



# Brampton Primary School

## Building Personal Success

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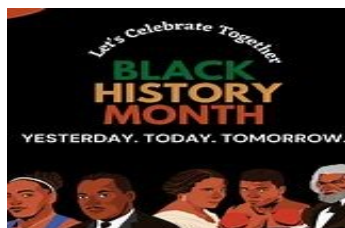
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### Dates for your diary 2023

#### October is



#### Friday 6th October 2023

- Year 3 Science Dome workshop (in school)

#### Monday 9th October 2023

- Year 4 Museum of London Docklands

#### Wednesday 11th October 2023

- Flu immunisation sessions Reception – Year 6

#### Thursday 12th October 2023

- Year 1 visit to West Ham park

#### Tuesday 17th October 2023

- Reception visit to local Church
- Year 6 Horniman Museum visit (x2 classes)

#### Friday 20th October 2023

- Year 6 Horniman Museum visit (x2 classes)



Dear Brampton Family (Parents and Carers)

It has been a successful month and as always, I am so impressed with our children's enthusiasm and love of learning in school. I wanted to take this opportunity to share our school vision again: *We will ensure that every single child and adult 'shines' and becomes the best and more that they can become. 'Building Personal Success'.*

We are a rights respecting school and we are hoping to achieve our silver accreditation soon.

The key articles that encompass everything we do are:

[Article 3](#)

*'Every decision we make has to be in the best interest of the child'*

[Article 29 \(goals of education\)](#)

*'Education must develop every child's personality, talents and abilities to the full.'*

#### Brampton moral statement

*At Brampton Primary School, we firmly believe that all children, regardless of their backgrounds, circumstances or starting points, are entitled to a broad and balanced education. This should inspire, enthuse and enable them to thrive now and in the future. We want children to have a wide range of experiences and opportunities, and to be able to make positive choices about the next stages in their lives. Children are at the centre of what we do; it is our intention that all are Building Personal Success. Reception and Nursery children, brand new to Brampton, have been incredible. They are settling beautifully while enjoying learning and making new friends. We are so pleased to welcome them and their families to our Brampton family.*

I would like to send out a warm thank you, to all the parent and carers who attended our parent forums this half term. The meetings were very positive with suggestions on how we can make our school even better. The notes will be uploaded onto our website. Parents who were present please let us know if we missed anything on the notes.

Our staff are incredibly hardworking and we are grateful for their hard work, commitment and care towards the children's education.

I often say it is an absolute privilege to lead Brampton and to have your children in our care. It has been great having them all back in school.

Please remember, you do not have to wait for parent forums to provide feedback on what we are doing well, and what we can do to be even better. Your views and feedback are always valued so please remember you can approach the senior leadership team when we are out on the playground in the morning or afternoon and when we are at the gates; alternatively, you can ask for an appointment, email or call in. A member of the senior leadership team will always get back to you. We have our suggestion box in the reception area too. In partnership, we will reach and exceed our children's true potential: Building Personal Success.

Have a lovely weekend

**Mrs Paven Kettory**

**Headteacher**

**Non uniform day**  
**Thursday 5th October 2023**  
**'Awe and Wonder' day**

**Special events all day**

**End of term assemblies**  
**Wednesday 18th—Thursday**  
**19th October 2023**

**9.30am/2.30pm**

**Details to follow**

**Learning Review parent/**  
**carer meetings**  
**(in place of Parents' evening)**  
**Thursday 19th October 2023**  
**1.30-7pm**  
**with individual time slots**  
**School closes early for pupils**  
**1:20pm**

**Autumn Term**  
**Last day in school**  
**Friday 20th October**

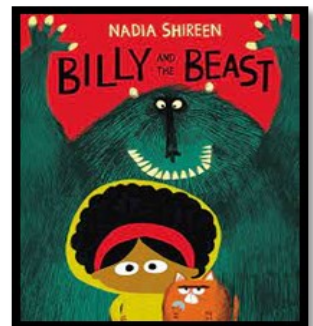
**Back to school**  
**Monday 30th October**  
**2023**



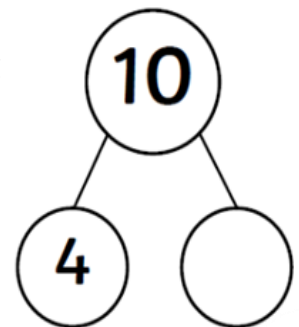
## News from Year 1

It has been a fantastic start to our term this year. We started the term with our Inspiration Day, which was a huge success. The children were introduced to our topic this half term – *Why can't a meerkat live in the North Pole?* The children watched videos showing people trekking in the North Pole and were immediately hooked in and asked exciting questions about the topic. They had the opportunity to participate in problem solving activities; they had to think carefully about items of clothing that would be appropriate to take to a hot place and a cold place. We had a wonderful discussion about the meaning of 'perfection' which is linked to the story we are reading in English; we generated and discussed philosophical questions such as: Can everything be perfect around us? Is the idea of perfection the same for everyone?

