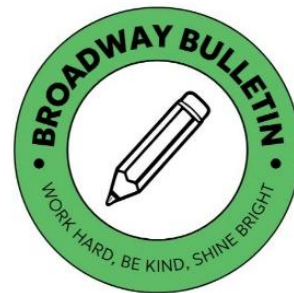


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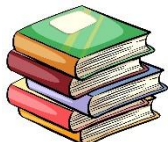
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Headteacher's Welcome



With only one more month to go until our summer break begins, I would like to request that any reading books belonging to our school are returned asap so that we can coordinate stock

and begin our preparations for September. Thank you.

I would also like to take this opportunity to remind families that children should come to school wearing sun protection in the warmer weather. You may provide your child with a named bottle of sun cream for them to apply during the school day, if needed, too.



I would like to congratulate our Year 4 children who, this month, have completed their Multiplication Tables Check – a national check designed to assess fluency and recall of times tables. The children were entirely focused during this time and have worked very hard to prepare for this throughout their time in our school. For those keen to know the results, we will share these alongside end of year reports.

Best wishes,

David Walton-Jonas

We're transitioning towards a new communication and payment tool. Do you have the Arbor APP yet?

Please speak with the school office for further information or support to set it up...



We're using the Arbor Parent App!

See and manage your child's day-to-day school information. Understand their progress, make payments and bookings, and receive in-app messages - all from one app



Log in in seconds with Face ID

Receive in-app messages and reminders on your phone

Make payments, sign up for clubs, and book parents evenings

See your child's progress, attendance, behaviour points, report cards and more

Check your child's calendar, it's always up-to-date

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Workers of the Week



This month, the following children have been rewarded for their hard work in school. Well done!

3JM	Emily Lilly Dakota Micah
3LH	Matilda Harper Isla Mason
4CL	Eloise Harry Lucas Lucas
4HG	Eveana Betty Brandon Indi
4ZG	Jazmyn Zak Gerome Uchechi
5ES	Eli Levi Jett Jude
5SS	Nancy Faye Ellia Poppy
6BS	Olivia Jayden Olivia
6CJ	Heidi Luca Ellie
6GR	Amber Ronny Alex

Attendance

To date, our whole school attendance is
93.97%

Attendance, this month, across all classes are summarised below.

3JM	93.65%
3LH	94.16%
4CL	97.48%
4HG	87.74%
4ZG	98%
5ES	90.65%
5SS	91.35%
6BS	92.53%
6CJ	93.57%
6GR	91.67%

Hot Chocolate with the Headteacher

Each week, one child per year group is invited to have hot chocolate and share their great work or ideas!

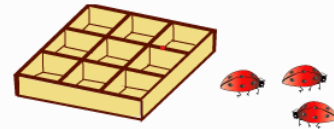




Are you a Mathemagician?
Can you solve the
'Problem of the Month'?



Ladybird Box



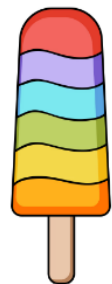
My Happy Mind

During our Mindful Monday sessions this half term, we will be recapping everything we have covered so far this year. We will continue to discuss how our brain works and how to manage big feelings, as well as recognising our own achievements and celebrating our character strengths. We will try to make the attitude of gratitude a daily habit by sharing things we are grateful for and as our transition days are fast approaching, thinking about our goals and what we want to achieve in our next academic year and beyond.

Our lovely Year 6 children will take part in their own transition unit that is designed to help children feel emotionally prepared for the move from primary school to secondary school. It focuses on building confidence, managing worries, developing resilience, and helping pupils look forward to the next stage of their education. They will be able to reflect on their time at Broadway and look forward to their exciting new chapter. It's bound to be another busy but exciting half term! Please remember, you can download the free app that will support your child's learning from home too!

Tasty & Refreshing Treat Tuesdays

Tasty Tuesday is not just a lot of fun where our yard is filled with refreshing, frozen treats once per week but also an opportunity for us to fundraise further for our award-winning play provision. Thank you to our families who continuously support our school where all funds raised goes straight back to the children's experience of playtime.



