

Bramley Class Weekly Overview

Week Commencing 23rd February 2026.

English

This week, we will introduce our new Mystery Book. We will be thinking about Pumpkins! Not Halloween.... thinking more along the lines of food and harvesting, working towards story writing.



Phonics

Year 1 will continue their work on Phase 5 phonics and spellings- they will also begin to have 10 words each week. Keep practicing these at home and don't worry if your child finds them hard - if this is the case, choose 5 to focus on and let us know. Year 2 will also continue with their spellings, working through the Little Wandle spellings scheme.

Handwriting

Year 2 will continue to work on their joins, letter orientation and ensuring we start to join all writing automatically. Year 2 writing is getting much better and much neater, please try to encourage joining as much as possible at home. Year 1 will work on their letter sizing and how we write our capitals larger than lower case letters, along with orientation of numbers - particular letters which are causing trouble at the moment are d, b, n, a, m, e, f, g and y - both capital and lower case.

Maths

Year 1

We will be starting our new unit, 'Place Value to 50'.

In this unit we will:

- Count from 20 to 50
- Work on number recognition and use to 20, 30, 40 and 50
- Count by making groups of tens
- Make groups of tens and ones
- Partition into tens and ones
- Use the number line to 50
- Estimate on a number line to 50
- Find 1 more and 1 less to 50.

Year 2

We are starting our new unit, 'Measuring Height and Length'.

In this unit we will:

- Measure in centimetres
- Measure in metres
- Compare lengths and heights
- Order lengths and heights
- Four operations with lengths and heights

Science

We will be continuing our topic 'Animals Including Humans'; this week we will remind ourselves of the different classifications we use for sorting animals.

PE

This term we will focus on games - in the coming months, we have the KSI Cross Country and the Year 2 Football tournament to work towards.

Topic

We will be starting our new topic for this term, learning all about India. This links with our Mystery Book.....

RE

We will continue learning about Judaism this term, thinking particularly about rules and what rules mean to us.

Forest School

We could have quite a soggy Forest School session this week with a wet morning before we go out, so there will be some muddy fun to have!



Don't forget, we always need volunteers - more volunteers means we can go for walks, use fire, cook and use tools more safely.