

## Year 2 Zoologists

Our Year 2s went on their Science trip to ZSL Whipsnade Zoo on Friday, 14th June. The pupils have learnt about Living Things and their Habitat and Animals including Humans in Science. At the zoo, they viewed and learnt about different animals from around the world and their habitats, mini beasts and animal lifecycles.



They were very engaged as they participated in a Habitats Workshop, where they delved into different habitats from around the world. They explored the different animals that are found in these habitats, considered how they are suited to each particular habitat and found out how colours and patterns help animals survive in their habitats. The pupils had a lot of fun and an amazing experience learning about the animals and minibeasts from around the world.



## The Roman Empire

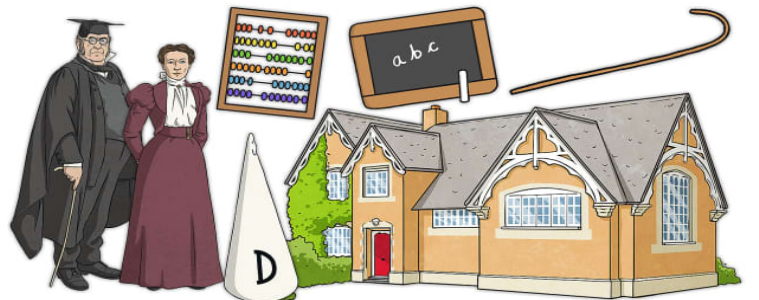
As part of our Roman topic, Year 3 Ottawa put on a class assembly to show what they have been learning about different aspects of Roman life. Although this civilisation lived over 1500 years ago, their impact is still very much alive in our everyday lives. The pupils were happy to teach others about what it truly takes to be a Roman, whether it be soldier, civilian, gladiator or even God or Goddess! All pupils learnt their lines and truly performed their parts. They sang beautifully and confidently. Well done Year 3 Ottawa on an informative assembly about how to be just like a Roman.



## Victorian Children



On Wednesday, 26th June, Year 6 Wellington took us back in time to the Victorian Era where we experienced what it was truly like to be a Victorian child. They showed us why Victorian pupils had such an unhappy life. They had to work hard to help their parents because their families were very poor. Our Victorians sang and explained how they were forced to work as soon as they could walk. They sang about the harsh conditions they had to work under at the workhouses for twelve to sixteen hours a day, six days a week. The pupils reflected on this period and explored the extent to which society has evolved, including the rights of pupils today. Well done Year 6 Wellington for the amazing musical production!



### Summer Reading Challenge Assembly

On **Monday, 1st July**, representatives from the **Yeading Library** will visit us to promote this year's **Summer Reading Challenge**. We encourage as many pupils to participate so that they can improve their reading skills and read for enjoyment over the summer holidays. In order for your child to be registered for the Summer Reading Challenge, they must be registered with the Hillingdon Library Service. Application forms to register for the Library will be handed out at the assembly. Please return the application form to the School Office by Friday, 5th July, should you want your child to join the Library. Please note this is a free service. Thank you.

### Sports Day

**During the week commencing Monday, 1st July, Brookside Primary will be hosting our annual Sports Days.** On Monday, 1st July, we will be hosting our Nursery Sports Day and Wednesday, 3rd July our Reception Sports Day. On Thursday, 4th July we will be hosting our Key Stage 2 Sports Day and Friday, 5th July will be for Key Stage 1. All Sports Days will be held on our school playfield and all parents are welcome to come, watch and cheer. Please see further information below for allocated times.

Date	Time	Year Group
Monday, 1st July	9:15 a.m. to 11:15 a.m.	Nursery AM
Monday, 1st July	12:45 p.m. to 2:45 p.m.	Nursery PM
Wednesday, 3rd July	9:15 a.m. to 11:15 a.m.	Reception
Thursday, 4th July	9:15 a.m. to 11:15 a.m.	Years 3, 4, 5 & 6
Friday, 5th July	9:15 a.m. to 11:15 a.m.	Years 1 & 2

All pupils are required to wear the full and correct Physical Education (PE) Kit for Sports Day. If your child requires a PE Kit, please make sure you place an order via iPayimpact. All pupils will also need their own water bottle which must be clearly labelled with their name.

### Sun Cream and Hats

Now that the weather is getting warmer, please ensure that your child comes to school wearing sun cream, particularly on sunny days (which should be applied before coming to school) and is equipped with a bottle of water and a hat, as they will be taking part in a lot more outdoor activities. Thank you.

### Brookside Got Talent

This is just a friendly reminder that on **Friday, the 12th of July**, we will be holding our annual 'Brookside Got Talent' assembly. During this event, each class will have the opportunity to showcase their talents in the Junior Hall, with all year groups in attendance. It's a great chance for both the children and staff members to come together and celebrate everyone's abilities.

### Water Safety



Keep you and your family safe around water. London Fire Brigade wants everyone to enjoy their hobbies and activities on or close to water, and to be safe but we know that drowning in the UK is one of the leading causes of accidental deaths. Knowing how to avoid various hazards, what to do in cold water and how to respond quickly and safely in an emergency can save lives.

