



## Reception 2022

If your child is due to start Reception in September 2022, it is important that you complete the online application at [www.oldham.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.oldham.gov.uk/admissions). You can only apply online - It's quick and easy and means you get the school offer directly via email. Even if you have a child already at the school of your choice you still need to apply now. The online system opened on 1 September 2021.

### **When do I need to complete my application?**

The closing date for all applications was **15 January 2022 at 5pm.**

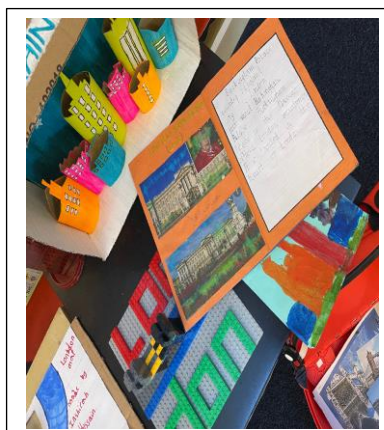
### **What happens if I don't complete my application on time?**

This means you may not get a place at your preferred school. Your application won't be looked at until after we've allocated places to all those that arrived on time. If you have missed the closing date, please still complete your application form online as soon as possible

If you need any help with completing your form, please speak to a member of the office team who will be more than happy to help you.

## Independent Learning

As always, the children have returned to school with a positive attitude. We are particularly impressed with the standard of independent learning. The topic for the children in Key Stage 1 is 'Bright Lights Big City'. The following are examples of learning completed at home by children in Beech class – well done to all.

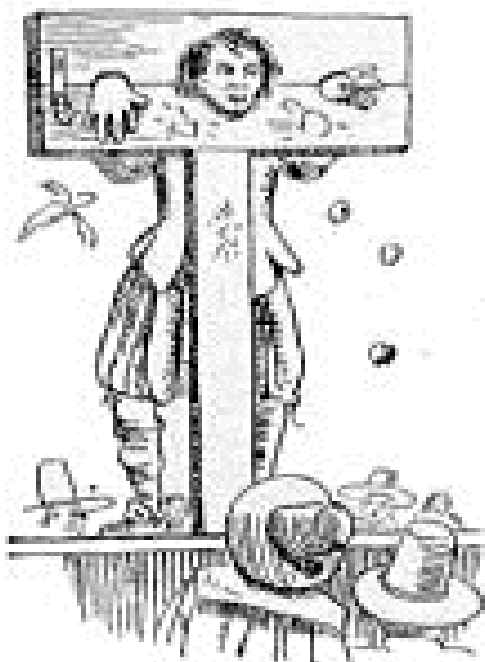


### **Off with their heads!**

This half term, the children in Upper Key Stage 2 are learning about the Tudors. How much do you know about the different types of punishments during Tudor times?

#### **The Pillory**

A Tudor punishment which brought great shame and embarrassment upon the criminal was being put in the pillory. The Pillory was a wooden frame in the shape of the letter T, with holes for the criminal's hands at the top of the crossbar. They would then have to stand in this device in the town centre whilst a passer-by and members of society would ridicule them.



#### **The Drunkard's Cloak**

This was a punishment for public drunkenness. The drunk was forced to don a barrel and wander through town while the villagers jeer at him. Holes were cut in the barrel for the person's hands and head, causing it to become like a heavy, awkward shirt.



By Zubair –Sycamore class

### We love writing

High up in the dark, cloudy sky, is the bright, lonely moon. In the light of the moon, on top of the shark-like rock, stands an eerie, antiquated lighthouse. Surrounding the spooky lighthouse, the indignant sea rages uncontrollably. Far below, in the distance, houses are glowing brightly. Coming from the houses is loud laughter.

Inside the lighthouse, hunched on his uncomfortable wooden chair, is Bob (who is an old, angry lighthouse keeper) concentrating on his 'fun' paperwork. Annoyed by the loud laughing he is missing out on, he slams the ancient window shut and shouts, "What are you doing?"

But...in a flash, the light goes off-he looks around in distress. He rushes up the spiral staircase into a mysterious room where there is a prehistoric machine. He runs further up, to where the fragile glass lamp is. Trying to carry it, with all his strength but... all of a sudden, he slips in his old fashioned shoes. As he is in a dilemma, he questions to himself, "Should I save the boat or the lighthouse?" Sprinting back downstairs, he says, "Is it a miracle?"

He sees the people of the village climbing the steep hill with lanterns in their hands. Smiling uncontrollably, in his old musty, crusty clothes, as the boat is guided safely back to shore, he asks, "Why did you do this for me?"

One of the villagers (called Jeffery) replies, "We will always be here." Standing together, like fireflies, the lights shine in every possible direction once more.



**By Izma – Oak class**

### After School Clubs

This term, we continue to offer a range of after school clubs. The competitions for the Hathershaw Sports Cluster include; archery, dance, indoor athletics, dodgeball and climbing. We wish our children well.

We are pleased to say that hopefully chess club will be starting fairly soon for children in Year 5. We will keep you updated on their progress.

# Broadfield Primary School

# Awards



'Together We Can Achieve'

## Pupil of the Week



Reception 1	Faiz
Reception 2	Rebeeca
Year 1 Larch	Minahil
Y1/2 Beech	Inshirah
Y2 Willow	Mason
Y3 Maple	Uwais
Y3/4 Chestnut	Malaika
Y3/4 Woodlands	Hamza
Y5 Ash	Laraib
Y5 Sycamore	Emaan
Y6 Elm	Isra
Y6 Oak	Rayhaan Shujjah

## Pupil of the Week w/b 03.01.22

Reception 1	Sanaya
Reception 2	Amelia
Year 1 Larch	Aaila
Y1/2 Beech	Hussnain
Y2 Willow	Karrar
Y3 Maple	Khirad
Y3/4 Chestnut	Azaan
Y3/4 Woodlands	Hashim
Y5 Ash	Qasim
Y5 Sycamore	Zubair
Y6 Elm	Hashim
Y6 Oak	Ayan

**Well Done to All!**

## Best Attendance



This week's best attenders are:

**Reception 2**

**97.5%**

**Well done!**