



**BRADFIELD
PRIMARY
NEWSLETTER**

7TH NOVEMBER 2025 NO.8



HALF TERM 27 th OCTOBER-31 st OCTOBER		
Monday 3rd November	Children back to school	
Tuesday 4 th November	Open Door for parents	<i>3.15- parents invited to look informally at work in classrooms</i>
Tuesday 11th November	Year 1 and Year 2 Phonics meeting for parents	9.00-9.30pm- school hall
Tuesday 18 th November	Open school for prospective parents (2025) 9.30am	<i>An invite to view the school. Contact school office to book.</i>
	Open school for prospective parents (2025) 1.30pm	
Wednesday 19 th November	Open school for prospective parents (2025) 9.30am	<i>An invite to view the school. Contact school office to book.</i>
Tuesday 25 th November	Parents Forum	<i>School hall/9.00 am/ Parents invited to discuss general school queries/issues etc.</i>
Monday 1 st December	Christingle Assembly	<i>9.15am -In school event- parents invited</i>
Tuesday 9 th December- Wednesday 10 th December	YR/1/2 Christmas Production – 9.30am YR/1/2 Christmas Production – 9.30am	<i>In school event- parents invited</i>
Thursday 11 th December	Rocksteady concert	<i>Parents of children attending Rocksteady invited-2.30pm</i>
Wednesday 17 th December	Christmas dinner	<i>Wear your Christmas jumper to school day!</i>
Thursday 18th December	Y3,4,5,6 Carol Service @ St. Lawrence Church – 2.00pm	Parents invited
Friday 19 th December	Last day of term	-
CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY 22nd December- 2nd January 2026		
Monday 5 th January	Children return to school	-



Week 1

Monday

Creamy Macaroni Cheese (v/df)

Baguette Slice (v)
Diced Carrots (ve)
Sweetcorn (ve)

LB—Jacket Potato with Beans
Fruit Wedge (ve)

Tuesday

Magic Garden Chicken

Rainbow Power Bowl (ve)
Wholegrain & White Rice (ve)
Green Beans (ve)

LB—Cheese Roll (gf)
Chocolate Sponge & Chocolate Sauce (v/df)

Wednesday

Baked Sausage (g/df)

Golden Vegetable Loaf (v)
Roast Potatoes (v)
Choice of Two Seasonal Vegetables (ve)
Gravy (Optional)

LB- Egg Mayo Roll (df/gf)
Jam Crumble Slice (v)

Thursday

Mighty Mince with a Puff Pastry Top

Quorn Sausage Roll
Mashed Potato (v)
Broccoli (ve) Gravy (optional)

LB—Jacket Potato with Tuna
Fruit Whip (v)

Friday

Baked Fish Cake

Crispy Seaside Fingers (v)
Crispy Chips (ve)
Peas (ve)

LB—Jacket Potato with Beans (df/gf)
Viennese Biscuits (ve)

Week Beginning:
03/11/25
24/11/25
15/12/25
19/01/26
09/02/26
09/03/26

Week 2

Monday

Margherita Pizza (v/df)

Sweetcorn (ve)
Pasta Salad

LB—Tuna Roll
Fruit Salad (ve)

Tuesday

Chicken Goujons with Chip Shop Style Curry Sauce (gf)

Mild Sweet Potato Curry
Wholegrain & White Rice (ve)
Broccoli (ve)

LB—Jacket Potato with Beans (df/gf)
Shortbread (v)

Wednesday

Roast Gammon

Roasted Herby Fillet (ve)
Roast Potatoes (ve)
Seasonal Vegetables (ve)
Gravy (Optional)

LB—Egg Mayo in a Roll (df/gf)
Fresh Fruit (ve)

Thursday

Pasta with Bolognese or Cheese Sauce (df/gf)

Homemade Focaccia (v)
Sweetcorn & Pepper Salad (v)

LB—Jacket Potato with Tuna (df/gf)
Chocolate Fudge Cake (v)

Friday

Omega 3 Fish Fingers (df/gf)
Crispy Dipper (v)
Crispy Chips (ve)
Baked Beans (ve)
Peas (ve)

LB—Cheese Roll (gf)
Grandma's Orange Cookie (v)

Week Beginning:
10/11/25
01/12/25
05/01/26
26/01/26
23/02/26
16/03/26

Week 3

Monday

Crispy Pizza Whirl (v)

1/2 Jacket Potato (ve)
Baked Beans (ve)
Peas (ve)

LB Tuna Roll (df)
Yoghurt (ve)

Tuesday

Creamy Carbonara (v)
Cheesy "No Nut" Pesto Pasta (v)

Garlic Bread (v/df)
Broccoli (ve)

LB—Jacket Potato with Beans (df/gf)
Chocolate Crispy Cake (v)

Wednesday

Roast Chicken

Baked Herby Fillet (ve)
Roast Potatoes (ve)
Choice of two Seasonal Vegetables (ve)
Gravy (Optional)

LB—Egg Roll (df)
Angel Delight (gf)

Thursday

Creamy Chicken Curry (df/gf)

Roast Vegetable Rice Enchilada (v)
Wholegrain & White Rice (ve)
Green Beans (ve)

LB—Jacket Potato with Cheese (df)
Flapjack (v)

Friday

Beef Burger (df/gf)
Boston Bean Burger (v)
Chips (ve)
Sweetcorn (ve)
Peas (ve)

LB—Ham Roll (df/gf)
Fruit in Jelly (v)

Week beginning:
17/11/25
08/12/25
12/01/26
02/02/26
02/03/26
23/03/26



KS1 PHONICS MEETING FOR PARENTS

We are pleased to invite you **meeting** about a significant update to our curriculum: the introduction of our new phonics programme, **Little Wandle Letters and Sounds Revised**.

