Newsletter

23rd January 2026

BROOK SCHOOL
A Small School on a Big Adventure

Upcoming events next week:

- Young Oaks onsite forest day – Thursday (forest school clothes please)
- Young Oaks Class Assembly – Thursday, 9am, school hall

NEWS: Term Dates Sept 2026 – July 2027

Term dates for the next academic year are now available. These will also be on the website.

TERM 1	
Tues 1st Sept **2026**	Staff Development Day 1/5
Wed 2nd Sept	Start of Term – Children return
Fri 23rd Oct	End of Term 1
October half term (1 week)	
TERM 2	
Mon 2nd Nov	Staff Development Day 2/5
Tues 3rd Nov	Term 2 begins
Fri 18th Dec	End of Term 2
Winter Holiday (2 weeks)	
TERM 3	
Mon 4th Jan **2027**	Staff Development Day 3/5
Tues 5th Jan	Term 3 begins
Fri 12th Feb	End of Term 3
February half term (1 week)	
TERM 4	
Mon 22nd Feb	Term 4 begins
Thurs 25th March	End of Term 4
Fri 26th March	Bank Holiday
Spring Holiday (2 weeks)	
TERM 5	
Mon 12th April	Term 5 begins
Mon 3rd May	Bank Holiday
Thurs 27th May	End of Term 5
Fri 28th May	Staff Development Day 4/5
May half term (1 week)	
TERM 6	
Mon 7th June	Term 6 begins
Tues 20th July	End of Term 6 and the Academic Year
Wed 21st July	Staff Development Day 5/5
Summer Holiday (6 weeks)	

INFORMATION: Parking request from our neighbour

We have received a request/reminder that the farmer who owns the field next to school will need constant access to the gate. Please do not park in front of the gate.

COMMUNICATION CHANGES: Use of Dojo/Less newsletters

As we use class dojo and emails for many of our messages and reminders, soon we will only publish a newsletter at the start of each new term. If you do not use dojo, please ensure you can access this so you not miss reminders.

To sign up to each class, please follow these links or ask in school for a code:

Mighty Oaks:
https://www.classdojo.com/ul/p/addKid?target=class&class=697b722968e7f300529a627d

Young Oaks:
https://www.classdojo.com/ul/p/addKid?target=class&class=697b726e14664cd4ff22ce7e

Saplings:
https://www.classdojo.com/ul/p/addKid?target=class&class=697b728c2fcb617ae80e6bb9

Little Acorns:
https://www.classdojo.com/ul/p/addKid?target=class&class=697b72fac1008dbb7c4d98fe

Calendar

Every effort will be made to keep these dates in place but please be aware, changes may occur.
Updates/changes are highlighted.

TERM 3 – 2025/26			
Week	**Day/Date**	**Event**	**Further information**
5	Thurs 5th Feb	Class Assembly – Young Oaks	Hall, 9am
	Thurs 5th Feb	Environment-led learning – Young Oaks	On-site
6	Mon 9th Feb	Last swimming session	Year 5
	Mon 9th Feb	Parents' Evening Meetings	All classes, 3.30-6.00pm
	Tues 10th Feb	Parents' Evening Meetings	MO and Saplings 3.30-5.00pm
	Wed 11th Feb	Parents' Evening Meetings	MO, YO, LA 3.30-5.00pm
	Tues 10th Feb	Safer Internet Day	
	Mon 9th Feb	Sharing the Learning – Little Acorns	2.45pm
	Tues 10th Feb	Sharing the Learning – Saplings	2.45pm
	Wed 11th Feb	Sharing the Learning – Young Oaks	2.45pm
	Thurs 12th Feb	Sharing the Learning - Mighty Oaks	2.45pm
	Thurs 12th Feb	Environment-led learning – Saplings	On-site
	Fri 13th Feb	BRILLIANT BROOK DAY - Enrichment	
	Fri 13th Feb	***End of Term 3***	

Key dates for the year ahead:
2nd April, 9.30am - Easter Service at Church
26th June – Sports Day and Summer Fair