## Parental Involvement

## **EYFS Hoot Owls**



In Hoot Owls, at Brookside Primary, we pride ourselves in the amazing opportunities for Parents to be deeply involved in their child's learning.

These are some of the many opportunities for our Reception Parents to be involved in their child's life at school...

Prospective Parents/Child Tour and Activity Session before application deadline.

Volunteering on Trips- Parents are actively encouraged to support their children on trips eg Library, Church visit, Zoo

Mystery Guests when Parents or Relatives come into school on a surprise basis, to talk to the children about their jobs, hobbies or to read stories eg Police Officer, Nurse, Artist, Musician

Individual New Parent Meetings in June/July before the children start school, to share info like medical, likes/dislikes, interests, concerns, toileting etc

New Parent Information Meeting in the Hall- informal chats, uniform, school meals, staff, current parents, learning journeys etc

Parents Class Information Meeting-timetable, routine, snacks etc

Regular communication and updates via Tapestry - explains to Parents what their children will be doing in school and any other important information

Home/School Reading Record Book for each child to allow Parent/Teacher to keep track of books read.

2x Parent Consultation Meetings- meeting with Teacher to discuss progress, interventions and results against ELGs

Mini Progress Reports 2x year in Autumn and Spring to show if children are on track/not on track to meet their ELGs at the end of the year

End of Year Annual Report in July - full written report also giving results against the ELGs

Children's Work Book Look - Opportunities to see class Floor Books demonstrating learning activities and share individual workbooks with their child. Parents are welcome to add their voice to our books with any comments.

My Little Star sheets- parents write about things their child has succeeded in at home

Sending in photos, certificates, trip info, pieces of work, pictures made by child- for Show and Tell and placing on our WOW Wall

Christmas Show - parents invited

Open Mornings for parents to attend eg Faith Week

Sports Day - parents are invited to spectate.

Christmas and Summer Fairs - everyone welcome

PTA- Parents can volunteer to help

End of Year Reception Show and Graduation for parents

Thank you to our Parents. Your contribution to the children's learning at Brookside is greatly appreciated.

