

*Learn today, to be a
star of tomorrow.*



Brinsley Primary and Nursery School
www.brinsley.notts.sch.uk

**June 2017
Newsletter**

Dear Parents and Carers

As the end of term draws ever nearer I wish to inform you of the staffing changes for September. Mr Hamilton will be sadly leaving us due to needing to concentrate on a successful family business. He will still be doing the occasional supply day for us next year so this is not fully goodbye. Miss Birkin is off to travel the world! She has become a big part of Brinsley over the last two years and will be sadly missed. As you are aware Mr Heysmond has recently struggled with illness and so has decided to concentrate on making a full recovery with his family. Mrs Taylor in the office will be retiring at the end of this term. She has worked at Brinsley for 5 years and her friendly face will be sadly missed by all.

From September four new teachers will be joining the Brinsley staff:

Mrs Sisson, Mrs Wingrove, Mrs Bates and Miss Hodgkin. Miss Baldwin and Mrs Z Turner will now work daily at school with Mrs Furmage-Archer joining us as a TA in September.

Classes next year are as follows:

- FS1** - Mrs Williams, Mrs B Turner, Mrs Scrimshaw, Mrs Furmage-Archer, Mrs Taylor and Mrs Z Turner
- FS2** - Mr T Turner supported by Miss Ashmore
- Year 1** - Mrs Wingrove and Mrs Bates supported by Mrs Taylor and Miss Simpson
- Year 2** - Mrs Patterson supported by Mrs S Turner
- Year 3** - Mrs Dawson and Mrs B Turner until Miss Pollard returns in October supported by Mrs Framji
- Year 4** - Miss Croft supported by Miss Baldwin
- Year 5** - Miss Hodgkin supported by Mrs Bamford and Mrs Furmage-Archer
- Year 6** - Mrs Sisson supported by Mrs Bamford

Over the last few years Brinsley School has grown significantly in numbers and for the first time in recent history there will be single age groups throughout the school. Due to this increase we have been working closely with Nottinghamshire County Council to extend our current classroom provision. A permanent modular building for the Year 2 children will be erected on the school grounds to provide this facility for the coming years but circumstances, out of the school's and the Council's control, have led to a delay in this project. For the Autumn term (September 2017 - January 2018) there will be a temporary building situated on the top playground. The planning application for the temporary building can be viewed on the Nottinghamshire County Council Planning website

<http://www.nottinghamshire.gov.uk/planningsearch/plandisp.aspx?AppNo=FR3/3682>

The permanent classroom will be situated on the area of grass currently occupied by the trim trail. This equipment will be relocated within the school grounds for continued enjoyment. We will endeavour to keep you informed throughout the new school year as to the progress of the permanent classroom.

School Sport News

Netball

Well done again to the High 5 netball team who achieved bronze in their recent matches at Giltbrook. They displayed their medals to the whole school in last Friday's assembly.

Mini Tennis

On Wednesday 14th June Brinsley took part in the mini tennis competition at Selston High School. They played really well and the teams came 4th and 5th. Well done to all the Year 3 and 4 children who took part.

District Sports

On Wednesday 21st June, 23 children participated in a District Sports competition at Harvey Hadden. All the children worked really hard leading to 2 children reaching the finals in their events. Also well done to Ellie Bis who got a silver place in Hop, Skip and Jump.

Year Groups

Attendance figures:

FS2: Since September:
93.80%

1B: Since September
95.17%

2P: Since September
95.13%

3C: Since September:
93.26%

4/5H: Since September:
94.84%

5/6H: Since September
94.63

**Overall this year:
94.54%**

Well done Class 1B,
you are in the lead!

Sunny Weather



We are all hoping for the lovely summer weather to make an re-appearance soon. Can children please have a sun hat in school and come to school wearing sun cream . Please provide additional sun screen for them to reapply themselves during the day. Water bottles are available from the school office at a cost of £1.

Diary Dates

Tuesday, 4 th July	FS1 Parents Evening
Tuesday 4 th July - Wednesday 5 th July 2017	Year 6 children -Selston transition days Year 5 pupils overnight stay in school
Tuesday 4 th July/ Wednesday 5 th July 2017	Years FS2-Year 4 - transition days for pupils and meet the new teacher events for parents after school. Please see your new teacher letter sent on 27 th June for dates and times
Thursday 6 th July 2017	School Disco
Tuesday 11 th July 2pm & Wednesday 12 th July 6pm	Years 4, 5 and 6 summer performances
Thursday 13 th July 2017	Enterprise Fayre after school 3.30pm. The children will be making their own products to sell at the event. This will be a family event.
Thursday 13 th July and Friday 14 th July 2017	Auditions for Brinsley's Got Talent will take place during lunch times
Tuesday 18 th July 2017	Year 5s trip to Hall Park Academy
Wednesday 19 th July 2017	The house cup winners park visit
Thursday 20 th July 2017	Brinsley's Got Talent Event - this is for the pupils only
Friday 21 st July 2017	Leavers Assembly 2.30pm
Friday 21 st July 2017	Last day of school - school reopens on Thursday 7th September 2017
Tuesday 5 th and Wednesday 6 th September 2017	INSET DAYS - school closed
Thursday 7th September 2017	School reopens
Friday 20 th October 2017	INSET DAY- school closed
Monday 23 rd October to Friday 27 th October 2017	School closed for half term
Friday 22 nd December 2017	INSET DAY- school closed
Monday 25 th December to Friday 5 th January 2018	School closed for Christmas holiday
Friday 16 th February 2018	INSET DAY - school closed
Monday 19 th February to Friday 23 rd February 2018	School closed for half term
Friday 30 th March to Friday 13 th April 2018	School closed for Easter holiday
Monday 7 th May 2018	May Day bank holiday
Monday 28 th May to Friday 1 st June 2018	School closed for half term
Wednesday 25 th July 2018	Last day of the school year

