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Diary Dates

Monday 19th October	School Photographs
Friday 23rd October	PD day school closed
26th—30th October	Half term school closed
Monday 2nd November	Children return to school
Friday 18th December	Break up for Christmas holidays 1.30pm
Tuesday 4th January	Return to school

EARLY YEARS If your child is eligible for a place in our Pre-school please do not hesitate to contact us.

Be a Flu Fighter!

This vaccination programme is in place to help protect your child against flu. Flu can be a very serious illness and sometimes causes major health complications particularly in children and the elderly. Vaccinating your child will also help protect more vulnerable friends and family by preventing the spread of flu. The vaccination is free and recommended for young children and is given via a quick and simple spray up the nose.

School Attendance

Children must attend school again from the beginning of the autumn term. This means, the usual rules on school attendance will apply, including:
parents' duty to secure that their child attends regularly at school
schools' responsibilities to record attendance and follow up absence.

Leave of absence Head teachers may not grant any leave of absence during term time unless there are exceptional circumstances. Any applications for leave of absence must be made two weeks prior to intended time of absence. Please don't book your holiday during term time. Parents may be fined for taking unauthorised absence.

School Photographs Monday 19th October,

Due to Covid 19 only individual photos will be taken.



School Uniform

Lollipops in Berwick Hills stock all our uniform and book bags .

You can find Lollipops at:

20 Norfolk Place, Berwick Hills,
Middlesbrough, TS3 7PA

Or call/visit their website on:
01642 225827

www.lollipops-middlesbrough.co.uk

Amanda Buck at the Community Centre has quality used uniform. Please contact her where she will be happy to help.



Breckon Hill Primary School Newsletter

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Dear Children, Parents and Carers,

I am delighted to share the lovely news that we have been chosen as a Champion Heritage School by Historic England. This has been noticed by our local MP, who has written to congratulate us. Many thanks to Mrs Moores and Miss Harris for leading on this work. Follow the link to find out more. [HISTORIC ENGLAND](#)



HOUSE OF COMMONS
LONDON SW1A 0AA

Mrs Joanne Smith
Headteacher
Breckon Hill Primary School
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24 September 2020

Dear Mrs Smith,

I write to offer my heartiest congratulations on your school being chosen for a new Champion Heritage Schools Award by Historic England. This is a huge accolade as I know you are one of only eight schools nationwide to be selected.

I have seen first-hand the dedication of teachers and teaching staff at Breckon Hill and the thirst for learning by the pupils. That fact you have been chosen for this prestigious award shows such passion for learning has been recognised and is richly deserved.

It is vital that our young generation learn about local heritage – our history helps shape the future. I look forward to hearing how this new heritage scheme will be developed and hope to be able to visit again soon.

Best wishes,

ANDY MCDONALD MP
MEMBER OF PARLIAMENT FOR MIDDLESBROUGH

Keeping Healthy and safe

Flu Vaccine is now offered to Reception to Year 6 children at primary school. The flu vaccine for children, which is given as a nasal spray will be offered in school. The deadline for returning the consent forms is Thursday 22nd October. Thanks to those who have already returned the forms.

Street Warden's are available to help and offer support if you are concerned about any anti-social behaviour, this includes inconsiderate parking. You can call them on 01642 228500.

Bikes, Electric Bikes and Scooters Please do not ride bikes and scooters on the school grounds. Parents may also not know that it is illegal to ride electric bikes and scooters under the age of 14. If such vehicles are used on the road/pavement by young people, not only may the rider be committing a number of offences but their parents may also face prosecution for aiding and abetting or permitting the offences. <https://www.askthe.police.uk/content/Q361.htm>

[HANDS FACE SPACE](#) Click see the Video

[TRANSLATED GUIDANCE](#) Click to see more



Translated guidance and accessible formats on COVID-19

Page updated: 25/09/2020

Walsall for All has sourced translated guidance and accessible formats on information related to Coronavirus (COVID-19). All links (with the exception of new shielding guidance and Test and Trace posters) are externally sourced and highlighted in blue.

On this page, you will find links and resources to:

- Test and Trace
- Face coverings
- GOV.UK guidance (including Domestic Abuse, households with possible coronavirus infection, shielding and bereavement)
- Symptoms
- Stay Alert
- Accessing local health services
- Other translated guidance on COVID-19



Staffing We say a big thank you to Higher Level Teaching Assistant, Mrs Newbould, who retired from Breckon Hill in September. Mrs Newbould has supported and cared for so many of our children over the years and she will always be part of our school family. Our very best wishes and enormous thanks go to Mrs Newbould from all of us at Breckon Hill.



Autumn Reports to Parents We are very sorry that we are unable to offer parents a face to face meeting this half term to discuss your child's progress and share with you how your child has settled into school life. Instead you will receive a written report and some suggestions as to things you can do to help at home. Should you wish to talk to the teacher please email them to organise a time to speak.

New Office



Thank you Shaun and the team from Tom Willoughy for completing our lovely new school office and main entrance area.

Press this button to open the door.
The tall blue gates are now only opened at the start and end of the school day.

Secondary School Applications

Parents of current Y6 children must apply for their secondary school place by 31st October. Middlesbrough's "Primary and Secondary In Middlesbrough, Guide for Parents", is available on-line at www.middlesbrough.gov.uk/parentsguide.

Details of the admissions criteria for each school and general information are in the guide and you should read this prior to submitting your form. On our school website under secondary transfer, you can find links to all local secondary school websites.

ECO SHOP

Breckon Hill Community Centre has set up an 'Eco-Shop', which allows families to purchase items of everyday groceries.

The food is donated by local supermarkets and would otherwise go to waste.

Please help us reduce waste by using the ECO shop at the community centre. Look out for texts and emails later this month to tell you when the shop is open.

Reception to Y6 Start Time:

From 8.30am to 8.45am

Finish Times:

A-M 2.15pm

N-Z 2.25pm

If you need to talk to us about your child's allocated finish time, we are happy to help, please contact the office.