In English this week, we have been reading the story *Billy and the Beast* by Nadia Shireen. It is a brilliant story about Billy: a hero of our time, Fatcat: her trusty sidekick and The Terrible Beast: cooking a Terrible Soup and lots of adorable animals getting worried! We have been focusing on descriptive language and really encouraging the children to use a range of interesting vocabulary. The children have been practising using their phonic skills to spell words to label pictures, write about their own terrible soup and write sentences using capital letters and full stops.



In maths, the focus has been on numbers to 10; the children have been using various resources, such as egg cartons, ten frames and cubes to count using one-to-one correspondence and finding various strategies to support them when counting random objects. The children have been learning to use mathematical vocabulary such as: count on, count back, more, less and the same as, to compare numbers as well as learning about number bonds and number stories. At home, encourage your children to count objects around the house and in particular, counting on and counting back from any number below 10.



In geography, we have been learning to locate the four countries of the UK. The children showed a great deal of enthusiasm when learning to locate and name the countries of the UK and the surrounding seas.



In Religious Education, we have been talking about what makes us special. The children had the opportunity to discuss and share with others, all the things that make them special. We will also be focusing on the question: How do we show we care for our family?



### Birthdays in Year 1

**Roop, Arthur, Kaia**

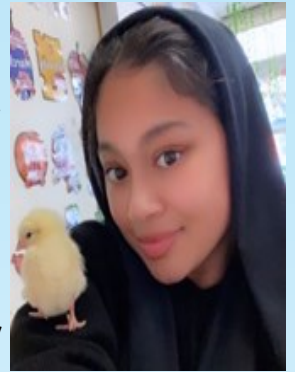




# All About Me

## All about me

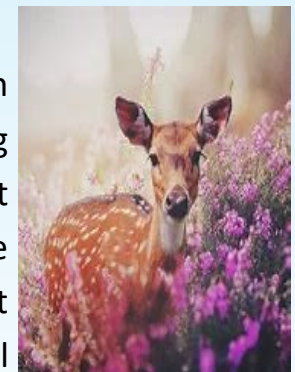
Hi! My name is **Habiba Khatun** and I have been kindly asked to write all about me for our Brampton family. So where does one start when asked to talk about themselves? I have been a teacher for 7 years now working in schools within the area but have recently joined the BPS team. I am the youngest of 7 siblings (huge family I know) and the favourite aunt to 16 (and counting) nieces and nephews. I absolutely adore kids and knew I wanted to be a teacher since Year 3. I'm sure my siblings are aware of this since I'm always babysitting!



I grew up locally surrounded by my family and cousins who all lived down the road. School was always so fun because I was always seeing my siblings or cousins around, either in the playground or in my classes. The teachers I had were amazing and so passionate about their role. I always told myself 'I'd like to be a teacher like that'. I wanted to be remembered by my students, years down the line as a teacher they loved and found fun and I really hope they do once they're older.



I love animals, I love nature and I absolutely love flowers. I love when the weathers warm (not hot) and I love dancing in the rain. I love going on road trips and exploring. I grew up in a safe and loving environment and even now, in my adult years, I am surrounded by people who are kind and caring. I want to make sure my students feel like that. I want my classroom to feel safe for them, somewhere where they will feel loved and happy.



I'm looking forward to meeting the Brampton family and making fond memories.

## Rights Respecting Schools Big Talk Home Learning

If children can't say it then children can't write it.

**Dear All,**

**This weekend's BTHL 29<sup>th</sup> / 30<sup>th</sup> September / 1<sup>st</sup> October**

Article 2 – All children, no matter where they live, what language they speak, their religion, gender or wealth, have exactly the same rights as everyone else.

**At the beginning of each new academic year, the teachers speak to their classes about the rules and the expectations around how we should be treated.**

**What should we all be doing to ensure that every human has their rights respected?**

# Rights Respecting Schools & Specialist Subject Updates



## Rights Respecting Schools



As a Rights Respecting School, children's rights are at the forefront of our minds in every decision we make.

As a Rights Respecting School, we are proud to announce that the Article of the month for September has been Article 2 (Non-discrimination). At Brampton we are an inclusive school that will never tolerate any kind of discrimination against any pupil or adult.

