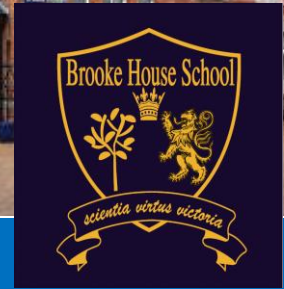


Brooke House School Bulletin

13th January 2023



New Year Resolutions

As the New Year begins in classic British style people are all thinking about their New Year Resolutions. What can they do to improve themselves? Go to bed earlier? Eat more vegetables? Do more exercise?

Mrs Wakley's Climate Literacy classes decided they would make Climate Resolutions to help the Planet in 2023. They looked at a newspaper article by Ade Adeptian, a travel journalist who produced a series of programmes which they studied last year. Adeptian talked about his own climate journey and how he had made climate resolutions for 2023 that were 'not extreme' but involved 'small but impactful lifestyle changes'. He wrote how 'small changes' are 'powerful' as it is easier to stay consistent with them. Then over time, you can 'make steady progress'.

So, that is what the students decided to do – make climate resolutions for 2023 that were not huge but were small steps in an environmental direction – steps that they thought they would be able to keep.

Happy 2023 everyone!

Dates for your diary

Tuesday 17th January 2023

Theatre trip – The Smartest Giant in Town for Reception to Year 6.

Week commencing 16th January

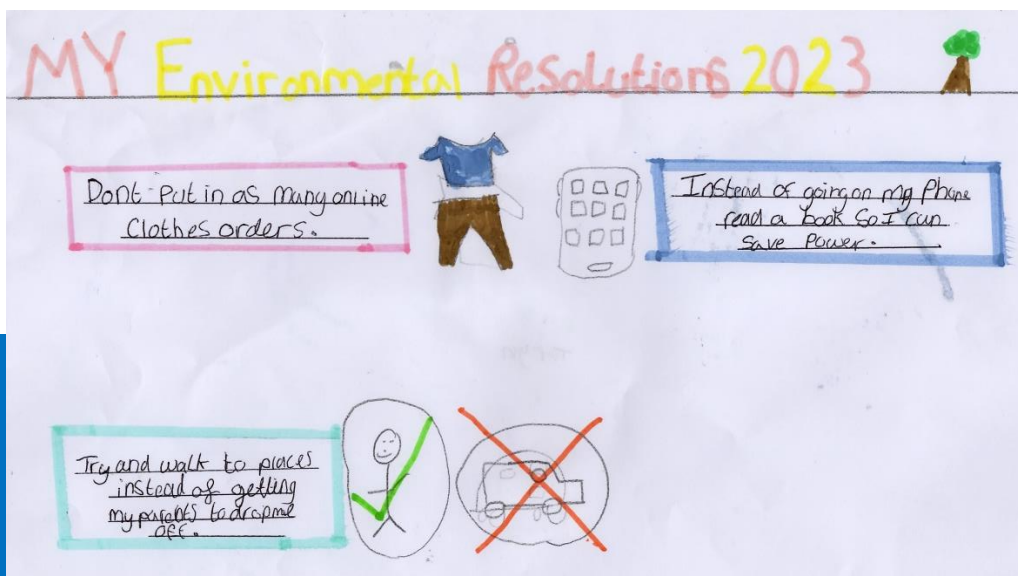
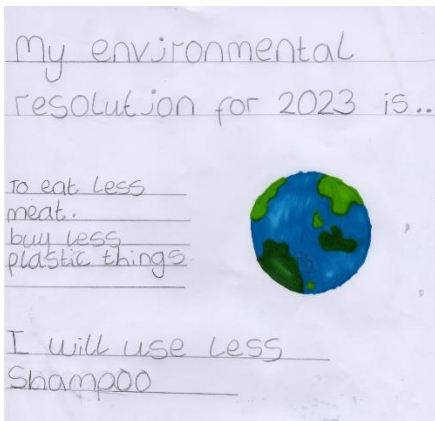
York trip next payment of £100 due.

6th-8th February

GCSE field trip.

Monday 24th-Friday 28th April 2023

Trip to YHA Helmsley - York



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The Smartest Giant in Town

On Tuesday 17th it is the trip to see The Smartest Giant in Town. Students need to be wearing school uniform. We should be back to school by 4pm but as always this is subject to traffic. There are still some forms and payments not yet received.

Swimming

Remember swimming re-starts on Wednesday 18th January '23 for Brooke House students. Please bring swimming kit in a named PE bag.

PE

This week we were practising basketball and trying out volleyball, a new sport for us.

PE stars of the week:

Monday – George Mugridge

Tuesday – Maddisyn Brennon

Tuesday – Asia Thompson

Thursday group 1 – Billiy Duddy

Thursday group 2 – Zara Bowers



Latin word of the week

This week's Latin root word is: 'Lev'

'to lift'

Some examples of modern English words that contain this root are

Levitate, Elevate

What other modern words can you find which contain this root word?

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Mathematics



Times Tables Champion

The award this week goes to Charlotte Lane achieving 100% in the big tables test and the effort that she has put in to reach that standard.



The Mathematics Star for this week goes to Diya Aria for an excellent end of topic test mark.



Mathematics Work of the Week by Thomas Lee.

Maths questions

Question 1: 13% of 600

Question 2: 13% of 18

The students have been learning a variety of different methods to work out percentages. In the questions above you will see two of the methods that we have used and the solutions will be shown next week.

This question was answered by one of our year 6 students.

100% in Times tables

Congratulations to the following students for attaining 100% in their big times tables test.

- Charlotte Lane Year 9
- Taryn Swift Buzzards
- Asia Thompson Buzzards
- Vincent Parker Eagles

Cooking

Star baker for GCSEs goes to Valentine Pilkington as he achieved the task really well and managed to produce a patterned swiss roll.

Sparrowhawks and Eagles made some delicious flapjacks and Nivas Odedra was star baker.



Kickboard
Star



Due to a problem with the Kickboard app there will be no Kickboard star this week

Menu for next week



Monday

Chicken Casserole
Served with Roast Potatoes, Green
Beans
Vegetable Casserole (v)
Shortbread Finger



Thursday

Sausage
Served with
Potato Croquettes, Cauliflower and
Peas
Meat Free Sausage (v)
Jam Bow



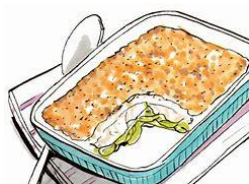
Tuesday

Pasta Carbonara
Served with Peas and Sweetcorn
Tomato Pasta (v)
Rice Pudding



Friday

Chicken Nuggets
Served with Diced Potatoes and
Baked Beans
Vegetable Fingers (v)
Chocolate Cake served with Ice-
Cream



Wednesday

Fish Pie
Served with Carrots and Broccoli
Vegetable Pie (v)
Fresh Fruit Platter

GCSE Mock exams

It's the GCSE mock exams this week so can all parents of year 11 students please make sure they are well fed and rested. Good luck!

Jacket Potatoes

If you need to order a jacket potato for your child on any of the days please can you email the bulletin with the day(s) and the choice of filling. Please can all orders be in by **2200 on Sunday evening**.

The filling choices are cheese, baked beans and spaghetti hoops.