Invitation for Year 1 and Year 2 Parents

We know that our dates for the diary initially stated that this meeting was initially only for Year 1 parents regarding the phonic check. However, due to our plans to update the way we deliver phonics in school, we have **opened the invitation to include all Year 2 parents** as well. We appreciate the **short notice** for Year 2, but we believe this programme will be very interesting for you to learn about. For any parents who are unable to attend this session, we will look to organise **another Little Wandle phonics information meeting** in the near future.

What You Need to Know

While this is an exciting enhancement to our teaching, Little Wandle does represent a slightly different approach to phonics instruction than our current **RWInc. method**. We believe it is important for you to understand how it will work in school.

This session is designed to:

- **Introduce** the core principles of the Little Wandle programme.
- **Explain** what a phonics lesson will look like for your child.
- **Show** you how you can best support your child's reading journey at home.

Phonics Information Meeting Details

We warmly invite you to join **Miss Page**, our Phonics Lead, who will be hosting the session and answering any questions you may have.

- **Date: Monday, 11th November**
- **Time: 9:00 am**
- **Location: School Hall**





WOWS!



Henry

Henry was awarded his chief scout silver award this week after completing all the elements at the Scout jamboree he attended in the summer.



Evie

Evie completed her 1st street dance competition with her new dance school and had lots of fun. She did really well, even coming 2nd with her quad and crew team. She is looking forward to her next competition in December.



We would love to see your achievements outside of school and share in your 'WOW' moments. Please email photos and a brief description of the achievement to

wows@bradfield.essex.sch.uk



WOWS!



Mirae

Well done to Mirae who came 1st place in her first ever street dance competition at the weekend. Beating over 40 other kids! She has now qualified for the Grand Nationals next year!

STARS OF THE WEEK

Well done to...

YR Indie

For confidently coming into school all week and building positive relationships with her friends in class.

Y1 Mollie

For always listening carefully and trying her best at all times.

Y2 Eden

For putting in lots of effort into her work and being a confident learner.

STARS OF THE WEEK

Well done to...

Y3 Poppy

For a consistently attentive and positive attitude towards all aspects of life in Discovery Class. Thank you and keep it up!

Y4 Mirae

For always listening actively and trying your best in everything every day! Keep up the great effort and thank you!

Y5 Toby

For using interesting and exciting vocabulary and improving the presentation of his work.

Y6 Henry

For listening to feedback and applying this into his learning with confidence.

LIBRARY LEGENDS...

A Library Legends certificate is awarded because you have demonstrated exceptional reading skills and excellent habits that make you a positive role model and a champion of books and learning!



