Bradley Stoke Community School Primary Newsletter
Friday 1st May 2026

It's been another busy and exciting week at school, with plenty of new experiences for our learners, from exploring learning through VR headsets and a fantastic visit to the SS Great Britain for our Year 1 children. We hope all families enjoy the Bank Holiday weekend and we look forward to seeing everyone back in school on Tuesday.

Maria Goodchild – Head of Primary

Meadow community day!

On Sunday 17th May, we have organised a working party to help organise and develop our meadow area. We have been offered some free bark from a local park that is no longer needed and are in need of volunteers to help us move the bark on the day! Snacks and drinks will be provided and we look forward to seeing those who are able to spare an hour or two to help us on the day! The Friends are currently raising money to develop the meadow area further and all children will benefit from this. We will be at school from 9am—2pm on the day.

Hair

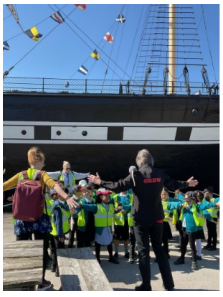
A reminder that hair longer than shoulder length must be tied up at all times when at school.

VR workshops

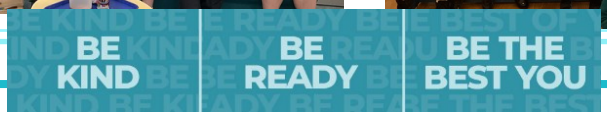
A huge thank you to the Friends at BSCS Primary for funding our VR workshops this week. The feedback from children was very positive and this was a great unique experience!

Year 1 educational visit to the SS Great Britain

Catkins Class visited the SS Great Britain to support their learning about Brunel, the famous engineer.



Congratulations to our learners!



DATE	EVENT	
Mon 4th May	Bank Holiday (school closed)	
Weds 6th May	Year 4-6 Ultimate Frisbee tournament at BSCS Secondary Phase after school (selected children only)	NEW
Fri 8th May	Financial skill sessions with Lloyds Banking Group for all classes (free!)	
Fri 8th May	Year 4 tuck on the playground after school (organised by Friends)	
Mon 11th May	Year 6 SATs week	
Fri 15th May	Year 2 visit Stoke Lodge Primary for Trunk Theatre show	
Sun 17th May	Community day in the meadow—all welcome to help! We will be at school from 9am until 2pm.	
Mon 18th May	Enrichment Morning (outdoor learning) - children we wear school PE kit with colour team t-shirts	
Tues 19th May	Year 3 and 4 Rounders tournament at BSCS after school (selected children only)	NEW
Weds 20th May	Year 2 and 3 exhibition of learning at Meadowbrook (after school)	NEW
Fri 22nd May	Bend the Rules Day (organised by Friends)	
Fri 22nd May	End of Term 5	
Mon 1st June	Term 6 starts	
Mon 1st June	Year 4 Multiplication Check fortnight starts	
Mon 8th June	Year 1 Phonics Screening Check week starts	
Fri 12th June	Non-uniform day for sweet tombola donations (organised by Friends)	
Sun 21st June	Summer Fair (organised by Friends)	
Mon 22nd June	Sports Week	
Tues 23rd June	Sports morning for all children	
Fri 3rd July	INSET DAY (school closed to children)	
Friday 17th July	Children finish school at 12:30pm	
Fri 17th July	End of Term 6	
Mon 20th July	INSET DAY (school closed to children)	
Tues 21st July	INSET DAY (school closed to children)	