

# Newsletter



**Spring Term 7th March 2025**

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John 10:10 Live life in all its fullness

Please do see the below link for your child's year group webpage. Year group pages contain key dates, letters, PE days & curriculum newsletters.

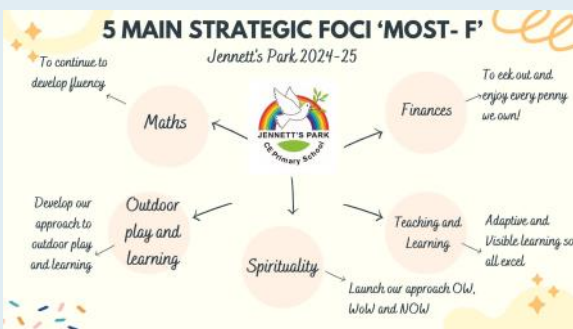
<a href="#">Nursery</a>	<a href="#">Reception</a>	<a href="#">Year 1</a>	<a href="#">Year 2</a>
<a href="#">Year 3</a>	<a href="#">Year 4</a>	<a href="#">Year 5</a>	<a href="#">Year 6</a>

## Upcoming Dates

<b>10-14 March</b>	STEM week	
<b>Tues 11 March</b>	Class Photographs (full uniform, no PE kit)	YN-Y6
<b>Weds 12 March</b>	Viking Ship making Five to Thrive Parent Session 9am (see Tapestry)	Y3 YN-6
<b>Thurs 13 March</b>	<a href="#">SLT Surgery 8:55– 9:45 Music room</a>	All
<b>Fri 14 March</b>	Pause Day Deadline for <a href="#">Anti-bullying Ambassadors applications</a>	YN-6 Y3-5
<b>Mon 17 March</b>	Book Looks 3:10-3:20pm Five to Thrive Parent Session 7pm (see Tapestry)	Y1-2 YN-R
<b>Tues 18 March</b>	<a href="#">Milestones Museum Trip</a> Book Looks 3:10-3:20pm	Y1 Y3-4
<b>Thurs 20 March</b>	Book Looks 3:10-3:20pm	Y5-6
<b>Fri 21 March</b>	Comic Relief (fancy dress)	YN-6
<b>24-28 March</b>	Art Week Neurodiversity acceptance week	
<b>24th March</b>	PTA EGM (ICT Room 6:30pm)	YN-R
<b>25-26 March</b>	<a href="#">National Childhood Measuring Programme</a>	YR
<b>Mon 31 March</b>	Easter Extravaganza Assembly 9:15am (parents welcome) Eid al-Fitr Suggested screen free week across school	Y3-4
<b>Weds 2 April</b>	Rocksteady Performance 9:00am World Autism Day	Y1-6
<b>Thurs 3 April</b>	Last day of term - Nursery	YN
<b>Fri 4 April</b>	End of term—1:30pm finish	YR-6

# Upcoming Dates

<b>Tues 22 April</b>	Start of term <u>Swimming lessons begin</u> Earth Day	YN-6 Y5
<b>Mon 28 April—2nd May</b>	Residential (Isle of Wight)	Y6
<b>Mon 5 May</b>	Bank Holiday	All
<b>Weds 14 May</b>	National Children's Day	All
<b>Fri 16 May</b>	Pause Day	All
<b>Mon 19— Tues 20 May</b>	<u>Oakwood Residential</u>	Y5
<b>Mon 19-23 May</b>	Walk to School Week Art Week Suggested screen-free devices week	All
<b>Thurs 22 May</b>	Rabbi visit	Y4
<b>Mon 26-30 May</b>	Half Term	YN-6
<b>Mon 2-6 June</b>	Child Safety Week	All



2022-2025



2023-2026

**Dear Parents and Carers,**

### **Wraparound care**

Thank you for being patient. We have now released a huge amount of sessions this past fortnight as we have more people on the team. If you can't find a session with a space PLEASE add yourself to the waiting list (we can do it for a charge) and we will try to make more staff available if there is a list.

### **Transition to Parent Pay**

Please read our communication re payments. Do ask if there is any questions/ queries.

