

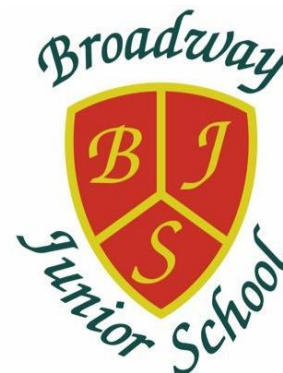
# Broadway Junior School

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Dear Families,

As we approach the beginning of a new academic year, I hope the information below helps to prepare for the start of term. Children will come back to school on **Monday 9<sup>th</sup> September 2024**.

We are all so excited to see you all again! 😊

## Staffing – Who's Who?

Year Group	Class Teachers		
<b>Year 3</b>	<b>3JM</b> Mr McCabe (Mon – Thur) Mr Ramshaw (Fri)	<b>3LH</b> Mrs Hastie	
<b>Year 4</b>	<b>4CL</b> Mr Lindstedt	<b>4HG</b> Mrs Giles	
<b>Year 5</b>	<b>5ZG</b> Mrs Gardiner	<b>5ES</b> Miss E Smith	<b>5GR</b> Mrs Miah (until December 2024) Mrs Robinson (as of January 2025)
<b>Year 6</b>	<b>6CL</b> Mrs Johnson	<b>6SW</b> Mr Scott (Mon – Wed) Mrs Walker (Thur – Fri)	<b>6BS</b> Miss B Smith



We would like to welcome Mrs Miah who joins us as one of our Year 5 teachers this term. Mrs Miah is an experienced teacher and has enjoyed a range of roles in different schools. We are delighted that she has been able to join us; she will teach 5GR. Throughout the term, Mrs Robinson will be keeping in touch so she can prepare for her return to work in January 2025.



## Communication

Contacting your child's class teacher has been made even easier this year. We have set up email addresses so that you can get in touch if needed. These email addresses will be checked irregularly and are not for urgent issues.

Year3@broadwayjuniorschool.com

Year4@broadwayjuniorschool.com

Year5@broadwayjuniorschool.com

Year6@broadwayjuniorschool.com

Special Educational Needs and/or Disabilities (SEND) : SEND@broadwayjuniorschool.com

### **Please note:**

**All absences must continue to be communicated via the school office.**

## Uniform

Our school uniform is worn with pride by our pupils. Uniform keeps everyone's good clothes clean and your help in ensuring pupils are dressed correctly for their day is always appreciated.

Our school uniform has been longstanding and all of the details related to this can be found on our school website via Parents > Uniform.

## Physical Education (PE) – Lessons begin wb. 16<sup>th</sup> September.

The PE uniform includes a white t-shirt including their usual school jumper, black bottoms and black trainers. For ease, we request that children come to school in their PE kit on their PE days.

**In order to maintain high standards, any child who is not wearing the correct PE uniform may be provided with a clean kit from school for the day.**

PE Days	
Monday	Year 6
Tuesday	Year 4
Wednesday	Year 3 5ES – Swimming
Thursday	Year 5ZG & 5GR



## Meet the Teacher

On Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> September, we will hold two sessions where you can meet your child's teacher and collect essential updates relating to our curriculum, homework arrangements etc. We will hold a session at 3.00pm (on collection) or at 5.00pm for those who cannot make an earlier session. Please just turn up. Entry at 5.00pm will be via the main school office.



## After School Clubs

After school clubs will start week commencing 16<sup>th</sup> September and a separate letter will be sent allowing members to sign up. Please return expressions of interest by Thursday 12<sup>th</sup> September so that we can coordinate spaces. Confirmation texts will follow. To attend, clubs will now cost £5 per half term (payable via School Money)

Club Offer	Netball	Rugby	Arts & Craft	Mini Warriors	Football
Day	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Time	3.00 – 4.00pm				

## School Timings and Collection/Drop Off Plans

Our school day is now 8.30am – 3.00pm for everyone. Springwell Road and Cortina Avenue gates will be open from 8.30am – 8.40am. They will close promptly to allow for a smooth start to the school day. As this is earlier than previous years, please be aware of these times to avoid punctuality issues.

We have reduced the number of doors that are open each morning. Year 3 and 4 will enter via Door B and Year 5 and 6 will enter via Door E.

At the end of the school day, pick up points are detailed in the table below. Please bear with us as we evaluate the effectiveness of this arrangement now that we no longer stagger our start/finish times.

	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Door Collection Points	3LH – Door A 3JM – Door B	4CL – Door B 4HG – Door C	5ZG – Door C 5ES – Door D 5GR – Door D	6BS – Door E 6CJ – Door E 6SW – Door F

## School Equipment

### Water Bottles

We have purchased a Broadway Junior School water bottle for all pupils. This should support families both practically and financially – it reduces the pressure on you all to provide expensive bottles. It ensures that we maintain a smart school image too.



### Pencil Cases

Children have been provided with a school pencil case and **all of the items that they will need** to complete tasks. Pencil cases/items brought to school from home are often a distraction and is not something you need to purchase yourself.

## The Broadway Bulletin

The Broadway Bulletin will continue this year. It is a great monthly promotion of everything wonderful that happens here! It also helps to keep you up-to-date on forthcoming events. I hope you all continue to enjoy reading the Bulletin which is typically released the last school day of each month.

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## School Dinners



Our school meals are balanced, healthy, nutritious and convenient for busy families too. The cost of a school meal is £2.50 per day. All payments to school should be made via the online payment system, SchoolMoney. Please speak with a member of staff in the school office for support with this, if needed.

To support the admin of lunches, children's meal plans should remain the same for the entirety of the week. Please provide 7 days' notice for any change to your child's meal plan.

## Are our school records up to date?

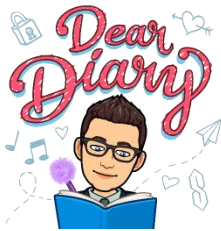
Text messages and emails will be frequently used to contact you. We must always have the most up to date details so that we can contact you, especially in cases of an emergency.



### Medication

If there are any changes in your child's circumstances relating to medication, please contact the school who will support with this. All medication issued at school must be prescribed, boxed and labelled by a medical professional and handed directly to the appropriate member of school staff who will complete the appropriate form(s).

## Key Diary Dates



this helps. 😊

The school year is always a busy and exciting one. To help, we have mapped out all the key dates and school events across the academic year that is likely to impact on you and your family. These will come to you on Monday as a hard copy; it's a good one for the fridge door! We are excited to welcome you all to school soon for our events including crafternoons, class learning presentations, charity fundraisers and lots more! We hope

## Our Brand New Library – opening soon...

"A room without a book is like a body without a soul." – *Anon.*

"Today a reader... tomorrow a leader." – *Margaret Fuller*

"The more that you read, the more things you will know.  
The more that you learn, the more places you'll go." – *Dr. Seuss*

Yours sincerely,

Mr. D Walton-Jonas  
**Headteacher**