



BROAD SQUARE NEWSLETTER

10th October 2025

Overall Attendance: 94.1%
Early Years Winning Class RD - 96.8%
Years 1 & 2 Winning Class 1K - 95.9%
Years 3 & 4 Winning Class 4M - 94.7 %
Years 5 & 6 Winning Class 5E - 96 %



Dates for the Diary:

5M London trip - Friday 17th October
Wear Red day - Friday 17th October
Parents evening - Wednesday 22nd October
and Thursday 23rd October
Spooky Hair day - Thursday 23rd October
INSET DAY (Children not in School) - Friday
24th October
Half term - Monday 27th October - Friday
31st October
Children return to school - Monday 3rd
November
School photo day - Monday 3rd November

Y6 secondary school applications deadline
- 31st October 2025

Dear parents and carers,
Another week has flown by, the children continue to work hard and our celebration assembly this morning was a lovely way of showing our appreciation to how well the children are doing.
I have added 2 key dates for the diary. Next Friday we will be doing our annual 'Show Racism the Red card' where we allow children to wear their own clothes (something red) and despite my personal preference I will allow football kits of that said colour.

The following Thursday we will run our 'Spooky Hair Day' - following on from the success of last year - children can wear a spooky hair accessory or be creative with spooky hair ideas - there is no pressure for children to get involved in this if they do not want to. School uniforms are still to be worn.

The portal is now open for parents to apply for places in our Reception for September 2026!! Can I remind our nursery parents to apply via liverpool.gov.uk - also to any parents who's child is in private nursery to also apply. We welcome any families to come and have a look around our wonderful school and see the work that we have done to make Broad Square such a special place for our young people.

Have a lovely weekend,

Thank you,

Mrs Foden, Headteacher



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Broad Square Reading



Our children enjoyed meeting a real life local author in our school assemblies this week. Jude Lennon talked about her journey to become an author and shared some of her incredible stories - our children said to never throw away our dreams and ideas as they could become a stories! Thank you to all our who showed their support and bought a book.



Spotlight on curriculum

Our Year 5 children had the opportunity to develop life long skills this week with Bikeability - Well done to our riders.



I have included photographs below of two of our wonderful sporting teams in this weeks newsletter. Our **cross country** runners have had two races, they have shown great perseverance and sporting achievement - hitting personal bests as well as showing great team work in their support for one another. Also our **year 5 and 6 footballers** had their first tournament this week - they won 3 of their games but more importantly showed excellent manners and attitudes that were recognised by members of staff from other schools.

World Mental Health Day - Conversation Starters

Talking to your child about how they're feeling can be tough, especially if you're concerned that they're having a hard time. You might not know what to say, or feel worried about how your child will react. It doesn't matter what topic the conversation starts with - it's about the opportunity it gives you to talk about feelings and provide comfort. Whilst the activity is underway, what's the best way to encourage your child to open up?

Have a look at these conversation starters below.

Here are some things you could ask to get the conversation started:

- What was the best bit of your day?
- What was the most challenging bit of your day?
- What did you do today that made you proud?
- How are you feeling?
- What would you like to talk about?



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Picture News 

Talk about why you believe this story became news across the UK this week.

Are there any goals or dreams that you would like to achieve, even if they seem hard?

How does our school make everyone feel included?

How do you think we could make people feel more included in our school community?

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=N8-tfNW3WXs>

Let's look at this week's story 

Ellie Goldstein, a 23-year-old model from Ilford, has been announced as a contestant on Strictly Come Dancing. She is the first person with Down's syndrome to take part in a full series of the show, having already made history as the first model with Down's syndrome to appear on the cover of British Vogue. Ellie says she's excited for the challenge and hopes to show that people can do amazing things, even when others don't expect them to.

UN Rights of a Child

All children should be able to join in with the activities and experiences around them. Adults should make sure nothing stops them from taking part, being included, and treated fairly.



What can we learn from people who prove others wrong?



Mutual Respect and Tolerance

We can be inspired by people who prove others wrong by achieving things we might not expect. Everyone deserves respect for what they do and the ways they can shine.

Protected Characteristics 

There are so many opportunities in our world, and having a disability should not take those chances away. We should never be treated unfairly because of a disability.

