



Great Bridge Primary School

Mount Street, Great Bridge, Tipton, West Midlands DY4 7DE

T: 0121 557 1526

E: gb.enquiry@greatbridge.sandwell.sch.uk

W: www.greatbridgeprimary.co.uk

Headteacher: Miss Helen Hale Bed (Hons), NPQH

Deputy Headteachers: Mrs Joanne Chappell and Mrs Jenny Waterman

Assistant Headteachers: Mrs Jenny Church and Mr Stephen Hales

12th April 2024

Dear Parents and Carers

Welcome back! I hope you all had a lovely break; it was lovely to see the children back in school. I hope our Muslim families had a lovely time celebrating Eid this week.

The school council met this week and conducted an environmental walk in the school grounds. They had some great ideas about how to improve our grounds, such as, litter picking, weeding and growing plants, herbs and vegetables. We are hoping to implement some of their suggestions over the next few weeks. One of their previous suggestions was to stop children going behind the Reading House and they invited Mrs Parkins-Crick to a meeting to discuss this. Since then, temporary fencing has been put in place and this is working. The children know not to climb on the Reading House so please do not let your child do this either before or after school.

As the weather is getting a little warmer and the mornings are lighter, I would encourage parents to leave their cars at home and walk/scooter/cycle to school. This promotes exercise and is better for the environment, however, I realise this is not always possible!

Attendance winners this week are 1M and 4Co. Well done! Thank you to everyone who is ensuring their child is in school every day and on time.

Dates for the diary:

Tuesday 16th April (8.45am & 2.45pm) – Phonic Screening Check information for Year 1 parents

Tuesday 16th April – Reception trip

Thursday 25th April – Year 3 trip

Friday 26th April – Nursery trip

Monday 6th May – May Bank Holiday – school closed

Monday 13th to Thursday 16th May – Year 6 SATs

Friday 24th May – Break up for holidays

Have a lovely weekend.

Miss Hale

All valued, all achieving and all equal.