



Brampton Abbotts Church of England Primary School

Brampton's Christian Core Values: Honesty, Respect, Friendship, Happiness MARCH 2017



IMPORTANT DATES

Tuesday 4th April

**SPONSORED BOUNCE
(PTFA Event)**

Thursday 6th April

HINDU TEMPLE VISIT

Friday 7th April

**1.15pm EASTER
SERVICE @ St Mary's
Church
&
2pm END OF TERM**

Monday 24th April

INSET DAY

(School closed for children)

Monday 1st May

BANK HOLIDAY

Friday 5th May

**PARENT'S CELEBRATION
ASSEMBLY**

Week Beginning 12th June

**PARENT CONSULTATION
MEETINGS**

Saturday 1st July

PTFA FUN DAY

**NEWSLETTER AND
DIARY DATES ARE ON
THE WEBSITE**

Attendance

Whole school attendance target this year: **96%**.

Last year (2015-2016) we only achieved 94.6%.

WHOLE SCHOOL: 94.36% (up to 30.4.17)

Class Attendance (up to and inc. 30.3.17)

Inkpen Class: 92.6%	Ahlberg Class 96.2%
Donaldson Class: 93.6%	Rowling Class: 95.5%
Dahl Class: 94.3%	

Congratulations to AHLBERG Class for the best attendance of the year to date.

Hindu Temple Update

We have been aware of a few parents/carers expressing some concerns regarding the upcoming Hindu Temple trip to Tiverdale, West Midlands next Thursday 6th April for the morning. Please be assured that under no circumstances would we ever organise a visit that has any real risk to any child in our care. To this end, we have contacted the Educational Visits Department at Herefordshire Local Authority and they have confirmed that there is **no risk** to the trip going ahead next week.

On the day, please ensure that every child wears their school uniform and brings a snack and a drink for the coach. We will be returning to school for a whole school packed lunch. Any child receiving Free School Meals will receive a packed lunch on the day – there is no need to provide one if you do not normally.

Currently, we are assuming that every child that has paid and/or completed a permission slip for the visit will be going. Should you not wish your child to attend, and have not made Mr Brearey or the school office aware, please ensure that you do so no later than **Tuesday 4th April** so that we can confirm numbers. We would very much like every child in the school to get a chance to take part in this interesting and valuable experience. Refunds will not be available as we have already made a commitment to the bus company involved.



When someone says or does something *unintentionally* hurtful and they do it once, that's **RUDE.**

When someone says or does something *intentionally* hurtful and they do it once, that's **MEAN.**

When someone says or does something *intentionally* hurtful and they *keep doing it*—even when you tell them to stop or show them that you're upset—that's **BULLYING.**

Bullying Poster

This is a copy of the poster that we display and discuss around the school. The School Council decided that it would be a good idea to share this with the whole school community.

Nits in School

We wish that we could completely eradicate nits – but sadly this will never be the case in Primary School! Please be aware that cases have been reported in most class. Please regularly check and treat your child's hair. Nit combs and leaflet are available to buy from the school office.

Regular Reading

We cannot say enough how important it is for your child to read at home to an adult regularly (4 or more times a week). Please try to make the time to do this.