Mrs Kettory has been leading assemblies throughout the month emphasising that we at Brampton are up standers not bystanders. At home please talk to your child about what Article 2 means to them. How does this Article become real for them in their daily life?



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## Specialist Subject Update

### Spanish Update: Hola a todos!

This month, children have started learning Spanish from Nursery. They have been learning about greetings and numbers in Spanish. Children in Year 1 have also started to learn Spanish and they have been learning about greetings, numbers and some simple questions. ASD and PMLD children have also had their first Spanish lesson and they enjoyed singing along to the greetings song.

Children in Year 4 have participated in a competition organized by the Global School Alliance to celebrate the European Day of Languages. They discussed the value of learning a foreign language and the idea of learning a language as a bridge to another culture.







# Other information



## Parent-led Support Group



- ▶ Are you a parent caregiver of a child aged between 6-12 years who has a diagnosis of Autism and live in Newham?
- Do you want to get to know other parents who also have a child with a diagnosis of Autism to share & learn with each other?

Join our weekly Parent-led Support Group every Tuesday at 9:30am – 11am

[Click here to join the meeting](#)

- The Parent-led Support Group is run by our Family Connectors
- The Family Connectors have experience of caring for children with Autism
- Parent-led Support Groups take place either online or face to face
- If you would like to join our **WhatsApp Parent Led Support Group**, please contact our Family Connectors below
- **All** conversations during the session are **confidential**

If you have any questions, please contact our Mencap Family Engagement Team:

### Family Connectors:

Fatima Uddin M: 07890 033 653 E: [Fatima.Uddin@mencap.org.uk](mailto:Fatima.Uddin@mencap.org.uk)

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or

**Family Engagement Worker:** Elkie Sharp M: 07929 754 148 E: [Elkie.Sharp@mencap.org.uk](mailto:Elkie.Sharp@mencap.org.uk)



## Mencap's Family Connectors

Strengthen, Empower & Nurture (SEN) in Newham



### What is the role of a Family Connector?

To use their lived experience to reach out to families, connecting them with peer support in the following ways:

- ▶ Facilitating peer support groups and developing parent/caregiver networks
- Supporting families around diagnosis to reduce feelings of stigma & isolation
- Working with services and the community to co-facilitate inclusive opportunities for families like co-production
- Empowering families to apply for Disability Living Allowance (DLA) and access workshops and opportunities to help them better support their child
- Co-facilitating or co-delivering support sessions with other service providers

### Meet Mencap's Family Connectors



Angela



Fatima



Halima



Leanne



Samson



Nazia



Nelufa



Sahima

For more information, please contact:

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For those parents and carers whose first language is not English we are sharing a link on how to use 'Google Translate'.

See below and click on the link:

<https://support.google.com/chrome/answer/173424?hl=en&co=GENIE.Platform%3DDesktop>



# Inclusion

**YOUNG CARERS**

**FREE HALF TERM ACTIVITIES**

**Freejumping at the O2 Arena**  
8 - 12 years  
Tuesday 24th October 12 - 2pm  
12 - 18 years  
Wednesday 25th October 12 - 2pm

**Halloween Family Day**  
All ages  
Thursday 26th October 10 - 2pm  
395 High Street North E12 6PG

To register please scan the QR code or use the link below  
[bit.ly/youngcarers-halfterm](https://bit.ly/youngcarers-halfterm)

**REGISTER NOW** [youth@renewalprogramme.org.uk](mailto:youth@renewalprogramme.org.uk)

**Send Surgery**

We are excited to be trying a different venue until December. We have moved our venue to be able to reach more parents and carers who want to access this service.

**St Marks Community Centre, 218 Tollgate Road, Beckton, E6 5YA**

Appointments are available for our **October Surgery** [here!](#)

If you have previously attended Send Surgery and have 2 minutes to spare, we would value your feedback to help us improve the service. All comments are anonymous - please complete our survey [here](#)

**Surgery dates for the rest of the year:**

- 18th October
- 15th November
- 13th December

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**Pan Disability Football**

**FREE**

**PAN DISABILITY FOOTBALL**  
**Saturday, 10am-11am**  
Fortnightly  
Newham Leisure Centre, 281 Prince Regent Lane, Plaistow E13 8SD.  
Participants must register.

CONTACT/BOOKING INFORMATION  
[Sports@activenewham.org.uk](mailto:Sports@activenewham.org.uk)  
07741 293 506  
<https://tinyurl.com/Pandisabilityfootball>

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We are in need of old wellington boots (wellies) that your children may have out-grown or no longer use. The sizes we need of are C9-C11 (no junior or adult sizes). These wellies will play a crucial role in our outdoor educational activities, allowing our children to learn, explore nature and engage in hands-on learning while keeping their feet dry and comfortable. Simply drop off any old wellies at the office.

