



03/10/2025



Reminders

PTA AGM

A reminder of our PTA Annual General Meeting on Tuesday, 7th October at 6pm in the school hall. We'd love to see as many parents, carers, and school staff as possible join us!

Pupil Achievements

We like to celebrate children's achievements outside of school. If you would like your child's achievement to be featured in our weekly bulletin, please email office@brooklands.trafford.sch.uk. We will try to include as many as we can each week.



Upcoming Events

07/10/2025 - PTA AGM 6pm
07 – 09/10/2025 – Show Racism the Red Card workshops (R-Y6)
10/10/2025 – Hello Yellow (Wear Yellow for World Mental Health day, donation link in app calendar)



Theme of the Week

This week, our focus was on celebrating Black History Month and understanding its importance. KS2 explored inspiring quotes from Maya Angelou, sparking thoughtful discussions about resilience and equality. KS1 learned about the life and legacy of Victorian composer Samuel Coleridge-Taylor, and we all enjoyed his beautiful music during entrance and exit times. We were also joined by our Eco Committee, who introduced an exciting new whole-school competition aimed at tackling food waste. Everyday, children will empty their food waste into their year group bin. Our eco team will then conduct spot visits, weighing the bins and awarding the phase with the least rubbish a prize! We hope this is a fun and engaging way for children to learn about food waste, as well as encourage them to keep fuelled for the entire day!

Foreword

It's been an exciting week across the school with lots of memorable learning experiences. Year 3 welcomed a visiting artist who introduced the children to perspective drawing and printing. Year 1 had a brilliant trip to the airport which sparked lots of curiosity and conversation. Year 2 have been investigating habitats around the school grounds as part of their science learning, making careful observations and asking great questions. Year 6 took part in an online safety workshop which helped them think more deeply about how to stay safe online. A big thank you to the parents who joined Monday evening's online safety session. Your feedback has been very positive and much appreciated. Looking ahead, we're excited to welcome the charity *Show Racism the Red Card* next week. They will be running workshops for all year groups to support our ongoing commitment to equality and inclusion. You can find out more about their work at theredcardhub.org. We hope you have a great weekend. *Mr Shrimpling*

Sporting Fixtures/Results

Results

Recent football fixture results will be published in next week's edition.

Upcoming Fixtures/Events:

09/10/2025 - Year 6 Football Tournament



Next Week

In English we will...

In Maths we will...

In other lessons we will...

YN

Read the story Ouch! about a hedgehog who is ready to hibernate. Learn the rhyme 'Row your boat' and listen for rhyming words. Continue to match objects according to their size, shape and colour. Print some autumn trees and find out which animals hibernate and why.

YR

'Hot seat' characters from different fictional stories to find out more about their emotions/feelings and intentions.

Learn about the composition of numbers to 5 so that we can easily recognise groups with that amount.

Identify types of trees based on their leaf pattern
Use pastels to explore colour and shape

Y1

Writing a setting description for the three snow bears

Be comparing and measuring weight, height and mass.

Be creating a digital sunflower image in the style of Georges Seurat using pointilism

Y2

Focus on retrieval and prediction when further developing reading skills as part of our work on alternative versions of traditional tales.

Apply our knowledge of adding and subtracting numbers within 10 to 2 digit numbers.

Explore levers and develop an understanding of how they work.

Y3

Write a shared story setting for I'll Take you to Mrs Cole.

Bridge 100 by adding and subtracting in multiples of 10.

Write our names using one-point perspective.

Y4

Develop our summarising skills and recapping our use of the present perfect tense in writing.

Partition, compare and order numbers up to 10,000

Explore how the Nile was used to assist the construction of the pyramids.

Y5

To recap the rules of speech and apply this to writing a conversation.

Convert between units of measure using our knowledge of decimals

We will share ideas about how the world was created

Y6

Starting to read our class novel, Holes.

Exploring subtraction, including efficiency and problem solving.

Begin to look at the geography of the Americas.



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All Pupils – Home Learning

(print resources or use pen/paper if issues around devices/screen time)

Reading – 15 minutes daily

https://padlet.com/secretary161/brookland_sreadingpage

Spelling Shed

<https://www.spellingshed.com/en-gb/>

TT Rock Stars

<https://ttrockstars.com/>

ENGLISH

MATHS

Practise blending: <https://www.topmarks.co.uk/phonics/balloon-phonics-cvc-game>

[Formation of h and k KS1 | Y1 English Lesson Resources | Oak National Academy](#)

[Shape Patterns](#) complete the shape patterns

[Exclamations](#)

[Use knowledge of calculating within 20 to solve problems](#)

[Learning by Questions Task](#)

Use your login code (independent study) to complete assignments.

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[Sentences in the perfect present, past and future tense | Oak National Academy](#)

[Explain how many hundreds, tens and ones 1,000 is composed of | Oak National Academy](#)

[Speech Rules](#)

[Converting Units of measure](#)

[Learning by Questions](#)

[KS1, KS2 Standardised Maths Tests and Primary Maths Assessments Online](#)

[SPAG Tests Online - Practice Grammar & Punctuation Tests Online](#)

<https://www.spellingshed.com/en-gb/>