

## World Book Day!

Superheroes, Charlie with the Golden Ticket, Cinderella and Harry Potter are just a few of the many colourful characters who took part in this year's World Book Day festivities. Although, this year, many celebrated World Book Day on Thursday 4th March, we decided to dress for the occasion on Monday 8th March to encourage all our children to return to school in a joyous and exciting mood! Favourite book characters were brought to life as children and teachers across the School came in dressed as fictional characters from their favourite books to promote their love for reading. The children took part in magical reading sessions to enhance their imagination, improve their concentration and strengthen their analytical skills. Celebrating 26 years of magical literature, our children were enthralled by the number of books that lay before them, waiting to be read! This is a wonderful day designed not only to inspire children and encourage creative minds, but to instil a lifelong passion for reading.





## Reception Welcomes Caterpillars

As spring emerges, pupils in Berlin and Madrid classes welcomed their new addition of live caterpillars. Over the next few weeks, we will see them grow into cocoons and then emerge into beautiful butterflies.



## Anyone Hungry?

To develop children's knowledge, skills and understanding whilst motivating them to learn through stimulating, interconnected topics, pupils in Berlin and Madrid continued their learning on "The Life Cycle of a Butterfly".

With a focus on cross-curricular learning, this week, pupils applied their knowledge of the caterpillar, who proceeded to eat various foods in escalating quantities, in Mathematics by making delicious tomato and cucumber sandwiches and cutting them into equal portions of halves, before recording the fractions in numerical and word form.

Why don't you continue your child's learning at home by making pizza and assisting your child with dividing it into equal portions. This will not only improve your child's understanding of the topic, encouraging Mathematical skills to work out fractions, but will also provide a delicious end result!



# A ONE HOUR FREE ONLINE ASTHMA WORKSHOP

**Friday 26th  
March  
2pm - 3pm**

**THESE MONTHLY SESSIONS WILL COVER**

- What to do if your child is having an Asthma attack
- Inhaler techniques
- Asthma plans
- Myth Busting
- Common triggers

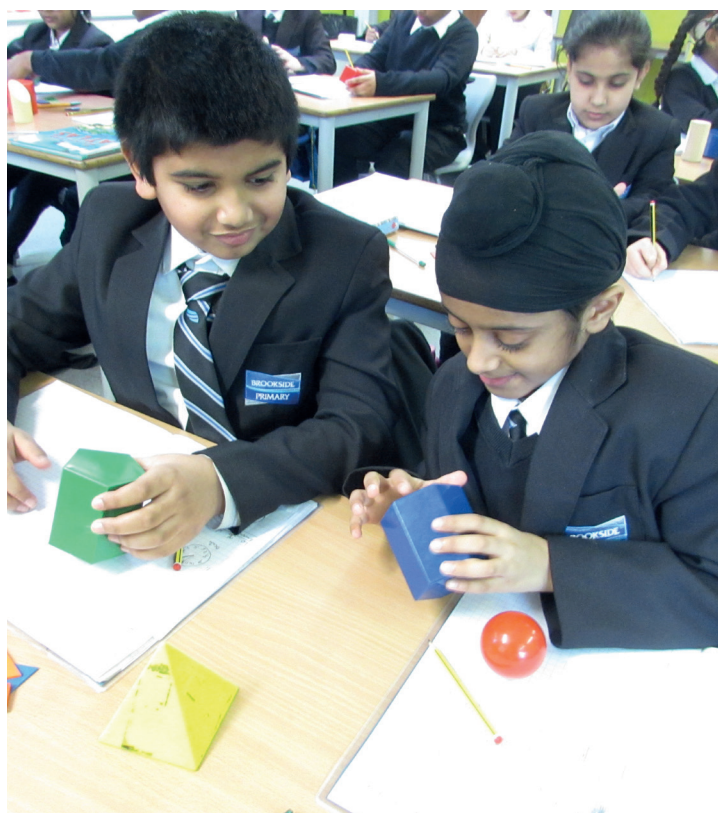
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### Three-Dimensional (3D) Shapes

Year 4 engaged in a creative Mathematics lesson, assembling three-dimensional (3D) shapes using net and wire mesh. Pupils in class have been investigating the properties of 3D shapes by putting them together and comparing their construction. They then went on to analyse the shapes, covering the different faces, edges and vertices of each shape, building upon their knowledge whilst developing important mathematic skills.