Rise & Shine Breakfast Club



The launch of our rebranded, reinvigorated Breakfast Club has been a roaring success where we can see up to 80 children per day start their day the right way! Well done to our 5 lucky winners who were able to take away a Greggs Gift Voucher during our launch week. Congratulations to Noah, Robert, Betty, Luna and Corey

RISE & SHINE CLUB
@BROADWAYJUNIORESCHOOL

A great start to the school day!

BREAKFAST CLUB

funded by the Department for Education

Join us for a friendly, fun and energising start to the day! Enjoy breakfast, chat with friends and get ready to learn.

WHEN?
7.30am - 8.30am

COST?
• 7.30-8.00am - £3 per day
• **FREE** from 8.00am

SPECIAL OFFER!
£10 per week saving you £5

SAFE & SUPERVISED | FRIENDLY & INVOLVED | READY TO LEARN

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3JM visit Broomhouse Farm

Class 3JM enjoyed their third and final visit of the year to Broom House Farm to round off what has been a very enjoyable experience for the children. They have seen first-hand how the farm works and how it changes throughout the year with the change of the seasons. They all had a fantastic time and I'm sure they will cherish the memories that they have made.



Harehope Quarry

Year 5 visit Harehope!

Year 5 enjoyed an exciting field trip to the source of the River Wear with the support of The Wear Rivers Trust. The children took part in a range of scientific investigations, measuring the water temperature, river width and flow speed, as well as analysing the rocks that make up the river bed. After plenty of navigating along winding tracks in the blistering heat, they were rewarded with the chance to explore the river's source and learn more about this important local waterway. It was a fantastic day of outdoor learning, teamwork and discovery.

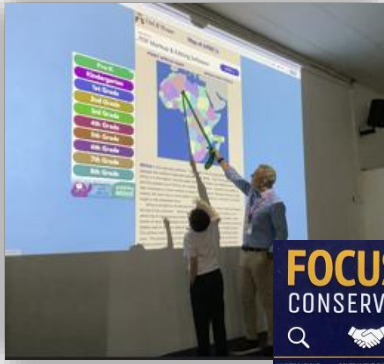


#BeKind

We have visited Sycamore Care Centre

We have been delighted to link up with Sycamore Care Centre where we hope our visits continue well into the future. One child from each class has been selected to visit recently. Our wonderful school representatives worked with a resident to create crafts linked to the World Cup festivities. We cannot wait to return.





Year 4 were visited by ex St Cuthbert's RC and St Aidan's RC pupil Marty Young who spoke to the children about his work in Nigeria and Uganda as Focused Conservation's technical advisor to the Uganda Special Wildlife Crime Unit. Year 4 have been learning about conservation and the threats to the rainforests and their inhabitants so Marty spoke about the work he does, with his team, to protect the wildlife in the two countries from poachers. The children were very knowledgeable throughout the talk and Marty was impressed with how much they knew about these topics. Well done Year 4.

We were visited by Loti who delivered a powerful assembly for our entire school. We were fortunate enough to take part in an active and thought provoking assembly where we explored race, tolerance and treating each other with respect. Loti spoke about his own life experiences including what racism feels like when it happens. Thank you, Loti!



Welcome to this half term's Starbooks...

Well done to this term's wonderful winners who have been recognised each week in our Celebration Assembly – our 'Readers of the Week' all joined Mrs Walker for this term's Starbooks and received a book prize which is of interest to them. Keep up the great work, everyone. You've got to be in it to win it!

The Arts



International Day of Play – 11 June 2026

On International Day of Play we are delighted to have raised £115. Thank you to our families who donated unwanted toys to our playtimes too. We are VERY GRATEFUL!



5ES – Art Room Project

Our Sunderland... Symbols of Faith and Belonging, by Sunderland SACRE

Pupils in 5ES worked alongside artist Kerry Cook to explore and represent symbols of different religions and worldviews. Pupils created art about Sikh beliefs which was displayed as part of an exhibition in Sunderland Museum and Winter Gardens.



Jeff Rich – A Musical Masterclass comes to Broadway!

