

Broadfield Primary School Newsletter



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Christmas 2020 at Broadfield

On Wednesday 16th December, we had our virtual Christmas nativity. All the children participated well. We had a selection of songs and readings which were all linked to the celebration of Christmas. We would like to thank Reverend Andrewes for hosting the service and leading us in prayer, not only about the birth of Jesus but also thinking about people far and wide, who haven't got much. Special thanks must also be made to Miss Blayds for arranging this special event.

This year 2020, has been a challenging year for all because of Covid-19. Despite having many cases of Covid, we have managed to keep the school open and where we have had to send classes home, children have been able to continue with their education. Our teachers and support staff have done a fantastic job this year. Never has so much been asked of them in a short space of time. As such, I would like to thank them for their continued commitment to our school community.

Enjoy your Christmas break, keep safe, we look forward to welcoming everybody back on Tuesday January 5th 2021. On behalf of the Governors and staff, Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year to you all.



Thank you

Staff at Broadfield have received thanks from a parent and members of the medical profession for support given to a pupil. We are very proud that staff often go the extra mile to support pupils and their families and it is humbling when this is acknowledged.

Farewell

Today, we say goodbye to Miss Procter who is moving to another school in Oldham to take on the position of Deputy Headteacher. We wish her every success in her new role and we thank her for her commitment and hard work in the ten years that she has been at Broadfield. Very best wishes Miss Procter.

Orienteering

On Tuesday 15th December, Mr Lees, Dana, Awais, Mustafa and Hussain went to Alexandra Park on a voyage of exploration and took part in an orienteering event. The event had 20 hidden stars dotted around the scenic park and the children had to use the map to find them. Each star had a brand image and a number printed on them. Triumphant in victory, to find all the stars, the boys won gold medals for their efforts.



We love writing

After watching the Snowman, Willow class wrote a short setting description using expanded noun phrases.

Snowflakes fall down from the sky looking like bright, shiny crystals or stars.

Wind whooshes and snow splats onto the freezing, silver ground.

Softly, snow falls like tiny pieces of white frozen clouds from heaven,

It twirls and spins gently as it descends from above.

Summaiya- Willow



Learning

Did you know?

Volcanoes

Volcanoes erupt when there's too much pressure (which releases gases and minerals to rise up). Then magma (semi-molten rock found in the Mantle) escapes as a result of high pressure. When magma breaks through the surface of a volcano, it is then exposed to oxygen and is called lava. Lava is molten rock that flows from a volcano, or the solid rock formed when it cools. The intense heat and friction created in the different layers cause a continuous change in the Earth. The crust is broken into many different pieces. The gaps where these pieces meet is where magma and gases escape.



By Pakiza – Oak class

Attendance this term

Despite Covid-19, some classes have tried really hard with their attendance this term. As far as possible holidays should be booked during the holidays. However, if you do need to go away, it is important that you arrange an appointment to see Mrs Jolley our Attendance Lead.

Group	% Attend
RECEPTION1	90.9
RECEPTION2	91.0
LARCH	93.4
BEECH	94.4
WILLOW	95.5
CHESTNUT	96.2
WOODLANDS	95.7
MAPLE	94.1
ELM	96.9
SYCAMORE	90.8
OAK	93.8
ASH	97.9
Totals	94.1

NHS Track and Trace

In order to support the track and trace system parents can contact school up to Christmas Eve in the event of your child testing positive for COVID 19, having developed symptoms within 48 hours of being in school.

If this applies to your child please e-mail head@broadfield.oldham.sch.uk or telephone Ms Stennett on 0777 666 1836.

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Awards



'Together We Can Achieve'

Pupil of the Term



Head teacher	Eesa
Head teacher	Hammad
Deputy Headteacher	Mohammed Ahmed
Deputy Headteacher	Abdul
Acorns am	Ahmed
Acorns pm	Zahra
Nursery am	Mahida
Nursery pm	Samreen
Reception 1	Muhammad
Reception 2	Abdul
Year 1 Larch	Atel
Y1/2 Beech	Hamdiyah
Y2 Willow	Maryam
Y3 Maple	Falak
Y3/4 Woodlands	Areefa,
Y3/4 Chestnut	Sawera
Y5 Ash	Raja
Y5 Sycamore	Shujjah.
Y6 Elm	Talia
Y6 Oak	Ayub Hasan

Shout Outs

Hashim	Eshal
Genevieve	Inaya

Well Done to All!

Christmas competition

Designing a Christmas card the winners are as follows

EYFS

Winner Khizar - Rec 1
Runners up Yahya H - Rec 2
Bisma Noor - Nursery PM
Maryam - Acorns AM

KS1

Winner Summaiya - Willow
Runners up Aisha - Beech
Luqman - Larch

Lower KS2

Winner - Yusuf - Woodlands
Runners up –
Ibrahim – Maple
Safa - Chestnut

Upper KS2

Winner - Tehreem - Elm
Runners up –
Marwa – Ash
Araful - Sycamore
Daud - Oak