MEET THE TEACHER YEAR 6





Willow Class – Mr. Bentham

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TERM DATES

2025/2026

Autumn Term 2025

Starts: Wednesday 3 September 2025
Half term: Monday 27 October- Friday 31 October 2025
Ends: Friday 19 December 2025

Spring Term 2026

Starts: Monday 5 January 2026
Half term: Monday 16 February - Friday 20 February 2026
Ends: on Thursday 26 March 2026

Summer Term 2026

Starts: Monday 13 April 2026
May Day: Monday 4 May 2026
Half term: Monday 25 May - Friday 29 May 2026
Ends: Thursday 16 July 2026

Total number of openings - 190

INSET Days:
Monday 1st September
Tuesday 2nd September
Friday 27th March
Friday 17th July
Monday 20th July

STAFF

- Year 6 Willow: Mr. S. Bentham – Asst. Headteacher/UKS2 Lead/ Maths Specialist

- Support staff: Mrs. Barker
- PPA Cover: Miss Heath (Art and DT), Mr. Ward (P.E.) and Mrs. Watson (Geography)

IMPORTANT EVENTS ACROSS THE YEAR

- Queen Street Mill – 24th September
- Parents' Evening
- Black History Week (Week commencing 20th October 2025)
- Sibling Photo Day – 3rd November
- Year 6 London/Parliament trip (17th – 19th June)
- SATs Week (11th – 14th May)
- Year 6 production (Watch this space!)
- Year 6 Leavers' Service (July 2026)

Positive Relationships & Belonging Policy

- We have adopted the establish, maintain, restore approach to behaviour. Most importantly the restore strategy ensures that the teacher and child intentionally repair harm to their relationship after a negative interaction, therefore reconnecting. This approach ensures that children take responsibility for their actions, and the behaviour is unpicked by an adult to try and understand the cause through mutual problem solving. • Positive comments or targets on marked work can be used to reinforce good learning strategies or techniques. Notes home, stickers and verbal conversations at pick up time will support in celebrating individual successes. • House points form our whole school reward system here at Broughton. They encourage a team ethos across the school and allow children of all ages to have a common goal. House points are awarded one at a time. Any member of staff can award house points to any child, at any time. At Broughton, we acknowledge the importance of the Christian Values and recognise that these should thread through our daily lives. In order to educate and help our children understand how they have achieved these through their everyday lives, house points willbe awarded for living Christian values.

