



Broad Chalke Newsletter

Friday 30th January 2026

'We serve one another in love' Luke 10v27



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This term our Collective Worship theme is **RESILIENCE**

'I can do all things through Christ who strengthens me' Phil 4v13'

Indoor Athletics

This week, some of our Year 3 and Year 4 pupils took part in a cluster indoor athletics event at Sarum Academy. They threw themselves into the activities with fantastic energy and enthusiasm, completing a range of circuits and challenges.

A huge well done to all the children for representing our school so brilliantly. We are very proud of you!



Science Highlights

This week has been full of exciting experiments and hands-on Science learning across all classes!

In **Kingfishers**, children have been exploring the skeletal structures of humans, animals and plants. As part of this work, they carried out a colourful celery-and-food-dye experiment to investigate how stems transport water.

In **Dragonflies**, pupils had great fun learning about the phases of the moon using Oreo biscuits - a creative (and delicious!) way to bring Science to life.

Meanwhile, **Otters** have been learning about microorganisms. They have been observing how different foods change over time to understand how microbes grow. It's been wonderful to see such curiosity and enthusiasm in Science across the school!



SAFEGUARDING *At Broad Chalke, keeping children safe is always a priority and our safeguarding duty. The purpose of these weekly updates is to raise awareness and support you as parents.*

This week, the government released updated guidance on the use of mobile phones in schools.

As a school, we have always promoted a phone-free environment, and we are now asking for everyone in our school community to support this approach.

We kindly ask parents and carers to refrain from using mobile phones while on the school grounds. The only exceptions will be events such as Sports Day, when we fully understand that parents may wish to take photos of their child/children. *Thank you for your support.*



School Places

Do you know anyone looking for a school place? We currently have a small number of spaces available in various year groups.

There is still time to submit late applications for pupils starting in **September 2026**. If you or someone you know would like a tour of the school with **Mrs Luff**, please contact **Mrs Dunn** on **01722 780212** to arrange a visit. We would love to welcome new families to our school community!

Best wishes
Heather Luff
Headteacher

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