



Brindishe
Manor

Newsletter

Friday 12th September 2025

What has been happening this week?

What a successful first full week we have had!

Our Reception children have done really well this week and are now in school full-time. The Reception team are looking forward to seeing parents on 18th September at 8:50am for a welcome meeting, where all of our routines and events will be explained to you in full.

We would also like to welcome our Nursery families who are now almost with us for their full allocated hours. I know Mrs Phillips and the team have enjoyed getting to meet the children and settle them this week. Please remember that if you are using Nursery, you should use the Longhurst Road gate for AM and PM pick-up.

Today, I am including the key dates that we have spoken about in our curriculum meetings. These have some of the key dates for performances, themed weeks and other events taking place in school. Most of the specific dates will be live on Weduc now for you to see and add to your personal calendars. We will continue to add events as they are booked.

Curriculum year group meetings

It has been great to meet so many parents this week. We are looking forward to seeing our Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 parents and carers next week.

They begin at 8:50am and shouldn't last more than 30 minutes:

Monday 15th September - Year 2

Tuesday 16th September - Year 1

Thursday 18th September - Reception

News from the office

If your collection arrangements change, please let Lisa in the office know in good time. Please establish a password so that if somebody new is collecting your child for the first time, the staff will be able to release your child to them. You can create a password by emailing Lisa or speaking to her in the office and this will be attached to your child's Arbor profile.

Key Stage 1 and 2 choir

This year we will hold a session for children that would like to join one of our choirs on Wednesday lunchtimes.

Choir for years 2 & 3 will be held each Wednesday between 12:15- 12:45pm in the tech hub

Key Stage 2 choir (children in years 4-6) will be held on Wednesday lunchtimes between 1-1:30pm.

We will ask the children to sign up in school if they are interested.

THESE SESSIONS START ON WEDNESDAY 17th SEPTEMBER

Please see the PDF in your email for the key dates for this year. All the school trips for each class will be added to Weduc for you throughout the year.

Brindishe Manor 2025-2026 Key Dates	September	October	November
	Meet the teacher 8:50am 8 th - Year 6 9 th - Year 5 10 th - Year 4 11 th - Year 3 12 th - Year 2 13 th - Year 1 14 th - Reception 20 th - 21 st - Year 6 Sausage	Black History Month 2nd & 3 rd - Flu Immunisations 2 nd - Spice Menu themed day 13 th & 14 th - Parents evening 5:30 - 8:30pm in person for Nursery - Year 6	10 th - 14 th - celebrating Diversity week 17 th - Open classroom 3:20pm 20 th - Inset Day No school
	December	January	February
	8 th - Nursery open morning 9-12 9 th - Reception open morning 9:45-12:15pm 10 th - Year 1 open morning 10am-12pm 11 th - Year 2 open morning 10am-12pm 12 th - Year 3 open morning 10am-12pm 13 th - Year 4 open morning 10am-12pm 14 th - Year 5 open morning 10am-12pm 15 th - Year 6 open morning 10am-12pm 16 th - Inset day of the term	5 th - Inset day 6 th - children return to school from 8:50am 12 th - Nursery open day	6 th - Number day 9 th - 12 th - DT week 10 th - Children's Mental Health week 12 th - Open Classroom 3:20pm 22 nd - 4 th March - V4 Swimming
	March		
	10 th March - World Book Day 9 th - 12 th - Science week 22 nd - 12 th - V4 residential visit to Juniper Hall 26 th - 30 th - Neurodiversity week 24 th - Open Classroom 3:20pm		



NSPCC - Pantosaurus

In our assemblies this week we talked about how to keep each other safe in the playground and around school and how to look after one another by giving people space and time when they need it. Your child has also been shown the NSPCC PANTS. Please see the NSPCC website for the pantosaurus video and information on how to support your child with the easy rules.



