



BROOKBURN NEWS



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Dates for your Diary

Mon 12 Oct – Fri 16 Oct
School Meals – Week 1

Mon 12 Oct
2SD Geography Walk

Tue 13 Oct
Y6 Girls Football Match

Wed 14 Oct
2ED Geography Walk

Fri 16 Oct
Wear Red Day
PTA Drop-In 9:05 in the
Training Room

Mon 19 Oct – Fri 23 Oct
School Meals – Week 2

Thu 22 Oct
PTA Disco

Fri 23 Oct
School Closes for Half Term
Holiday

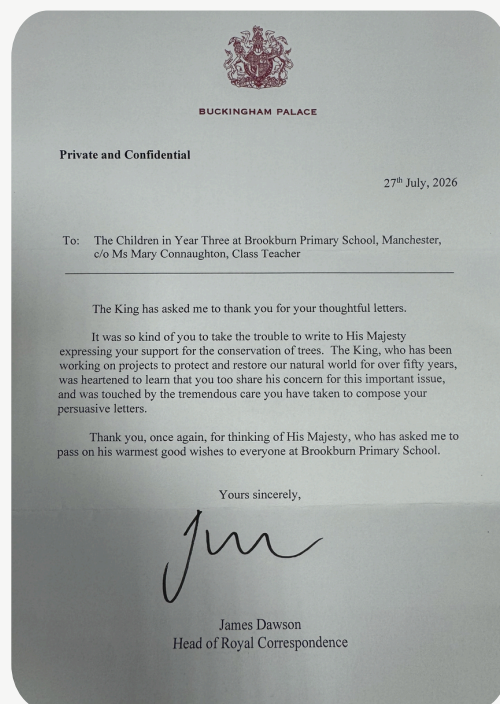
Mon 26 Oct – Fri 30 Oct
Half Term Holiday

Mon 2 Nov
Return to School

Brookburn Pupils Receive Letter from Buckingham Palace

Our current Year 4 students recently received a very exciting letter from King Charles!

Last academic year when the children were in Year 3, they put their writing skills to the test by writing some persuasive letters to His Majesty. They wrote to him about the importance of tree conservation and protecting our planet's woodlands and were delighted to receive this reply!



Halloween Disco Thursday 22nd October



Tickets are now on sale for this year's Halloween disco :

3:45–4:45pm – Reception, Y1 and Y2

5:15–6:30pm – Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6

Tickets are £5

Each reception child must be accompanied by an adult (1:1)
Small groups of Y1/Y2 children must be accompanied by an adult (1 adult per small group)

Y3–Y6 may attend without an adult.

For tickets and full details visit the [PTA website](#)



Your child should have brought home a card with a unique code enabling you to view and order their school photo.

Photos ordered before 18th October will be delivered to the school free of charge so don't delay - order yours today!

Orders after 18th October will be delivered to your home address at an additional charge.

If you haven't received your child's code, please get in touch with the school office.

Brookburn is **NUT-FREE**

Please can we remind you that we are a completely NUT FREE school. This means that packed lunches and snacks must not contain any trace of nuts.

Your cooperation with this helps us support members of the school community who have severe allergies. Thank you

Secondary School Admissions - Sep 27

If your child is in Year 6, please note that the deadline for secondary school applications for September 2027 admissions is **31st October 2026**.

For more info visit Manchester City Council Website Click [here](#)

If you are not a Manchester resident, you must apply to the local authority in which you reside.

Reception Admissions - Sep 27

The application round for Reception 2027 school places is now open. The deadline for submitting an on time application is **Friday 15 January 2027**.

Applications must be made via the Manchester City Council website: [CLICK HERE](#)

Remember! If your child currently attends our nursery you still need to apply using the above link.

Nursery Admissions - Sep 27

Applications are open for admission to the nursery from September 2027.

Please complete the application form which you can download from our website and return it to the school office:

<https://brookburn.manchester.sch.uk/our-school/admissions/>

Open Morning for September 2027 Admissions.

Please share with family and friends!

Forest School!
Bring your wellies and let's get exploring our Treasure Woods!

Adventure into our classrooms and facilities with engaging activities for you and your children

Saturday 14th November
9:30 am – 11:00 am
All Families & Children Welcome!

Brookburn Primary School

Location: Brookburn Primary School, Chorley
Book / Enquire: 01524 885 000 - admissions@brookburn.manchester.sch.uk
Come and experience what makes Brookburn a special place to learn and grow!

Connect Alliance Trust

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SHOW RACISM THE RED CARD

Next **Friday, 16th October**, we will be taking part in Wear Red Day 2026.

Children can wear red to school to show their support for the work that 'Show Racism the Red Card' do to Change Hearts. Change Minds. Change Lives.

You can find out how to donate by visiting the website:

<https://www.theredcard.org/wear-red-day/>



KS2 Poster Competition

Madame Warrington is running a competition for all Key Stage 2 children to design a poster to celebrate European Day of Languages.

The theme of the poster design is 'Languages Unite...'

We have had some fantastic entries already and there is still time to get yours in – the deadline for entries is

Friday 16th October.



From Mon 19 Oct– Sun 1 Nov
There will be disruption on the Metrolink Tram network.

No trams will operate on the Altrincham, Trafford Centre and Eccles lines.

