



# The Brook



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Dear Parents/Carers

**Re: School Fund contribution 2018-19**

At The Brook we offer a stimulating and enriched curriculum. Artists, performers and special events ensure we capture the children's interest and enthusiasm for learning. We aim to offer the opportunity for each child to experience a live performance, musical or artistic professional input and special events and days related to the class topic. Last year the children benefited from weekly swimming lessons for Year 2, subsidised trips to Harry Potter World (£6.19 per child), Pantomime at the Hawth (£5 per child), Ladyland Farm (£6.37 per child), Brooklands Museum (£2.22 per child), Forest Schools trip to Tilgate Park (£2 per child), Drusilla's Park (£6 per child), music lessons, a STEM science professor, in house Forest Schools, classroom resources for cooking, science, topics and technology and books for our library. We try to spend this limited pot as efficiently as possible to provide a balance between lovely experiences for the children as well as giving parents value for money.

To fund all these events and trips, we ask for a £10 voluntary contribution per child for the whole year. *(Please ignore this letter if you have already made your school fund payment in the last few weeks.)* By charging this specified sum for the year rather than individual amounts, it not only cuts down on administration costs, but also means that we don't have to keep sending out letters requesting small amounts of money. This amount does not include top ups for school trips, which will be charged for separately.

Please complete the tear off slip below and return it with your yearly contribution in a named, sealed envelope labelled "School Fund Contribution". Alternatively payment can be made online through our school money service.

'Learning with love and laughter'

A text will be sent out today which will give your log-on details should you wish to pay by this method. Unfortunately, we are unable to accept cheques.

Yours sincerely

*Fi Dowley*

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Headteacher

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***School Fund Contribution 2018-19***

I enclose a contribution of £10 per child for this academic year and have paid by the following method:

- Cash
- Online via the School Money System

Child (ren's) s name:.....

Class (es):.....

Signed:..... Parent / Carer