https://spag.com/Teacher/Overview

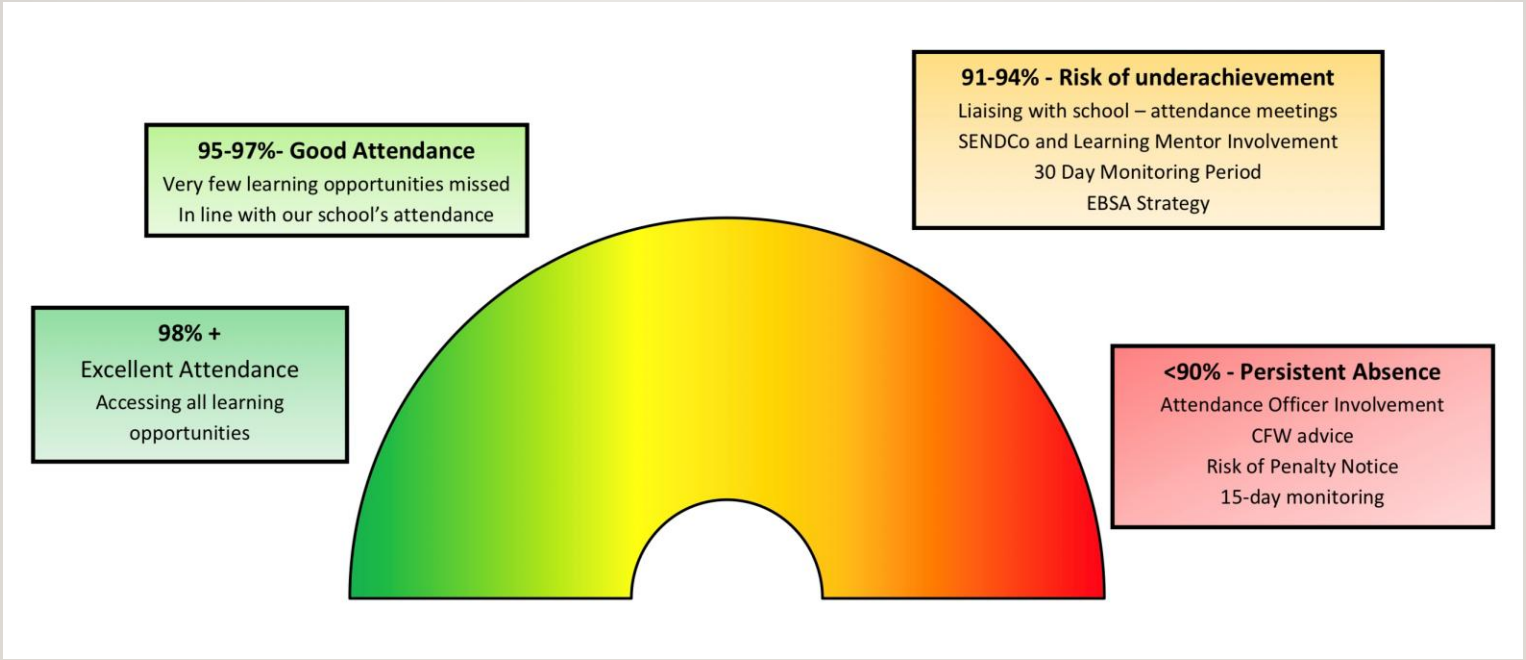
ZONES OF REGULATION



Resolving Conflict with Three Bubbles



ATTENDANCE


95-97%- Good Attendance
Very few learning opportunities missed
In line with our school's attendance
91-94% - Risk of underachievement
Liaising with school – attendance meetings
SENDCo and Learning Mentor Involvement
30 Day Monitoring Period
EBSA Strategy
98% +
Excellent Attendance
Accessing all learning opportunities
<90% - Persistent Absence
Attendance Officer Involvement
CFW advice
Risk of Penalty Notice
15-day monitoring

HOMEWORK

- Maths.co.uk
- Spellings
- Reading
- Times Tables Rockstars

- **Children will have to complete AT LEAST two tasks from the list provided on the curriculum overview.**
- Pictures can be sent to staff@broughtonprimary.co.uk

Reading: 20 minutes each day. Reading books will be changed in class.

Spellings: a spelling list will be sent home every week – this will consist of words from the Year 3,4,5 and 6 spelling lists, as well as selection of words taken from the current topic.

Mathematics: Mathletics website – each child will have one piece of homework to complete per week. If the homework is not completed, the children will have to complete it in their own time in school, as it is all revision for our tests in May.

WORSHIP

- Worship will take place daily and the weekly overview looks like this:
- Monday – whole school worship with Mr McPhail
- Tuesday – church with Reverend Fleur/Reverend Pauline
- Wednesday – singing worship with members of the senior leadership team
- Thursday – child led classroom worship
- Friday – whole school celebration worship with Mrs Simpson

CGP BOOKS – JANUARY 2025



SATS 2025

- Monday 11th – Thursday 14th May
- Monday 11th – GPS Paper 1 and 2
- Tuesday 12th – English Reading
- Wednesday 13th – Maths Paper 1 and 2
- Thursday14th – Maths Paper 3

PRINTABLES

- Term dates
- Curriculum Overviews
- Slides
- DfE Guidance – UKS2.

ANY OTHER BUSINESS…

- School dinners – Lancashire County Council
- Book change day – Friday
- Prefects/Year 6 jobs
- Water bottles – Only school water bottles are allowed in school. Please wash these thoroughly and bring back full. Your child will be able to refill these during the day. If other water bottles are brought into school, your child will be given a cup to use for the day. Children are only allowed water, any juice will be replaced with water.
- PE Kits – shorts.
- Clothing - **PLEASE MAKE SURE ALL ITEMS BELONGING TO YOUR CHILD ARE CLEARLY NAMED**
- Sports Teams
- Ukuleles

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- Sun cream – during hot weather, please apply this at home before your child comes to school. Sun cream is not to be brought into school and will not be applied by adults.
- Earrings and jewellery - no earrings or jewellery are to be worn. Plastic spacers are acceptable.
- Uniform/Bobbles and headbands – these must be simple and plain and only in the colours red or black.
- Children should not bring in toys from home.
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