Visit: <https://tfgm.com/tram-improvement-works/major-tram-works>



Mathletics

W/E	Most Improved (Top 3)	Top Class
25.9.26	Hugo 4DW Hippolyte 4MS Eva 4MS	4DW (146)
2.10.26	1. Eva 4MS 2. Theo 4MS 3. Francis 4DW	4DW (158)

W/E	Most Tasks Complete
25.9.26	Year 6
2.10.26	Year 6

PTA News



Preloved Halloween Costumes and Uniform Sale Thursday 15th–Friday 16th October (before and after school)

We're running our next preloved sale soon selling uniform and Halloween costumes.

All on a pay-what-you-feel basis.

Donations welcome (especially of Halloween costumes!)

Please drop off any good quality items in the box outside the main office.

PTA drop in Friday 16th October 9.05am in the Training Room (down the Cobbled Lane)

Join us for a cup of tea and an informal chat about upcoming PTA activities. We'll be catching up on plans for next half term, including a Christmas Crafts event and eco activities!



Frequently Asked Questions



How do I change from school meals to packed lunch?

- Provide 2 weeks notice.
- Complete the google form: <https://forms.gle/bPuWa7IDEvYtKuHu6>
- Ensure your child's packed lunch is healthy, nutritious and nut free!

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- Give 2 weeks notice
- Complete the google form: <https://forms.gle/SZ5dYRb6tWteLZbDA>
- Pay for your child's meals via Parentpay.

How will my child celebrate their birthday in school?

If your child is celebrating their birthday, they may come to school wearing their own clothes. If their birthday falls in the school holidays or at the weekend, they can wear their own clothes when they return to school.

We do not allow children to share sweets, chocolates or cakes with their class.

If you feel that you would like to share a treat with your child's class, a single reading book for the class to read together and keep in the library is a lovely idea that everyone can enjoy.

Do you need to know if someone else is collecting my child?

Please let the teaching staff know if there is a change of pick up arrangements for your child. This includes if your child is going on a play date with a friend in their class.

If you can't speak to the teacher, please let the school office know.

MENU

Next week is Week 1 and the following week is Week 2.

Week 1

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Cheese & Tomato Pizza with Baked Potato Wedges	Mild Chicken Curry with Steamed Rice	Mince Beef & Onion Pie	Chicken Burger in a Bun with Hash Browns	Fish of the Day with Chips
Katsu Style Quorn with Steamed Rice	Quorn Burger in a Bun with Baked Potato Wedges	Meat Free Mince & Onion Pie	Falafel Bites with Hash Browns	Cheese & Leek Pie with Chips
Jacket Potato with Cheese & Baked Beans	Pasta in a Tomato & Herb Sauce	Cheese Sandwich with Side Salad	Pasta in a Tomato & Basil Sauce	Jacket Potato with Cheese & Baked Beans
Sweetcorn	Broccoli	Creamed Potatoes, Carrots and vegetable Gravy	Garden Peas & Sweetcorn	Garden Peas
				Orange & Lemon Sponge Cake

Selected for Selection: Fresh Fruit, Fruit Yogurt, Cheese & Crackers, Jelly Jars, Milk & Water

HARRISON food with thought

Week 2

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Cheese & Tomato Pizza with Baked Potato Wedges	Lasagne Ai Forno with Garlic Bread	Chicken Pie with Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Chicken Sausage with Creamed Potatoes & Gravy	Fish of the Day with Chips
Southern Fried Quorn & Roasted Vegetable Tortilla Wrap	Tomato & Harissa Stew with Dumplings	Lentil Moussaka with Garlic Bread	Cumberland Vegan Quorn Sausage with Creamed Potatoes & Gravy	Mexican Style Vegetable & Bean Burrito with Chips
Pasta in Tomato & Herb Sauce	Jacket Potato with Cheese & Baked Beans	Tuna Mayonnaise Sandwich with Side Salad	Pasta in Tomato & Basil Sauce	Jacket Potato with Cheese & Beans
Baked Potato Wedges & Sweetcorn	Broccoli	Carrots	Peas & Sweetcorn	Garden Peas
				Apple & Cinnamon Cake

Selected for Selection: Fresh Fruit, Fruit Yogurt, Jelly Jars, Cheese & Crackers, Milk & Water

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Week 3

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Cheese & Tomato Pizza with Baked Potato Wedges	Beef Meatballs in a Tomato Sauce with Penne Pasta	Lemon & Thyme Roast Chicken & Gravy	Sausage Roll with Creamed Potatoes & Gravy	Fish of the Day with Chips
Tanjin Style Quorn Stir Fry with Rice	Quorn Meatballs in a Tomato Sauce with Penne Pasta	Cheddar Cheese & Spinach mini Quiche	Vegan Sausage Roll with Creamed Potatoes & Gravy	Cheesy Broccoli & Cauliflower Pasta Bake with Sliced Bagnaetta
Pasta in Tomato & Herb Sauce	Jacket Potato with Cheese & Beans	Tuna Mayonnaise Sandwich with Side Salad	Pasta in Tomato & Basil Sauce	Jacket Potato with Cheese & Beans
Sweetcorn	Sweetcorn & Garlic Bread	Roast Potatoes & Broccoli	Mixed Vegetables	Garden Peas
				Wholemeal Carrot Cake

Selected for Selection: Fresh Fruit, Fruit Yogurt, Jelly Jars, Cheese & Crackers, Milk & Water

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