

THE BRENTSIDE BULLETIN



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ACTIVITIES AT HOME

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School has partially reopened this week to children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 6, as well as the key worker children who have been with us throughout closure. The school building and day looks very different at the moment; with modifications to classrooms and corridors, strict hygiene rules, very small class sizes, and children and staff remaining in separate "bubbles" to enable social distancing while in school and ensure we are doing all we can to protect our pupils and staff.

This week, Year 6 showed off their wonderful art skills by drawing some pictures in the style of Picasso, while the key worker group made some delicious and healthy fruit kebabs.

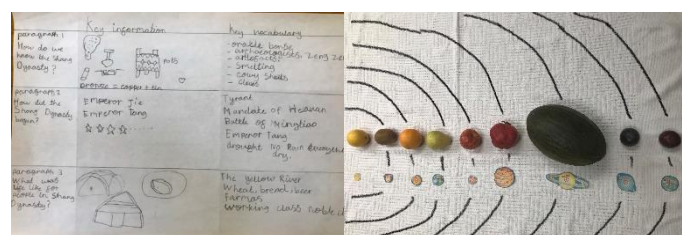
For those children learning from home, Home Learning sheets and Purple Mash will be updated on Monday, with children in school and at home following broadly the same curriculum and themes.



Thank you for continuing to send us photos of what you have been doing at home. We hope you enjoyed a little bit of a break over half-term week and are now refreshed and ready to get back to work.

Before and during half-term we were sent some fantastic pictures of the projects you have been undertaking- on the solar system, learning how to grow plants for science, the Shang Dynasty, and even a sneak peek at a work in progress for the Art Challenge!

Please do keep sending your messages and pictures into us at: admin@brentsideprimary.ealing.sch.uk



ART TILE PROJECT

During Kindness & Values week, all children in the school painted a colourful self-portrait tile to promote body positivity. These have now been made into a beautiful display in the front playground.



Head Teacher's Art Challenge

The Art Challenge is still open- but be quick! If you would like to submit a piece of work for the competition, please do so by **Tuesday 30th June**. Winners will be announced the following week.

Please continue to send submissions to the school email, ensuring you include "Headteacher's Art Challenge" in the subject line.



Head Teacher's ART Challenge

I hope you are all doing well, I am missing you all!
We would like to launch a competition to create some new art work for around the school and the front walkway.

All you need to do is to create a piece of art work using whatever materials you want, then either take a picture of it or keep the painting safe until we return to school.

The best painting from each class will have an opportunity to work with me in an art "masterclass", producing your work on a canvas and having it professionally printed for our school walkway.

The theme of your painting should be one of our school values:
KINDNESS RESPECT LEARNING RESILIENCE RESPONSIBILITY
CREATIVITY

GOOD LUCK AND HAVE FUN CREATING!



MESSAGE FROM THE HEADTEACHER

It has been lovely to welcome some of our children back to school this week and to be able to start learning with them again.

We miss the rest of our pupils very much, and hope it will not be too long until it is safe for more pupils to return.

I hope you are all safe at home and keeping busy, creative and active.



KEEPING IN TOUCH

Emails continue to be checked regularly so please let us know if we can support you in any way, and we will try our best to answer any questions you may have.

Please also keep sending in ideas, news and pictures of things that you are doing at home.

Any messages for teachers will be passed on to them and staff would be delighted to hear from pupils.

Email:
admin@brentsideprimary.ealing.sch.uk

Health and Wellbeing

Your health and well-being is important to us.

Here are a list of useful organisations and some information, which may help during these unprecedented times.

Samaritans – T: Call 116 123
<https://www.samaritans.org>

Childline – T 0800 1111 W:
www.childline.org.uk

Online safety advice –
www.thinkuknow.co.uk

Family information Service
(parenting advice and support) 020 8825 5588
children@ealing.gov.uk

SAFE – Supportive Action for Families in Ealing (for Parenting advice and support) 020 8825 8000

FOOD PACKAGES

We have a number of food packs containing breakfast food items (cereals, bagels, beans etc.) which we will be offering to families who require extra support. Please contact the school if you would like to pick one up. These will be contact free deliveries by appointment from the front playground.

UPCOMING EVENTS

We will keep you regularly updated as much as possible with any developments using the school website and via text message