



Brindishe
Lee

Newsletter

Friday 20th September 2024

What has been happening this week?

We have now finished our Meet the Teacher meetings. Thank you to everyone who attended to find out about the school year ahead. If you were unable to attend, please check Weduc as the presentation will be shared there for you to see.

Our new Reception parents met for coffee and to learn about the start of school for their children this morning. Welcome to Brindishe Lee!

The good weather has meant that we have been able to take the learning outside and lots of classes have enjoyed using our beautiful grounds for their lessons.



Year 4 Science outdoors



[More information via this link](#)

Zones of Regulation

Every class is having a series of special lessons this term about the Zones of Regulation. This is a curriculum designed to foster self-regulation and emotional control. It helps children to recognise how they are feeling and gives them practical strategies to help them regulate themselves effectively. Please click on the link for more information and a parent resource sheet has been sent via Weduc.

What is happening next week?



We will be learning about our value of Collaboration in assembly, which is a core value in our open plan school. The children will be encouraged to think about the qualities needed to be able to learn, work and play well with each other.

It's the European Day of Languages on 26th September, so we will use this opportunity to celebrate all of the languages spoken in our school. **If you are willing to pop into school at the beginning or end of a school day to teach your child's class some of your language, please contact your class teacher to arrange a time.**



[European Day of Languages activities via this link.](#)

Thomas Tallis School	14
Eltham Hill School	7
Colfe's School	4
Prendergast Vale School	3
Chislehurst and Sidcup Grammar School	2
Harris Academy Greenwich	2
Newstead Wood School	2
St Matthew Academy	2
Trinity Lewisham Church of England School	2
Beths Grammar School	1
Blackheath High School	1
Dartford Grammar School	1
Dartford Grammar School for Girls	1
Eltham College	1
Farringtons School	1
Haberdashers' Knights Academy	1
Maritime Academy	1
Prendergast School	1
St Thomas More Catholic School	1
Townley Grammar School for Girls	1
Wilmington Grammar School for Boys	1
Wilmington Grammar school for girls	1

Alumni Destinations

Parents and Carers often ask where our Brindishe Lee children move on to at the end of their time at primary school. Here are the destinations of our Leavers 2024. We hope they are having a great time in their new schools!

Your F@Bulous pizza and cookies!!

We are pleased to team up with Doughies to offer pizza and cookie making kits, for collection on Friday 11th October. Unfortunately this is their last year so let's make it count.

Please see the attached poster for details on what they offer (vegan included) and how to order, and start planning those pizza parties!



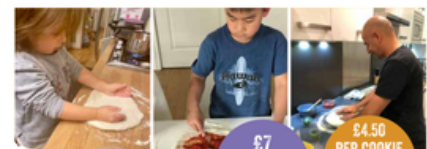
PIZZA & COOKIE NIGHT FRIDAY 11TH OCTOBER

We've teamed up with Doughies for a fun family night in. Order your pizza & cookie making kits and you'll receive everything you need to make artisan margherita pizzas (regular or vegan), and warm gooey cookies in your home oven.



Order via the link below by Saturday 5th October
<https://doughies.co.uk/products/brindishe-lee>

Orders to be collected at school pickup on Friday 11th October



EACH KIT MAKES 1 X 12" PIZZA AND INCLUDES:

- 1 Fresh dough ball perfect for baking that evening, or within 48 hours
- 80 grams of fresh, cubed mozzarella (or vegan mozzarella)
- A pouch of stretching flour to help stretch your dough balls
- 80 grams of special tomato pizza sauce
- 10 grams of grated Parmesan cheese for an added depth of flavour

COOKIE OPTIONS:

- Chocolate brownie
- Chocolate Chip
- Oat and Raisin



Each kit includes printed instructions, and the Doughies website contains videos and tips to help you stretch and cook the perfect home oven pizza

Important information from the office

Music Payments: Please make payment for your music lessons on Weduc- Deadline is today!!

Year 6: School Journey is fast approaching- please fill in the form sent home today and make sure your payments are up to date.

Attendance and punctuality are so important in supporting your child's learning. The government require children to be at school for a minimum of 96% of the time. Well done to Year 4 and Reception for being on time every day this week!

Class	Attended	Mins Late
Reception	94.8%	0
Year 1	99.26%	141
Year 2	95.93%	12
Year 3	99.15%	77
Year 4	91.19%	0
Year 5	99.21%	31
Year 6	99.23%	111

Important Dates

October 2024		November 2024	
Black History Month		Wednesday 14 th Nov - 20 th Nov	Scholastic Book Fair in the Atrium
Thursday 17 th October	Nasal Flu Vaccination Day	11 th - 15 th November	Year 6 School Journey
Thurs 17 th Oct - 3.40pm - 4.10pm	Open classrooms	11 th - 15 th Nov	Celebrating Diversity Week
Mon 25 th Oct - Fri 1 st Nov	Half Term	Fri 29 th Nov	Inset Day - No school for children



Beautiful portraits from Reception.

Key Stage 2- snack

Please remember to send your child with a fruit snack for morning break. Fruit only please (unless you have spoken to the school about this) No sweets or chocolate allowed!



End of the Day

Please leave the school site promptly at the end of the day so that we can secure the school and shut the gates. We still have children on site and having people on site after school needs to be minimised for safeguarding reasons.

Year Reception 1 and 2, leave by the side gate. 3, 4, 5 and 6 leave by the main gate please. Thank you!