



# Broad Chalke Newsletter

Friday 7<sup>th</sup> March 2025

*'We serve one another in love' Luke 10v27*



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

*'My God is my Strength in whom I trust' Psalm 18v2*

*'Never be afraid to trust an unknown future to a known God' Carrie Ten Boom*

## World Book Day Fun!

We had a brilliant day celebrating the wonder of books and reading 😊

The children looked absolutely fantastic; thank you to all parents for supporting this event. Also, thank you to Miss Patterson for arranging the treats (drink and biscuits) for our class reading cafes.

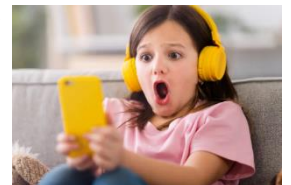


**Thank you to FODS for kindly donating a £45 Rocketship shop book voucher to each class 😊**

### **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.

According to Ofcom, 90% of children are watching online videos and browsing the internet regularly. Children may love to stream videos and look up information, it's a fun way to learn and relax after all but they must be guided. The e-space is filled with inappropriate content and dangerous material. Internet Matters has published a guide dedicated to supporting adults in setting digital boundaries for children, so that they can make smart choices and build healthy online habits. In the Internet Matters guide you'll find practical tips on managing content access, the use of safety controls, advice on setting boundaries and ways to educate children on how to stay secure online. If interested please follow the link:

<https://www.internetmatters.org/advice/by-activity/watching-and-browsing-online-a-parents-guide/>



### **Can you help?**

We are currently exploring options to re-surface a section of the field which would increase the play surface area for Key Stage 2 children and allow them to engage in more physical activities. We have had a quote for £33,000 (ex VAT) to resurface the area and ensure it can be used all year round. **Do you represent a company, charity or organisation who might be able to help us secure some funding?** If you would like to discuss this, please contact [admin@broadchalke.dsat.org.uk](mailto:admin@broadchalke.dsat.org.uk).



Next week, is our assessment week so children in Y1-5 will be completing tests. Please be reassured the classes will remain a positive environment and we encourage the children to try their best 😊.

Parents' evening bookings will go live next week.

Best wishes  
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(Headteacher)