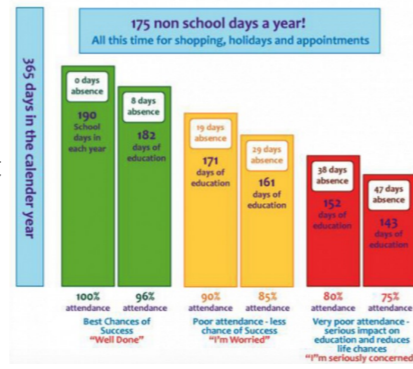




# Keeping healthy and safe

**Attendance** We need to alert families to expectations around attendance. The expectation is that **96% is the average** attendance for children. It is important that all families know that we have a responsibility to make sure we know where our children are, we have robust measures in place to follow up school absences. Once children drop below 90% please understand we must invite parents to meetings and fines may be issued should improvements not be made. We make every effort to support and work with our families and have a team of people ready and willing to help. Please talk to us so we can work together. It is essential that we have contact telephone numbers for parents and carers, if you change your telephone number please let the office staff know.



## In and out of school...



Below is a link to the website which is a great place for parents to information, and guidance on services and activities in their local area for children, young people and families. You will also see at the bottom of the home page that the page can be translated for non-English speaking users. <http://fis.middlesbrough.gov.uk/kb5/middlesbrough/fsd/home.page>

**Admissions** Please know that our school is **full in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2** with only a few spare places in the Key stage 2 classes. Unfortunately we are unable to hold places for families who take extended holidays so please do not take holidays in term time. Head teachers are no longer able to give permission for school holidays in term time.



**Staffing** We welcome a new teacher, Miss Shaw, who will be teaching in Y4. We also welcome Miss Ivory-Kernan to our school who is a Higher Level Teaching Assistant; I know you will make them very welcome. We also congratulate Mrs Attah who is already a teaching assistant in school, who has been promoted to a Higher Level Teaching Assistant. You may already have met Mrs Price who is new to our school office. We hope they will all be very happy in their new jobs here at Breckon Hill.

**Money Management** The money management course will start Wednesday January 17th 2018 from 1:00pm—3:00pm for 2 Wednesdays. Unfortunately there is no provision for childcare.

**Online Payments** The school is moving towards a new online communication and payment system, School Gateway, from 11th January 2018. You may have received a letter about this, if you haven't please call into the office for a new one.

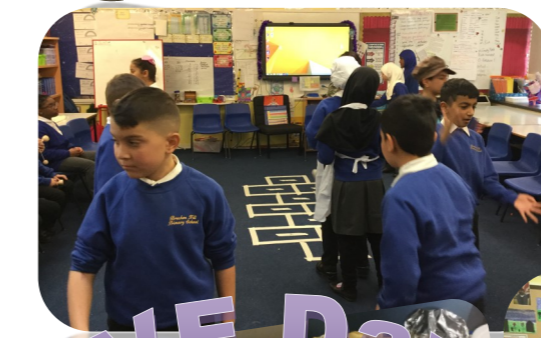
**School House Teams** We are excited to introduce House Teams at Breckon Hill this term. All children from Reception to Y6 will be put into one of four House Teams. The school council came up with an idea that the House Teams should be named after successful people associated with Middlesbrough. The team names voted for are:

- Cook** (Captain Cook—A world-famous explorer, navigator and cartographer, born in Middlesbrough)
- Hollis** (Stanley Hollis—Received the only Victoria Cross awarded on D-Day, born in Middlesbrough)
- Bolckow** (Henry Bolckow—One of the founders of Modern Middlesbrough)
- Chadburn** (Maud Chadburn—One of the first women to pursue a career as a surgeon, born in Middlesbrough)

Each child will receive a coloured badge to wear on their uniform to represent their House Team. There will be a House Captain for each team. Team points will be given to children in reward for good behaviour and achievements in and out of school. The points will then be added up at the end of every term and the team with the most tokens will receive a weekly house trophy and a reward at the end of term.



