

Whole School Messages

Welcome back to the Summer Term!

We hope you all had a lovely Easter break and are returning refreshed, recharged, and ready for a new term of learning.

Streetfunk Dance Club:

Please see the poster below regarding the Streetfunk dance club which is running at Brunswick Primary School on Wednesdays from 3:15 – 4:30pm. Please be aware that collection will be from Brunswick Primary.

If you would like to book your child on to Streetfunk, please [click here](#)

Year Group Messages

Rec-Y2:

Class photos:

The school photographer will be in the infant school to take class photos tomorrow. All children need to wear school uniform for this, if your child usually has PE on this day, please do not send them in wearing their PE kit and ensure they are in school uniform instead.

Years 3-6:

Please see the poster below regarding Gymnastics Club which is open for booking for all children in years 3-6. This is being held at Brunswick Primary School and will be running every Monday from 13th April – 18th May. Collection will be from Brunswick Primary School at 4:30pm. To sign up please [click here](#)

Year 6:

A letter was sent home on Tuesday 24th March in regards to the leaver's hoodies. There will only be one, single bulk order placed and therefore, we cannot take any additional order requests once the order has been processed. If you would like to order one, please do so via the google form link which is in the letter that was sent home. **The deadline for any orders is Wednesday 22nd April.**

Key Dates

RECEPTION	
April	
17/04/26	Class Photos.
27/04/26	School Nurse – Height, Weight and Hearing screening.
28/04/26	School Nurse – Height, Weight and Hearing screening.
May	
02/05/26	Children’s Parade
04/05/26	May Day Bank Holiday – School closed.
08/05/26	Paradise Park Trip.
21/05/26	Last day of term – Dress down day.

YEAR 1	
April	
17/04/26	Class Photos.
May	
02/05/26	Children’s Parade
04/05/26	May Day Bank Holiday – School Closed.
21/05/26	Last day of term – Dress down day.

YEAR 2	
April	
17/04/26	Class Photos.
May	
02/05/26	Children’s Parade
04/05/26	May Day Bank Holiday – School Closed.
21/05/26	Last day of term – Dress down day.

YEAR 3	
April	
17/04/26	Roamin’ Romans – Option to dress up as a Roman.
May	
02/05/26	Children’s Parade
04/05/26	May Day Bank Holiday – School Closed.
06/05/26	Class photos.
21/05/26	Last day of term – Dress down day.

YEAR 4	
May	
02/05/26	Children’s Parade
04/05/26	May Day Bank Holiday – School Closed.
06/05/26	Class photos.
21/05/26	Last day of term – Dress down day.

YEAR 5	
April	
17/04/26	Portals to the past workshop – Option to dress up as an Ancient Greek.
May	
02/05/26	Children’s Parade
04/05/26	May Day Bank Holiday – School Closed.
06/05/26	Class photos.
21/05/26	Last day of term – Dress down day.

YEAR 6	
April	
22/04/26	Deadline for leavers hoodie orders.
May	
02/05/26	Children’s Parade
04/05/26	May Day Bank Holiday – School Closed.
06/05/26	Class photos.
21/05/26	Last day of term – Dress down day.

Update from the Smartphone Free Childhood

🎉 The first three months of our fully smartphone-free school policy have been a real success! 🎉

A HUGE thank you to the whole school community for supporting this change and making it happen, protecting all of our children from the risks of early device use. The school has been so pleased at the positive reaction from families and their support in adhering to the policy.

Incidents of online bullying and problematic WhatsApp use reported to the school have been greatly reduced. This has been incredibly beneficial for our children's wellbeing, and also for school staff, reducing precious time and resources spent resolving issues.

Hove Learning Federation is one of seven primary schools across the city that have gone "fully smartphone-free" - a number that is growing all the time. This means that children aren't allowed to bring smartphones or smartwatches into school at all. As such they can enjoy a school day free to concentrate and learn, as well as a journey to and from school without the pressure and risks that access to the internet and social media brings. We can feel incredibly proud at being one of the first schools in the city to do this!

Are you starting to think about secondary schools for your child? [Check out the map on the SFC Brighton website](#) to see what the secondary schools in your area are doing about smartphones.

To meet other parents choosing to delay smartphones at our school, join our Hove Learning Federation parent SFC WhatsApp group. [QR codes to join are on the school's website](#).

Would you like to learn more about the smartphone free childhood movement across Brighton & Hove? Visit sfcbrighton.co.uk or sign up to receive the [SFC Brighton newsletter](#).

Want to know why a nationwide network of parents is pushing for a smartphone free childhood? Watch [Molly vs the Machines](#) on Channel 4, an urgent documentary about online harm. It is a hard watch, but an important one - the story of a heartbroken father's quest to uncover the truth behind his daughter's death and his fightback against how the most powerful corporations of the modern age operate.

And finally... want to find out more about why our school supports parents to delay getting a smartphone until children are older? Watch last week's fantastic West Sussex webinar by Papaya and Smartphone Free Childhood: ['Let's talk about our kids and their tech'](#). It is super informative about the risks around smartphones, social media, gaming and more, and hugely inspiring in terms of the changes we can all make at home and at school to help keep our children safe and happy.

Best wishes,

The Hove Learning Federation Smartphone Free Childhood Working Group



ALL YEARS

STREETFUNK DANCE CLUB!!

For Holland Road Children at Brunswick School

WEDNESDAYS FROM 22nd APRIL 2026

3.15 -4.30PM

PICK UP @ BRUNSWICK SCHOOL



BOOK ON AT WWW.SPORTLEARNING.CO.UK

LIMITED SPACES!!!!



YEARS 3-6

GYMNASTICS CLUB!!

For Holland Road Children at Brunswick School

MONDAYS FROM 13TH APRIL 2026

3.15-4.30PM

PICK UP @ BRUNSWICK SCHOOL



BOOKINGS OPEN MON 23RD MARCH AT

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supports resources for our
children.