### British Science Week

As Year 6 have been learning about Evolution and Inheritance, they were tasked to create their own fossils using toy animals and clay. They learnt that palaeontologists study fossils and that fossils can be used to identify how tall or big an animal was, and how they are used to identify periods in time when these animals were alive.



**We are going to hatch some Chicks & Ducklings!**

Ducklings - Nursery

Chicks - Reception

Eggs arrival: Monday 15th March

Hatching: Wednesday 17 March

The chicks and ducklings will be leaving us on: Thursday 25th March



## MARCH AND APRIL 2021

### MARCH

Monday 15th	Living Eggs Arrival
Thursday 18th	Global Recycling Day
Friday 19th	Red Nose Day
Friday 19th	World Poetry Day Celebrations
Friday 19th	Last Day of Boosters
Friday 26th	Free Online Asthma Workshop
Wednesday 31st	Term Ends

### APRIL

Tuesday 20th	Parent Consultations
Wednesday 21st	Term Begins

## Ducklings and Chicks

On Monday 15th March, we are expecting a very special delivery of duckling and chicken eggs! Over the next few weeks, children can watch them hatch into tiny little chicks and ducklings, ready for Easter! This is a great opportunity for our children to witness the beginning of a chicken's life cycle, from an egg to a chick. Can you guess how many eggs will hatch into boys and how many will hatch into girls?

## Global Recycling Day

On Thursday 18th March, the world will come together to celebrate Global Recycling Day, a day dedicated to recognising the importance recycling plays in preserving precious resources and securing the future of our planet.



<b>BROOKSIDE PRIMARY</b>	<b>Week Commencing: Monday 15th March</b>
	<b>MENU 1</b>

### MONDAY

Meal Choice 1	Chicken Goujons with Homemade Oven Baked Potato Slices and Beans	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Chicken Goujons with Homemade Oven Baked Potato Slices and Beans	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Baked Jacket Potato with Various Fillings	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Gluten free Chicken Goujons with Potatoes and Beans	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Strawberry Ice Cream and Fresh Strawberries	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts

### TUESDAY

Meal Choice 1	Spaghetti Bolognese	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Spaghetti Bolognese	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Patatouille Spaghetti	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Bolognese with Gluten free Pasta	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Jam Sponge	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts

### WEDNESDAY

Meal Choice 1	Chicken Tikka Masala with Rice	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Chicken Tikka Masala with Rice	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Macaroni Cheese	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Lightly Spiced Chicken Breast with Rice	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Lemon Tart	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts

### THURSDAY

Meal Choice 1	Roast Turkey with Onion Gravy, Roast Potatoes and Stuffing	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Roast Turkey with Onion Gravy, Roast Potatoes and Stuffing	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Cauliflower and Broccoli Cheese Bake	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Turkey Escalope with Potatoes and Gluten free Gravy	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Strawberry Jelly	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts

### FRIDAY

Meal Choice 1	Fish Fingers with Oven Baked Potato Wedges	
Meal Choice 2	Tomato Pasta Bake	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 3	Gluten free Fish Fingers with Gluten free Potato Wedges and Beans	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Fresh Fruit Salad	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts

*Please note that all main meals are served with Fresh Vegetables of the Day*

## Red Nose Day

Red Nose Day will be observed this year on Friday 19th March. With the aim to bring people together through the power of entertainment, join Comic Relief this year in raising life-changing funds for children who need it the most!