Thank you

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# Online safety

## ONLINE SAFETY

### Back to school photos

With the excitement of a new school year and your child reaching a new milestone, many of us share photos of our child online without thinking about the associated risks. If you have posted or intend to post online, then try following these rules:

- Are there any other children in the pictures you share online? If there are, do you have permission from their parent/carer to upload it?
- Do not post any photos of your child that show their school logo/name or recognisable places by where they live. It can make it easy for people to find out their location. This is a particular risk to other children, if they are in the photo.
- Never include your child's full name.
- Would your child be happy for your comment/photo about them to be online? Remember what might be 'cute' now may be embarrassing to them in the future.
- Make sure appropriate privacy settings are on. You could just share photos with those who you really want to share the photo with (grandparents etc.) via WhatsApp or iMessage rather than via social media.



### Roblox: a new checklist

PEGI (Pan European Game Information) rate Roblox with the 'Parental Guidance' label (the icon is shown on the right). This is because of the huge level of user generated content within Roblox. It is rated for 'teens' on Google Play and 12+ on the App store.

#### **What should I be aware of?**

You can either use Roblox to create games or play games that other users have created. **As a lot of the content is user generated, it may mean not all games will be suitable for your child to view/play. It is important to set up parental controls appropriate to your child.**

The 2023 Roblox Checklist created by SWGfL (South West gGrid for Learning) and the UK Safer Internet Centre in partnership with Roblox is now available to download here: [New Roblox Checklist Available | SWGfL](#)

### Rocket League

Rocket League is rated as 13+ by PEGI. It is a game in which players use cars to play in football matches, and is available for free across a variety of platforms.

#### **What should I be aware of?**

If your child is under 13, their account will have chat and purchases disabled (unless you override these settings). For children over 13, you will need to disable/restrict these settings as appropriate. There is the option to play online with others as well as make purchases to enhance your car. You can set up appropriate parental controls by setting up an account with Epic Games and applying settings on your child's device as well.



**You can find out more in this article:** [Rocket League Parental Controls | Vodafone UK](#)



## Other information

**Dear Parents and Carers,**

**Do you fancy winning a lovely hamper or a box of luxury chocolate from Hotel?**

**Please come to school and meet with our School Governors on Tuesday 3rd October 2023 from 08:30am to 9:10am at the school playground.**

**Pick your raffle ticket after speaking with a Governor for a chance to win.  
Write your child's name and class on the back and put the ticket in the raffle box.**

**The Governors look forward to seeing you next week Tuesday.**

**Kind regards,  
School Governors**







## Other information and Menu



East London  
NHS Foundation Trust



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### MENU – WEEK 2



## YOUR MENU @

**BRAMPTON  
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----- Spring - Summer 2023 -----

WEEK 2	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>First Choice</b>	BBQ Chicken Pasta Bake	Baked Sausages with Mashed Potatoes	Roast Turkey & Yorkshire Pudding With Roast Potatoes	Lamb & Vegetable Jolloff Rice	Pollock Fish Fingers with Jacket Wedges
<b>Second Choice</b>	Quorn Frankfurter Hot Dog with Herby Diced Potatoes	Cheese and Potato Pie	Veggie 'Toad in the Hole' with Roast Potatoes	Southern Style Quorn Burger with Jacket Wedges	Chickpea & Potato Curry with Rice
<b>Vegetarian Choice</b>	Jacket Potato with Cheese & Beans	Jacket Potato with Cheese & Beans	Jacket Potato with Cheese & Beans	Jacket Potato with Cheese & Beans	Jacket Potato with Cheese & Beans
<b>Vegetable Selection</b>	Sweetcorn Broccoli	Green Beans Baked Beans	Seasonal Fresh Vegetables	Mixed Vegetables Sweetcorn	Carrots Green Beans
<b>Dessert of the Day</b>	Apple & Carrot Cake with Vanilla Ice Cream	Chocolate Sponge with Chocolate Custard	Jelly with Summer Fruit	Strawberry Yoghurt Cake with Custard	Black Forest Slice with Chocolate Ice Cream
<b>Daily Options</b>	Salad Bar / Freshly Baked Bread / Fresh Fruit / Fruit Yoghurt				

**WEEK 2**

24 APR, 15 MAY, 12 JUN, 3 JUL, 11 SEPT, 2 OCT

Meat Served at this School is Halal

Eat for Free Scheme funded by

Newham London



KEY: - Vegetarian - Plant Based - Sugar Smart

- New Dish - In association with Forest Green Rovers

**DINEin**  
AND DISCOVER