### Captain Cook Museum



### VE Day



### Y5 Bikeability



### Christmas Lunch



### Y2 Nativity



### Christmas Fayre





## Diary Dates



Monday 8th January 2018	Back to school
Wednesday 10th January	Sign up for after school clubs at 3pm in the school hall
Week beginning 15th January	After school clubs for spring term
Monday 22nd January—2nd February	Y4 Swimming Y4 Children will need their swimming kit every day for these two weeks
Friday 29th January	Skipping workshop for all children
Monday 12th February—Friday 16th February	Half Term
Monday 5th March	PD Day—School closed

Have a lovely day!

Abdelrahim B	Amardeep S	Sophia T
Jesse T	Ronin H	Nawaal N
Hashmi K	Anayah M	Aysha S
Aayan A	Theo F	Ali S
Rubihya M	Jake J	Umaya T
Marta-Eliza C	Brandin M	Rosabella W
Adam J	Aaisha A	Cameron F
Marni F	Nisal H	Ihsanullah R
Bakhzamina K	Mohammed S	Abigail B
Ismail Ali M	Hibba H	Meredith T
Hasham S	Adelin-Rafael	Adi G
Tanisha A	Zavaiya A	Ana-Maria C
Sefora-Diana C	Luca C	Basam A

**Afterschool Clubs** If your child would like to attend an after school club this term, please come along to the sign up session at **3pm on Wednesday 10th January.**



All clubs except gymnastics are 60p per session per child. An upfront payment of clubs is preferred by school, the whole Spring term for one club would be **10 weeks x 60p = £6.00 per club.**

For gymnastics, the upfront payment would be **10 weeks x £1.50 = £15.00**

The clubs which are available this term are:

Monday	KS1 Football	KS2 ICT		
Tuesday	Advanced Recorders	KS1 Multisports		
Wednesday	Y3/4 Football	Sewing Club Y2 upwards	Recorders beginners Y2 upwards	KS1 Hula Hoop
Thursday	Y5/6 Football	KS1 Activity	Gymnastics	

### School Website

The best way to keep up to date with all of our important dates and events is to look at our school website:

[www.breckonhillprimary.co.uk](http://www.breckonhillprimary.co.uk)

## Breckon Hill Primary School Newsletter

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January 2018



A warm welcome back to school. We hope you enjoyed the holidays and are ready for the new term. Congratulations to all the children who earned special awards and achieved 100% attendance last term.

Thank you to the ladies of Eaglescliffe Golf Club and to Daisy Chain. Daisy Chain and the ladies donated over 500 bears! The teddies were lovingly washed and wrapped and all children won one in the school fair tombola. The generous donations and the time given were amazing and we can't thank them enough. We are lucky to have such good friends to our school.

We look forward to giving out more trophies and medals at the end of this term. We are looking forward to the new year and wish all our families and friends all the very best for 2018.