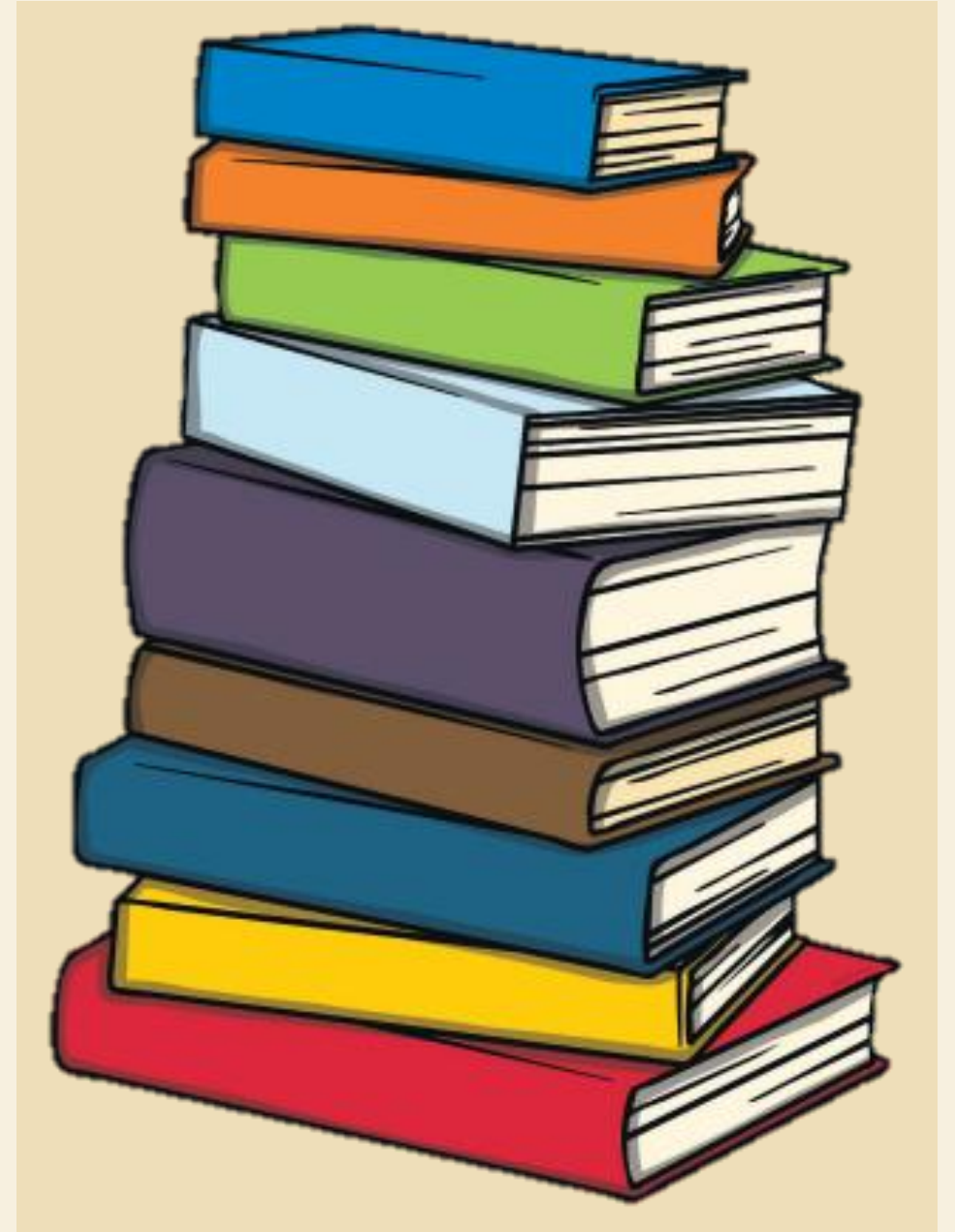
Library Legends

Bramley – Archie

Pippin – Isaac

Discovery – Fleur

Blenheim – Bella



HOUSE POINTS

INDIVIDUAL AWARDS

BRONZE AWARD

(25 house points received)

SILVER AWARD

(100 house points received)

GOLD AWARD

(250 house points received)

Ryan

William

Amy

PLATINUM AWARD

(500 house points received)

Bella

Freddy

Olivia

Poppy

DOUBLE PLATINUM AWARD

(1000 house points achieved)

DIAMOND

(1500 house points achieved)

TOTALS

BEECH HOUSE

1247

MAPLE HOUSE

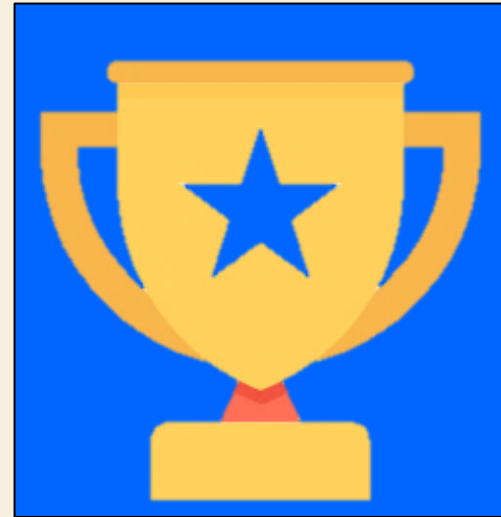
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OAK HOUSE

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WILLOW HOUSE

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**OAK HOUSE
WINNERS**

**HAPPY
BIRTHDAY
TO...**



**Olivia
Indy
Tadhg**

OUR LEARNING BEHAVIOUR THEME THIS WEEK IS...

- ✓ **Push ourselves**
- ✓ **Fight our fears**
- ✓ **Ask for help**
- ✓ **Listen to others who care**
- ✓ **Accept constructive feedback**
 - ✓ **Set goals or targets**
 - ✓ **Have high standards**



PUSH YOURSELF

IF YOU WANT TO BE REALLY SUCCESSFUL YOU NEED TO PUSH YOURSELF IN LOTS OF DIFFERENT WAYS-

SUCCESSFUL PEOPLE FIND PEOPLE THEY TRUST TO HELP REMIND THEM OF THEIR GOALS AND DEADLINES. THEY HELP THEM TO FIGHT THEIR FEARS.

SUCCESSFUL PEOPLE FIND PEOPLE WHO CARE AND WANT THEM TO DO WELL. PEOPLE WHO CARE PUSH YOU TO SUCCEED.

SUCCESSFUL PEOPLE FIND EXPERTS TO HELP COACH AND GUIDE THEM. THEY HAVE A MENTOR WHO GIVES GOOD ADVICE.



VALUES

Trust

- ✓ We are reliable
- ✓ We tell the truth
- ✓ We do what we say we are going to do
- ✓ We are kind and respectful of others.

KEY SKILLS

Listener

- ✓ You pay attention to people and the world around you.
- ✓ You care and understand how others are thinking and feeling.
- ✓ You are interested in the world around you.
- ✓ You are interesting to know as a person.