

# Bramley Park Academy Newsletter

Friday 20th September 2019

  
Bramley  
Park  
Academy

I was immensely proud this week to invite Mark Wilson, CEO and Joshua Greaves, Deputy CEO, Well-spring Academy Trust to our impressive school provision. Mark and Josh were thoroughly impressed at the "transformation" of the school in such a short period of time. They were particularly impressed by how happy our pupils were thriving in the engaging classrooms and playground environment. They also were amazed at the positive culture and ethos in school and just how content and enthused all of our staff were.

All Parents and Carers must accompany their child to breakfast club and wait with them until the hall doors open. We are not responsible for your child until they enter the hall.

Polite Reminder: If your child has long hair, please can we ask that this is tied up for school.

Access to school is via the KS2 gate, this opens for drop off, pick up and after school club collections. If you are coming to the school at any other time please use the main gate. The gate via the park is for staff use only. We can no longer open this gate from the office.

## Bramley Park Academy



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### Rockets

#### WRAP-around Care

- After school everyday
- Ran by Mrs Waring and Miss Maxted
- £5 per sessions, 25% sibling discount
- Monday - Thursday until 5:30pm
- Friday until 5pm
- Fun, Games, Activities, Homework Corner, Crafts
- Drinks and snack provided
- Follow us on Facebook
- Please see the office for a registration pack

Our wonderful wrap around care 'ROCKETS' is filling up quickly. If you require a place, please collect a registration pack from the school office. It is now located in the old caretakers house, and over the summer had a fantastic sand pit installed outside.



Thursday 26th September.

#### Polite Reminder:

If you wish to meet with a class teacher or would like to make an appointment, for safeguarding reasons please only enter the building via the main entrance.

#### School Times:

Nursery: 8:45-11:45 (AM session)

12:00-3:00 (PM session)

Rec/KS1/KS2: 8:45 - 14:50

After School Clubs: 14:50 - 15:50

Rockets: Mon-Thurs - 14:50 - 17:30

#### Diary Dates:

Thursday 26th September: Whole school photos

Tuesday 1st October: No after school clubs

Wednesday 2nd October: School nurse in school for weight and height screen for Year 6

Friday 4th October: Open day to look around reception for new starters in September 2020.

Monday 21st October: Parents Evening 3pm - 4.30pm (Book via Arbor App)

Tuesday 22nd October: Parents Evening 3pm - 6pm (Book via Arbor App)

Wednesday 23rd October: Harvest Festival: Times TBC

Thursday 24th October: Times TBC (Tickets available to purchase on ParentPay)

Friday 25th October: School closes for October holidays. Non-Uniform day (bring a £1)

Monday 4th November: School open.

Monday 4th November: Rec-Y6 flu vaccination.



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Dear Parent/Guardian,

### ***Protecting Children Against Influenza (Flu) and Complications***

The **nasal influenza vaccination** is being offered to **all children in Reception-Year 6**. Our team is scheduled to visit Bramley Park Academy this Autumn as part of this programme. If you would like your child to receive this immunisation, please ensure your consent form has been submitted no later than **18/10/2019** – if you submit your consent form after this date your child may be missed at school.

Please see below for details of how to consent for your child and answers to common questions about the influenza vaccination programme.

#### ***How do I give my consent?***

1. Go to [www.hdfn.nhs.uk/leeds-consent](http://www.hdfn.nhs.uk/leeds-consent)
2. Click on the **link in the grey box** which says "Click here for the online consent form."
3. Enter the School Code **146542** and click "**Find School**".
4. **Complete the form** with your child's information and parent/guardian contact information\*.
5. Click the **green "Submit" button**.

\*If you provide a **valid email address** you will receive an automatic email confirmation to say your form has been submitted. We will also email you to let you know that your child has been vaccinated in school. If your child has specific medical requirements, one of our nurses may need to get in touch before we are due to visit school. We never pass on your contact information to third parties.

#### ***Why is the influenza vaccine being offered?***

This vaccination programme is in place to help protect your child against influenza (flu) and stop the spread of the virus within schools, families and the wider community. Influenza is an unpleasant illness that can lead to school absences and sometimes causes serious complications requiring hospitalisation. Vaccinating your child doesn't just protect them – by helping to stop the spread of influenza this winter they will also be protecting vulnerable friends and family of all ages.

## ***How is the influenza vaccine administered?***

Unlike most vaccinations, the nasal influenza vaccine is a quick and simple spray up the nose. There are a small number of children for whom the nasal vaccine is not appropriate. In these cases we offer an intramuscular injection as an alternative. Please check the link below for more information.

## ***Does the nasal influenza vaccine contain pork gelatine? Can my child have the injection instead?***

Yes, the nasal influenza vaccine contains trace amounts of porcine gelatine. If the vaccine is refused due to this content, only children who are at **high risk** from influenza due to an underlying medical condition will be offered an injected vaccine as an alternative.

## ***Where can I find out more?***

Please visit <https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/vaccinations/child-flu-vaccine> for more information about the childhood influenza vaccination programme.

You can contact the Childhood Immunisations team on [childhood.immunisations@hdfn.nhs.uk](mailto:childhood.immunisations@hdfn.nhs.uk) or 01423 542360. We are a small team, but we endeavor to respond to all queries within one working day.

Yours sincerely,



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