LEARN PANTOSAURUS' FIVE EASY RULES FOR STAYING SAFE

P RIVATES ARE PRIVATE

Your underwear covers up your private parts and no one should ask to see or touch them. Sometimes a doctor, nurse or family members might have to. But they should always explain why, and ask you if it's OK first. Remember, what's in your pants belongs only to you.



A LWAYS REMEMBER YOUR BODY BELONGS TO YOU

No one should ever make you do things that make you feel embarrassed or uncomfortable. If someone asks to see or tries to touch you underneath your underwear say 'NO' – and tell someone you trust and like to speak to.



N O MEANS NO

You always have the right to say 'no' – even to a family member or someone you love. You're in control of your body and the most important thing is how YOU feel. If you want to say 'No', it's your choice.



T ALK ABOUT SECRETS THAT UPSET YOU

There are good secrets and bad secrets. If a secret makes you feel sad or worried, it's bad – and you should tell an adult you trust about it straight away.



S PEAK UP, SOMEONE CAN HELP

It's always good to talk about stuff that makes you upset. If you're worried, go and tell a grown up you trust – like a family member, teacher or one of your friend's parents. They'll say well done for speaking out and help make everything OK. You can also call Childline on **0800 1111** and someone will always be there to listen.



Remember all of these rules and they'll help you stay safe, just like Pantosaurus





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2025-2026

Key Dates

September

Meet the teacher 8:50am:

8th - Year 6
9th - Year 5
10th - Year 4
11th - Year 3
15th - Year 2
16th - Year 1
18th - Reception

29th - 3rd - Year 6 Swanage

25th - Open Classroom 3:15pm

October

Black History Month

2nd & 3rd - Flu immunisations

2nd - Space Menu themed day

13th & 15th October - Parents evening 3:30-6:30pm in person for Nursery - Year 6

November

3rd - 7th - DT week

10th - 14th - celebrating Diversity week

17th - Open classroom 3:15pm

28th - Inset Day No school

December

8th - Nursery craft morning 9-10

8th - Reception music concert 2:45-3:15pm

9th - Y2 Nativity 1:45pm

10th - Y2 Nativity 1:45pm

11th - Christmas lunch and 'Wear something Festive' day

11th - Y1 music concert 2:45-3:15pm

12th - Y3 music concert 2:45-3:15pm

15th - Y4 music concert 2:45-3:15pm

16th - Y5 music concert 2:45-3:15pm

17th - Y6 music concert 2:45-3:15pm

19th - last day of the term

January

5th - Inset day

6th - Children return to school from 8:35am

12th - Nursery open day

February

6th - Number day

9th - 13th - DT week

9th - 13th - Children's Mental Health week

12th - Open Classroom 3:15pm

23rd - 6th March - Y4 Swimming

March

5th March - World Book Day

9th - 13th - Science week

11th - 13th - Y4 residential visit to Juniper Hall

16th - 20th - Neurodiversity week

26th - Open Classroom 3:15pm

April

Harvest assembly TBC

Monday 30th March - Friday
10th April
Easter holidays

May

5th - Open classroom 3:15pm

8th - 11th - SATS week Y6 only

June

1st - 5th - DT week

1st - 12th - Y4 Times Tables
Check test (fortnight)

3rd - Y4, Y5, Y6 Sports day

R- Y3 sports day TBC

8th - 12th - Phonics screening
test for Y1 throughout week

30th - Open classroom 3:15pm

July

W/B 6th - Y6 Productions TBC

10th - End of year reports

17th - Y6 Leavers assembly 9am

18th - Last day of term

Autumn Term Dates

Inset days

Monday 1st September
Tuesday 2nd September
Friday 28th November

Half term

Monday 27th October -
Friday 31st October

Spring Term Dates

Inset day

Monday 5th January

Half term

Monday 16th February -
Friday 20th February

Summer Term Dates

Inset day

Monday 20th July

Half term

Monday 25th May -
Friday 29th May

End of term - Friday 18th July



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All school trips will be
communicated via Weduc.

Please check the newsletter
weekly for PSFA updates
and event dates.