Visit our website and download the Water Safety Booklet: <https://trhat.co.uk/water-safety-booklet/>

### Recycle and Re Use Uniform



As the summer term is coming to an end, please consider recycling your child's pre-loved uniform by donating it back to **Brookside Primary School** to support a family in need of updating their child's uniform for September. The donation/collection point is located at the **Brookside Primary School's Reception**. Pre-loved uniforms will be available for free throughout the school year for our parents, guardians and carers in need of support. Parents, guardians and carers are encouraged to contact the School for access to these uniforms. Uniform in wearable condition can be donated to and collected from the School at any time.

If your child's school's uniform is irreparable, it can be upcycled into new and transformed items. You can recycle irreparable uniforms through a number of routes via charity shops, recycling banks or your local **HWRC (Household Waste and Recycling Centre)**. This will give irreparable uniforms a new lease of life which will have a positive impact on the environment.



MyHealth are running FREE Asthma workshops for parents who have children with Asthma. These sessions are run by the Hillingdon Hospital asthma nurses giving you the chance to learn from health professionals and to ask them questions directly. Some of the content included in these sessions is:

- Asthma attacks
- Asthma triggers
- Inhaler techniques
- Asthma action plans

The workshop is run online using ZOOM you can register your FREE place via the link (<https://www.eventbrite.co.uk/e/myhealthasthma-workshop-for-parents-children-tickets-191548726397>).

All sessions are from 4 - 5 p.m. and current dates are:

- Monday 1st July
- Monday 2nd September

You can also contact the MyHealth team on tel: 01895 543 437 or [nhsn-wlccg.myhealth@nhs.net](mailto:nhsn-wlccg.myhealth@nhs.net).

**BROOKSIDE PRIMARY** **Week Commencing: Monday, 1st July**  
**MENU 4**

MONDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Spaghetti Bolognese	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Spaghetti Bolognese	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Mediterranean Pasta Bake	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Bolognese with Gluten free Pasta	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Raspberry Jelly	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
TUESDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Chicken Sausages with Mashed Potatoes and Beans	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Chicken Sausages with Mashed Potatoes and Beans	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Vegetarian Sausages with Mashed Potatoes and Onion Gravy	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Gluten free Pork Sausages with Mashed Potatoes without Milk or Butter	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Jam and Coconut Sponge	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
WEDNESDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Diced Lamb with Noodles and Vegetable Stir Fry	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Diced Lamb with Noodles and Vegetable Stir Fry	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Vegetable Stir Fry with Noodles	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Diced Lamb with Vegetable Stir Fry	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Vanilla Ice Cream with Peaches	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
THURSDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes, Stuffing and Onion Gravy	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes, Stuffing and Onion Gravy	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Cheese and Onion Tart	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes and Gluten free Gravy	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Chocolate Sponge	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
FRIDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Fish Fingers or Battered Chicken with Potato Wedges	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Fish Fingers or Battered Chicken with Potato Wedges	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Macaroni Cheese	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Gluten free Fish Fingers with Gluten free Potato Wedges and Beans	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Custard Tart	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
<i>Please note that all main meals are served with Fresh Vegetables of the Day</i>		

July - September 2024		
JULY		
Monday, 1st	9:15 a.m. - 11 a.m.	Nursery AM Sports Day
Monday, 1st	12:45 p.m. - 2:45 p.m.	Nursery PM Sports Day
Tuesday, 2nd		Transition Day
Wednesday, 3rd	9:15 a.m. - 11 a.m.	Reception Sports Day
Thursday, 4th	9:15 a.m. - 11 a.m.	Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 Sports Day
Thursday, 4th		Odds Farm Park Trip- Year 1 Helsinki
Friday, 5th	9:15 a.m. - 11 a.m.	Years 1 & 2 Sports Day
Friday, 5th		Picnic at Northala Fields- Year 6
Monday, 8th		TP Day- Year 6
Tuesday, 9th		Flip Out Hounslow Trip- Year 6
Friday, 12th		Brookside Got Talent
Wednesday, 17th	9:30 a.m.	Reception Graduation Ceremony
Wednesday, 17th	2:00 p.m.	Year 6 Graduation Ceremony
Thursday, 18th	1:00 p.m.	End of Year Class Parties
Friday, 19th	11:45 a.m.	End of Year- Early Dismissal- EYFS & Key Stage 1
Friday, 19th	12:00 p.m.	End of Year- Early Dismissal- Key Stage 2
Monday, 22nd	9:00 a.m. - 3:00 p.m.	Summer School
Tuesday, 23rd	9:30 a.m. - 1:30 p.m.	Summer School
SEPTEMBER		
Monday, 2nd	1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	EYFS and KS1 Parent Consultation
Tuesday, 3rd	1:00 p.m. - 5:00 p.m.	KS2 Parent Consultation
Wednesday, 4th	8:30 a.m.	Summer Term begins

AUTUMN TERM 2024	
<b>Staff Training:</b> (Half day)	<b>Monday 2<sup>nd</sup> September 2024</b> [Training – morning only] [Parent Consultation – afternoon and early evening]
<b>Staff Training:</b> (Half day)	<b>Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September 2024</b> [Training – morning only] [Parent Consultation – afternoon and early evening]
<b>Term Begins:</b>	<b>Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> September 2024 (All year groups)</b>
<b>Half Term:</b>	<b>Monday 28<sup>th</sup> October to Friday 1<sup>st</sup> November 2024</b>
<b>Term Ends:</b>	<b>Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December 2024</b>