



# Heads 2 Home

22nd July 2025

## Summer Holiday

We would like to wish everyone a happy and healthy summer holiday. It has been another exciting year with lots of experiences for the children. We have been so impressed with how hard the children have worked and pleased with how they have fully embraced any challenge or opportunity.

We wish all our leavers the very best in the future and look forward to welcoming everyone else back on **Wednesday 3rd September 2025.**

### Term Dates

The term dates for next year are on our school website.

Please remember that any holidays during school time will be unauthorised.

### Solihull Approach to Parenting

Back by popular demand. Our Family Support team will be running a Solihull Approach to Parenting group during the Autumn Term. This will be weekly sessions for 10 weeks located in the school.

The course will start on 18th September. Please book your space on this course by either emailing

[parentingsupport@ectonbrook.org.uk](mailto:parentingsupport@ectonbrook.org.uk)

Or by phoning the school office.

### What a busy year

Year 4 whole class Brass

Year 5 Swimming Lessons

Year 6—Singing in Birmingham and at the Derngate Christmas productions & Year 6 Production—Matilda

3 Parent sessions for each class

2 Parent evenings

2 amazing fayres

Music evening

Many sporting opportunities

Gymnastics, basketball, football and sports club

3 Choirs, 2 Brass, Recorder, steel pans and samba Club

Gardening club and year group trips

Outstanding Ofsted Outcome

### Good Luck

We would like to take this opportunity to wish a couple of our members of staff that are leaving us, happiness and success in the future.

Mrs Hobday and Miss Theo have made such a difference to our children during their time with us. We wish them well in their next steps.

### Want to get ahead?

The curriculum maps, knowledge organisers and maths knowledge sheets for the Autumn first half term will be live on the school website by the end of term, so you can see what your child will be learning when they come back to school in September.

Please ensure that children continue to read over the summer break.

# Solihull Approach to Parenting



**We will explore  
issues such as:-**

- † Tuning into children**
- † Exploring feelings**
- † Parenting styles**
- † Communication**
- † Temper tantrums**
- † Sleep patterns**
- † Behavioural difficulties**

## **10 week programme: -**

Session 1 –Introduction

Session 2 –How are you and your child feeling?

Session 3 –Tuning into your child's development

Session 4 –Responding to your child's feeling

Session 5 –Different styles of parenting

Session 6 –Parent-child relationship

Session 7 –The rhythm of interaction and sleep

Session 8 –Self regulation and anger

Session 9 –Communication and attunement

Session 10 -Celebration

## **Aims of the Group:-**

- ☐ Understanding of children's behaviour
- ☐ Development of reciprocity
- ☐ Increase in confidence and self esteem
- ☐ Strategies for repair when things go wrong
- ☐ Parent/Child relationship
- ☐ Promote reflective, sensitive and effective parenting



**ULTIMATE**

**KIDS**

**SUMMER FEST**



**BOOK  
HERE**

**16th & 17th August 2025  
10am – 4pm**

