school office and pressing option 1.

If your child is going to be late after **8.55am** (this is when registration closes) please could you also report this by calling the school office and pressing option 1.

This helps with numbers for the catering team in the kitchen.



Upcoming promotional lunches for 2025!

 <p>Jungle Explorer Lunch Thursday 16th January 2025 Census Day Menu</p> <p>Explorer's Big Brunch with Safari Potatoes - sausages, hash brown and baked beans (G, S, S, S)</p> <p>or</p> <p>(v) Jungle Vine Noodles with Sweet 'n' Sour Quorn (G, E) - served with Broccoli Trees</p> <p>(v, A) Rainforest Crunch Cookie (G)</p> <p>or</p> <p>(v) Jungle Jelly with Snake's Eggs - jelly with grapes</p> <p><small>Always check the allergen list on the back of the menu.</small></p>	 <p>Happy National Pancake Day Tuesday 4th March 2025</p> <p>Pancake Station</p> <p>Choose from the following toppings:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fruit in Juice Chute of Sauces Traditional Lemon & Sugar Choco Sprink Berry or Fruit Jam <p><small>Always check the allergen list on the back of the menu. What's your favourite?</small></p>
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School Uniform

You are now able to purchase School Uniform from Stitch Tech who are based in Leamington Spa.

Orders can be placed in person at their showroom located at:

Stitchtech Ltd,

7C Jenton Road,

Sydenham Industrial Estate,

Leamington Spa,

CV31 1XS

Or online for home delivery or click and collect

<https://www.stitchtech.co.uk/product-category/school-uniforms/budbrooke-primary-school/>

If you have any questions please email them direct using sales@stitchtech.co.uk¹

¹<mailto:sales@stitchtech.co.uk>

Diary Dates



January

6th Teacher Training Day

7th Spring Term Starts

21st Beech Class Assembly

23rd National Handwriting Day

February

w/c **3rd** National Story Telling Week

5th Elm Class Assembly

7th NSPCC Number Day

17th-21st Half Term

March

4th Parents Evening

5th Parents Evening

6th World Book Day

w/c **10th** British Science Week

Last few Reception places for September 2025



A final reminder that the deadline for parents and carers to submit their application for a Reception place in September this year is 15 January 2025- just five days away!

This is the online application link: <https://www.warwickshire.gov.uk/primaryplace>²

²<https://warwickshire.us5.list-manage.com/track/click?u=a24b439ef7022ae0d86f9ca6e&id=38a2ca30d6&e=eb16fa08c1>

<https://wagsgangshow.org.uk/tickets/>



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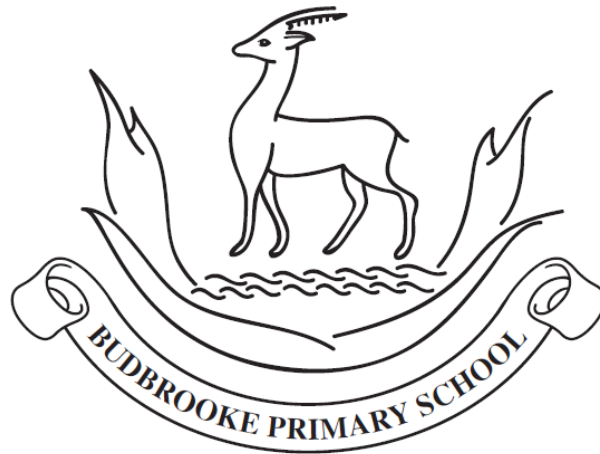
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