### Well done to all the children who received an award last term!

	Progress	Sport	Arts	Determination	Passion	Respect	Teamwork	Self-Belief	Honesty	Kindness
R1H	Ailah	Artemis	Umm-E-Hani	Musa	Rayyan	Yusha	Hasham	Alisha	Ashvin	James
R1D	Zain	Aleena	Amardeep	Mohua	Alfie	Ibrahim	Amaya	Natalie	Kester	Yosef
R1M	Daniel	Amanu	Nadia	Hooriya	Darcie-Rose	Juri	Sienna	Arjan	Shanza	Leelan
Y1M	Parishtha	Isaac	Sannah	Holly-Mae	Zayan	Maleeha	Ana Maria	Awais	Sofian	Rancy
Y1B	Maleeha	Khadija	Mia	Corey	Mohid	Kayan	Saimon	Reece	Ahmad	Rebeca
Y1/2A	Harris	Raheem	Jay	Abdul Rafay	Shahnoo	Imaad	Marni	Fiona	Tawina	Macy
Y2P	Iftiar	Kameel	Nakiba	Aaron	Nooria	Amy Rose	Umar	Karimun	Ans	Mayah
Y2S	Zakariya	Kevin	Natalie	Hibbah	Adam	Alayn	Zain	Mustafa	Nur Sae	Eliza
Y3A	Isaia	Tariq	Cristian	Isaac	Hend	Kamil	Alex	Ellie-May	Aqib	Lakiesha
Y3T	Aysha	Vanesa	Fallon	Adi-Sami	Darius	Aaliyah	Adam	Haider	Abdulraheem	Hamza
Y3/4H	Aliyah	Sehar	Ondrej	Abdur-Raheem	Ayaan	Sipha	Ali	Rostislav	Catherine	Sana
Y4C	Janna	Rania	Rakibul	Ana-Denis	Amaya	Rebecca	Abdelrahim	Renad	Hisham	Mason
Y4W	Adam	Hashmi	Denis	Muskaan	Jamal	Ella-Marie	Abu	Adam	Iosif	Cayden
Y5B	Rika	Youssef	Bakhzamina	Natalie	Callum	Ayomide	Zahraa	Savero	Shabir	Hibba
Y5H	Simon	Nathaniel	Caidan	Nafisa	Seleena	Farhan	Shannon	Jack	Zara	Lina
Y5/6D	Nadia	Emilia	Ronin	Aidan	Sana	Jenifer	Lucie	Isell	Dominic	Samir
Y6P	Anna	Anyah	Abayd	Imaan	Erik	Kaiden	Harees	Olivia	Marko	Husna
Y6R	Liam	Laiba	Rubhiya	Lily	Olivia	Martina	Zakir	Nourhan	Georgia	Aleena

### Well done to all the children who achieved 100% attendance last term!

Aqsa H	Umaya T	Natalie A	Aleena A	Amber B	Arena E	Nourhan Ali M	Theo M	Leelan B	Aizah S	Nurto A	Raihaan H	Kester J
Shanza Z	Umar F	Mohid K	Hussain M	Isha S	Ameilia B	Mohammed S	Nawaal N	Oladimeji O	Ayaan U	Olivia B	Shabir S	Dominic W
Fiona A	Marni F	Adam H	Tawina K	Husna M	Aminah S	Sameeullah R	Harry Y	Shahnoor Z	Ilhan A	Chloe D	Thomas W	Lawand W
Zain A	Aliesha A	Alayna A	Jenson M	Sofia H	Thomas L	Muhammad H	Aiza N	Sumiyya Q	Adam A	Masraj U	Lina K	Raihaan H
Aisha Z	Amy Rose C	Mayah H	Iris M	Kameel R	Umar R	Ismail Ali M	Alex B	Ellie-May D	Adam I	Jayden F	Youssef Z	
Samuel I	Kyle M	Aysha A	Hend Z	Alex B	Adam H	Mohammed K	Fatima M	Husna M	Rohik M	Imaan H	Hasan R	
Yahye A	Ayaan A	Abigail B	Isra H	Kasim H	Sana H	Abdur-Raheem S	Masar S	Rajveer S	Rakibul H	Marko K	Minha B	
Renad I	Hisham I	Rania K	Areeba M	Lacey S	Mason W	Mohammad S	Ella D	Abu F	Hashmi K	Harees S	Haris R	
Awais M	Aleesha R	Rhiana A	Savero H	Hibba H	Callum M	Ibrahim M	Rika R	Paul P	David P	Aysha S	Hannah S	

Whole school attendance for December was 93.6%

Average national school attendance is 96%. Please contact the office on 01642 243044 to report your child's absence from school before 9am. Thank you.

R Mrs Holian	85.8%	R Mrs Deverell	94.5%	R Mrs Moores	86.5%
Y1 Mr Matthews	91.8%	Y1 Mrs Butler	95%		
Y1/2 Mrs Mohan-Hickson	93.6%	Y2 Mrs Gallafant-Brown	95.2%	Y2 Mrs Peel	95.6%
Y3 Mrs Ainsley	91.1%	Y3 Mrs Trotter	94.4%		
Y3/4 Mrs Hill	97.8%	Y4 Miss Webb	94%	Y4 Miss Shaw	89.4%
Y5/6 Miss Doloughan	95.5%	Y5 Miss Brown	97.8%	Y5 Mrs Harrison	90.5%
Y6 Miss Ramshaw	95.3%	Y6 Mrs Pendlington	94.1%		