### **Admissions**

We have a few spaces in Y3 and 4 but now rapidly filling up. Thank you to all who champion us so diligently on social media.

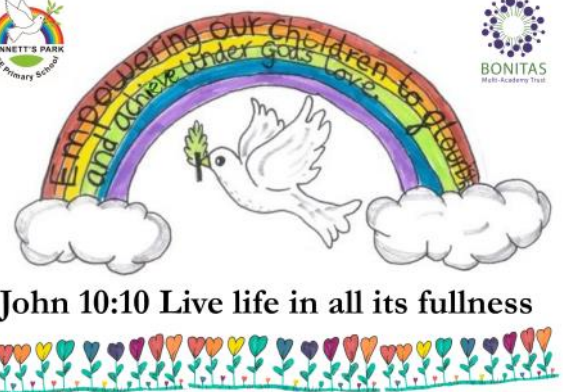
### **Screen free week suggestion.**

We are asking you to consider a screen free week at home before the holidays. Please as a family consider having planned days away from content especially towards the end of term when they are tired! A colleague in London asked their families to do this and it had huge benefits. Children consuming online content do not have the filters or experience we do as adults. I will leave that there as a request and dates will just be added to the calendar.

**School Photographs** - please ensure your child is wearing full school uniform for class photographs next week. There will be no PE on this day.

**See you on the gate.**

**Liz Savage, Headteacher**



## **sQuid Payments—UPDATE**

Thank you for your patience while we get our new payment system working, and apologies for the numerous messages some families may have received!

**We are unexpectedly having to wait for an update to our ParentPay, we ask parents and carers to continue using sQuid dinner money next week (up until Friday 14th March)**

Updates to follow and thank you for your patience, we are looking forward to a new system as much as you! We will be sharing log in details for ParentPay as soon as possible, if you do not have a current log in to ReachMoreParents, please email [secretary@jennetts.bonitas.org.uk](mailto:secretary@jennetts.bonitas.org.uk)

## **Training Psychological Perspectives in Education and Primary Care (PPEPCare)**

Our Psychological Perspectives in Education and Primary Care (PPEPCare) training has been designed to help parents and carers living in Berkshire to recognise, understand and support children and young people who are experiencing mental health difficulties. The training is offered to families using relevant evidence-based psychological techniques, such as using a cognitive behavioural framework.

Our PPEPCare modules were developed and written by experts in the field and are based on the most up to date research.

Training consists of instructive teaching and experiential learning. It's delivered by a qualified member of our local CAMH services.

Our training isn't designed to turn parents and carers into psychological therapists, but it provides opportunities to develop your knowledge, skills and confidence to talk about and help with the common mental issues that young people present with.

**[Training for parents and carers | Children Young People and Families Online Resource](#)**

# Comic Relief 2025

This year JP are completing their very own big challenge. We will be aiming to complete 2000 laps of an obstacle course whilst in fancy dress in 3 hours.

The children and staff will have a 20 minutes slot per year group to complete the obstacle course as many times as possible. We will tally up our total once everyone has completed their slot to see if we achieve our goal.

The children are invited to wear fancy dress (the bigger the better) If the children would like to donate towards Comic Relief they are welcome to bring in a donation on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> March or donate on our school just giving page:

[https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/rnd25-jennetts-park-cofe-primary-school-b9dbd4a4-265a-4c75-bcb2-628ed437ab0d?utm\\_medium=FR&utm\\_source=CL](https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/rnd25-jennetts-park-cofe-primary-school-b9dbd4a4-265a-4c75-bcb2-628ed437ab0d?utm_medium=FR&utm_source=CL)

Please can we ask that all children bring in a spare pair of shoes on Friday 21<sup>st</sup> March for the obstacle course. Preferably shoes you do not mind getting muddy.





# World Book Day

We were delighted to see some really wonderful costumes this week across the school! Thank you to parents that took to the time to make or buy costumes. Children should have brought home a book token for a £1 book. Don't forget Mr Luxon's reading competition continues so please do send in a picture of your child reading in an usual place.



