Enabling dreams through knowing each child

Second Half Term

Information

Miss Ravenscroft
and Miss Warren

This leaflet is the result of consultation between parents and parent governors. Thank you for your involvement.

Our Learning Agreement

Children, parents, governors and staff created this in partnership. It is on our website and you sign a copy at your Parent Partnership Meeting at the

Friends of Heathbrook (PTA)

All parents and carers are automatically members of our PTA.

We encourage your involvement in the life of the school as part of our partnership with parents and carers.

The Friends of Heathbrook provide opportunities to celebrate being part of our community, whilst also raising funds to support our children’s learning.

Look out for a range of social activities throughout the year.

Attendance & Punctuality

Regular school attendance is important to ensure children get maximum benefit from the opportunities for learning which are available to them. The responsibility for ensuring children attend school regularly and punctually rests with parents and carers.

Every child is expected to have an attendance of 96.5% and you will be contacted if it drops below this. Being late by just 10 minutes every day is the equivalent of missing 7 days of school in a year.

Our School Uniform

We take pride in creating an environment where every opportunity is offered to inspire children to learn. We believe that, by having a uniform, children arrive ready for their learning as equals. Once in school, each child’s individuality is nurtured.

Ensuring that our uniform is worn consistently is the shared responsibility of children, parents and staff.

Please look after personal property by ensuring that all clothing is marked with your child’s name.
Please ensure that your child brings in the following with them **every day**:

- Reading books
- Reading record

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**Date for Your Diary**

Thurs 5th Mar - PTA Coffee Morning
Thurs 5th Mar - World Book Day
Sat 14th Mar (9.30 to 12.30) - PTA Gardening Together
Fri 20th Mar (6.30 to 8.30pm) - PTA Social & Film Night
Fri 27th Mar - PTA Coffee Morning
Fri 27th Mar - PTA Secondhand Uniform Sale
Wed 1st Apr - Curriculum Information Session (8am, 3.20pm and 5.30pm)

**Year 1 Weekly Timetable**

**This Half Term’s Learning**

Literacy: Beegu, Traction Man and Heathbrook Fringe
Maths: Place value, money, time, position and direction
Science: Change within seasons and life cycles, and properties of materials
Topic: Natural and man made

At Heathbrook we encourage parental involvement. If you could offer any time for volunteer reading or input into our topic

**Home Learning**

We provide home learning to develop children’s independence and confidence, consolidating what is being taught in school and preparing them for future learning. We recognise that children and their families have differing circumstances and we aim to make our home learning appropriate and accessible for all pupils.

- **Daily reading** - at least 10 minutes per day
- **Mathletics** - as set by Class Teacher
- **Reading Eggs** - accessed at home and in school

*Read Year Group Updates on our website every week to find out what we are learning about currently and see photos of things we have done. (You will also find a copy of this leaflet there too.)*

**Year 1 Teacher Contact**

We aim to be available to support you with and discuss your child’s learning in a variety of ways. In addition to our Parent Teacher Meetings, please feel free to contact us in any of the following ways:

- Via email:
  - Miss Ravenscroft
  - eravenscroft@heathbrook.org
  - Miss Warren
  - lwarren@heathbrook.org
- Leave a message with the school office asking one of us to call you
- You can catch us briefly in the playground before and after school most days
- Alternatively you can speak to a member of senior staff in the playground
- We can also arrange a suitable time for you to see your child’s work and discuss how you can further support learning at home.