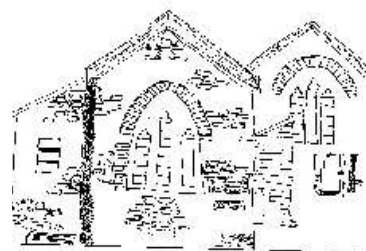


Branscombe C of E Primary School  
Children's Aims  
We will try to:



**BRANSCOMBE C OF E PRIMARY  
SCHOOL**  
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**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> May 2015**



**Achievements to Celebrate  
Branscombe Waves Award:**

**Rachel:** Making very good progress with her understanding of money

**Daisy Grace:** Working hard being respectful and working well with others

**Mason:** A consistently respectful and friendly attitude

Dear Parents,

The children have been super this week during all the assessments that have been going on. Our year 6 girls have kept smiling and have had a really positive attitude. Thank you for all the support you have given them at home.

Several children, and their families, had great fun at the Beer Blazer last weekend. All of the children did really well and completed the race in great spirits, with a positive attitude, despite a few tumbles on the way! Finn was the first Branscombe runner home, coming in 8<sup>th</sup> overall – a great achievement. The children look super in their Branscombe t-shirts in the photo below. Well done to you all.



Next week is going to be busy as we look forward to the half term holiday, with the KS2 trip to Lyme Regis and our May Day celebrations. Please look at the key dates below and the specific information about May Day.

Thank you for all your continued support.

God bless and have a lovely weekend.

*Best wishes from Katie Gray and the staff at Branscombe School*

## TALK ABOUT FRIENDSHIP TOGETHER...

Learning to be a good **friend**,  
someone who can be trusted and  
is loyal, takes a lifetime.

Talk together about how **friends**  
come in all shapes and sizes.  
Some are young, some are old.  
Some are always there, some we  
see only occasionally.

- How do we choose our **friends**?
- What makes a good **friend**?
- Are we a good **friend** to others?

## Question for the week

**Class 1:** We have noticed that the stems  
of lots of plants have hairs on them?  
Can you find out why?

**Class 2:** What activities would you most  
enjoy in a mountain environment?

### Key Dates:

**Mrs Gray** will be in school on Tuesday and Wednesday and on Friday morning.  
**Miss Prince** will be spending her Head of Teaching & Learning day (Wednesday)  
at Broadhembury next week.

#### Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> May

Bags 2 School collection

#### Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May

Class 2 trip to Lyme Regis

May Day Celebrations (morning)

Last day before half term holiday

#### Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June

Return from half term holiday

#### Friday 19<sup>th</sup> June

Group Photos (morning)

#### Sunday 21<sup>st</sup> June

Over the Hill and Farway 10K run – Please ask in the office  
if you need any further adult or child entry forms

### Class Two Lyme Regis Trip –Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> May

Next Tuesday the Children in Class 2 will be going to Lyme Regis as part of their Science topic "Rocks, Fossils and Soils". In the afternoon they will have the opportunity to put their learning into practice and go fossil-hunting on the beach. The children should wear school jumpers, trousers/jeans (that you don't mind getting dirty), footwear that is suitable for walking and exploring the shingle beach, a waterproof coat and if the weather looks as though it will be sunny, they may also need sun-cream.

**Please don't forget that the children won't be returning to school until 4pm approx.**

### **May Day**

The children have been practising hard for our May Day celebrations, which will take place on Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May from 10.30-12pm (weather permitting). Parents are invited to come and enjoy the dancing which will begin promptly at 10.30pm. **Please could all children come to school with a polo shirt, white socks and plimsolls.**

### **PTFA Meeting**

The next meeting will take place on Friday 12<sup>th</sup> June at 3.30pm in the park.

### **Textiles Club**

The children in Textiles club have been very busy recently making pompom people out of wool. Below are some photos showing them in action, along with their finished products.