## PTA - Meeting

Jennett's Park PTA are holding an extraordinary general meeting on Monday 24th March 2025 at 6:30pm

We have called this meeting as we require a treasurer and also need to make plans for our next summer fair.

The EGM meeting will be held in person in the ICT room, the gate will be open and there will be a doorbell in the office for anyone running late. We must reach a minimum number of attendees present for the EGM otherwise we are at risk of closure. If you would like to be considered for the role of treasurer or would like more information on what this means please do email [jennettparkpta@gmail.com](mailto:jennettparkpta@gmail.com)

## Badminton



This week Jennett's Park participated in the local Badminton competition at the leisure centre along with several local schools in the borough. The team demonstrated great perseverance and challenge and came second in their group!

Well done!



## Ash Wednesday

This week, Year 4 went to St Michael's Church for a service with Reverend Gareth Morley and some children from St. Michael's school. Ash Wednesday is the name given for the first day of Lent from the tradition of making the sign of the cross in ash. The children observed a variety of readings, hymns, prayers and the children were given the option to have a cross on their forehead from the ashes of burnt psalms. A special thank you to Matilda and Rowan for their Bible reading during the service. All of year 4 sang beautifully to end the service with 'Amazing Grace'.





# THRIVE Sort Out Morning



## CAN YOU HELP?

When: Tues 18th March @ 9am

Where: Jennett's Park School

What: Sorting uniform

Hanging clothes

Boxing items

organising storage



How: email [familysupport@jennetts.bonitas.org.uk](mailto:familysupport@jennetts.bonitas.org.uk) if you can help



# Supporting Your Children Workshops

To book a space please email your full name to [Inge.Taylor@bracknell-forest.gov.uk](mailto:Inge.Taylor@bracknell-forest.gov.uk)  
 These sessions are universal (not specific for SEND) and for adults supporting **not** the children themselves so **please arrange childcare if needed**

Each course is a **standalone 2-hour session** - please be aware that spaces are offered on a **first come first served basis** and parents should not just turn up.

Once you have completed an enrolment form your space will be confirmed

Please **only book onto the sessions if you are going to be able to attend** to avoid other parents missing out on the opportunity to have a place or let me know if you can no longer attend.

## Helping children to overcome anxious thoughts and worries.

**A 2-hour session looking at:**

- What happens when children become anxious?
- Impact current events have had on children's mental health.
- Techniques for helping children deal with their fears / worries.



Please let me know if you would like to be added to waiting list for future sessions

## Managing Behaviour in a Positive Way

**A 2-hour session looking at:**

- Gain insight into your parenting style / relationship with your child.
- Learn or revisit positive ways of managing behaviour!
- Strategies to deal with unacceptable behaviours.



Please let me know if you would like to be added to waiting list for future sessions

## Supporting Children to get a Healthy Night's Sleep

**A 2-hour session looking at:**

- The different sleep issues facing our families.
- Tips on how to get a good night's sleep.
- Help children develop good sleeping habits.



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## Parenting pre / early-teens in a Positive Way (aged 10 – 13)

**A 2-hour session looking at:**

- Gain insight into the impact of your parenting style!
- Positive techniques for managing older children's behaviour.
- Boosting your relationship and communication with your child.



Tuesday 4<sup>th</sup> March 2025 (14 spaces)

@ Bracknell Open Learning Centre

6.30 – 8.30 pm

## Encouraging Resilience – Keep Calm and Bounce Back

**A 2-hour session looking at:**

- How to build your child's natural resilience.
- Encouraging your child's positive social skills.
- Encouraging children out of their comfort zone and not to give up.

RESILIENCE - the process of handling stress and recovering from trauma or adversity.