We were thrilled when Jeff Rich, the drummer from Status Quo, contacted our school and asked us if he could perform. We did not only hear his musical talent but heard his personal story of achieving his dreams with hard work and dedication – a key message that we can all benefit from! All of the children in school were able to use a drum and participate which ignited our imaginations about what dreams we would want to come true in the future too!



As **Year 6** embark on their next important steps, and transition into secondary school, we have been working hard to make sure that they are ready for the world that faces them beyond our school gates too. Throughout the month, they have completed a range of visits and welcomed visitors into school too!

School Nurse Visit - Year 6

As part of our PSHE curriculum, the School Nurse delivered informative sessions to all three Year 6 classes, focusing on the important topics of drugs, alcohol and peer pressure. Pupils explored the risks associated with substance use, learned strategies for making safe and informed choices, and discussed how to recognise and respond to situations involving peer pressure. The sessions encouraged open and respectful discussion, giving pupils the opportunity to ask questions and develop their understanding of how to make positive decisions as they prepare for the transition to secondary school. The children engaged thoughtfully throughout and demonstrated maturity when discussing these important aspects of keeping themselves healthy and safe.

Y6 visit The Beacon of Light

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OF LIGHT

On Friday 5th June, Year 6 enjoyed an exciting and engaging visit to The Beacon of Light, where pupils took part in a range of practical workshops designed to develop important life skills.

During the morning sessions, children explored careers in social media, tackled challenges with Commando Joe's, and worked with Sphero robots. These activities encouraged pupils to work collaboratively as a team, communicate effectively, show resilience, adapt to new challenges, and perform under pressure.

In the afternoon, Year 6 took part in a Nissan building session, learning more about teamwork and problem-solving in an engineering environment, before finishing the day with a workshop on how to be an effective sports coach. Pupils developed leadership skills and gained valuable insight into motivating and supporting others.

The visit was a fantastic opportunity for Year 6 to build confidence, strengthen teamwork skills, and experience a variety of exciting future pathways.



Healthy Heads – Transition Workshops

Our Year 6 pupils recently took part in two fantastic secondary school transition workshops delivered by Ashley from the Healthy Heads team. The sessions gave children the opportunity to explore some of the exciting changes that come with moving to secondary school, while also discussing any worries or questions they may have. Through engaging activities and practical advice, pupils developed strategies to build confidence, manage change and look after their wellbeing during this important milestone. We would like to thank the Healthy Heads team for their valuable support in helping our children feel more prepared and positive about the next stage of their educational journey and hopefully Ashley will remain a friendly face in your new schools too!

#BeSafe

Online Safety

The DFE have shared a helpful link online which is designed to help families and to give them more confidence in talking to their children about what they're doing and experiencing online.

The updated content includes:

- what misogyny is
- why you should talk to your child about misogyny
- spotting the signs of misogyny
- how you can support your son or daughter



Year 6 visit Safety Works



Year 6 enjoyed a brilliant morning at Tyne and Wear Fire Brigade's Safety Works. We learned how to keep ourselves safe: in the community, on roads, near water and around dogs.

A reminder of key dates coming up...

Any changes/additions/amendments are indicated in red.

Whole School	Monday 1 st June 2026	School re-opens
100% Attendees	Friday 3 rd July 2026	Barnes Park Event – Letter sent via Arbor
Year 6	Tuesday 7 th July 2026	Colour Run – Letter sent via Arbor
Year 3 – Selected Pupils	Tuesday 7 th July 2026	Sunderland Sings at the Empire
3LH	Wednesday 8 th July 2026	2.15pm – Learning Presentation
Whole School	Friday 10 th July 2026	Summer Fair – Letter sent via Arbor
Year 6	Tuesday 14 th July 2026	Nissan Visit (rearranged). Letter sent via Arbor
Whole School	Wednesday 15 th July 2026	End of Year Reports
Year 6		1.30pm – Leavers Show
Year 4	Monday 20 th July 2026	Rock Star Day Children dress as Rock Stars!



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SUMMER FAIR!

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WHEN?
Friday 10th July 2026

TIME?
1.30pm

ACTIVITIES:
GAMES
TOMBOLA
RAFFLE
REFRESHMENTS
AND MORE!