Wednesday 5<sup>th</sup> February 2025 (7 spaces)

@ Bracknell Open Learning Centre

6.30 – 8.30 pm

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> February 2025 (13 spaces)

@ Bracknell Open Learning Centre

9.30 – 11.30 am



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## Supporting a smooth transition from Year R to Year 1 and beyond (not school specific)



A 2-hour session looking at:

- What's involved in transition from reception to year 1.
- The best ways to support the transition.
- Boosting your child's resilience to cope with the change

Thursday 27<sup>th</sup> February 2025 (15 spaces)

6.30 – 8.30 pm

@ Bracknell Open Learning Centre

## Reducing Sibling Rivalry

A 2-hour session looking at:

- Encouraging a more harmonious sibling relationship
- Learn / revisit techniques for children to cope with being a sibling.
- Boosting children's emotional literacy

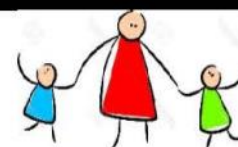


Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> March 2025 (12 spaces)

6.30 – 8.30 pm

@ Bracknell Open Learning Centre

## Single Parent, Separated and Blended families – supporting children to cope with different family dynamics.



A 2-hour session looking at:

- Different family dynamics and how they can work.
- Parental conflict resolutions
- Being the best parent that you can be for your child

Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> February 2025 (5 spaces)

6.30 – 8.30 pm

@ Bracknell Open Learning Centre

## Supporting a smooth secondary school Transition (YR 5/6 parents)



A 2-hour session looking at:

- What the transition involves
- The positives and concerns of transitioning to a new setting
- Boosting your child's ability to have a smooth transition

Monday 10<sup>th</sup> March 2025 (7 spaces)

6.30 – 8.30 pm

@ Bracknell Open Learning Centre

If there are no suitable dates, please let me know so that I can add you to the waiting list for future sessions



# Daisy Fest

## FAMILY FUN DAY



**Saturday 12th April 2025**  
**1 - 6 pm, Peacock Farm,**  
**Bracknell, RG12 8SS**

Farm, Easter Egg Hunt, Bouncy Castle, Face  
Painting & Hair Braiding, Raffle, Tombola and lots  
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- ★ ABSEIL OFF THE STADIUM
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# Weekly Awards



## Our Rainbow Moments

<b>Robins</b>	Rohan
<b>Woodpeckers</b>	Petal
<b>Stonechats</b>	Tristan
<b>Whinchats</b>	Olivia
<b>Canaries</b>	Avleen
<b>Yellowhammers</b>	Aarya
<b>Greenjays</b>	George
<b>Parakeets</b>	Whole class!
<b>Kingfishers</b>	Alexander
<b>Macaws</b>	Bohdan
<b>Mockingbirds</b>	Hamza
<b>Peacocks</b>	Rohin
<b>Sabrewings</b>	Harrison
<b>Sunbirds</b>	Leo

## Our Owl Learners

<b>Robins</b>	Cali
<b>Woodpeckers</b>	Matthew & Isla
<b>Stonechats</b>	Sizara
<b>Whinchats</b>	Adlan
<b>Canaries</b>	Josh
<b>Yellowhammers</b>	Theo
<b>Greenjays</b>	Whole class!
<b>Parakeets</b>	Whole class!
<b>Kingfishers</b>	Whole class!
<b>Macaws</b>	Whole class!
<b>Mockingbirds</b>	Levi
<b>Peacocks</b>	Esme & Jake
<b>Sabrewings</b>	Julia
<b>Sunbirds</b>	Poppy

## Spring Term 2025

<b>Professional Training Day</b>	Monday 6th January 2025 Day 3
<b>Start of Term</b>	Tuesday 7th January 2025
<b>Half Term</b>	Monday 17th February to Friday 21st February 2025
<b>End of Term Nursery</b>	Thursday 3rd April 2025
<b>End of Term</b>	Friday 4th April 2025 1:30pm    Monday 7th April- Monday 21st April 2025  Good Friday - 18th April 2025, Easter Monday 21st April 2025

## Summer Term 2025

<b>Start of Term</b>	Tuesday 22nd April 2025
<b>Half Term</b>	May Bank Holidays - 5th and 26th May 2025    Mon- day 26th May to Friday 30th May 2025
<b>End of Term Nursery</b>	Wednesday 16th July 2025
<b>End of Term</b>	Friday 18th July 2025 1:30pm
<b>Professional Training Days</b>	Monday 21st July (Day 4) Tuesday 22nd July (Day 5) Wednesday 23rd July (Day 6)