



Brownsover Community School

Come and join us on a super learning journey...

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Dear Parents/Carers

This year, we will be using Class Dojo as a tool to communicate with one another, share children's successes, praise children as part of our behaviour policy and encourage our values to be embedded in everything the children do.

Class Dojo will allow us to instantly share messages, updates, events and photos from class. It is simple, secure and gives you a window in your child's school day!

The app is covered under our Data Protection procedures and policies. The content on Class Dojo can only be seen by account holders, and it is not public. Class Dojo is free and works on any iOS/Android/Kindle Fire device or web browser. Parents can also read all Class Story posts in their preferred language instantly.

Class Dojo provides information and snap shots to support conversations between adults and their children about their learning taking place at school. The app provides a quick point of non-urgent contact between home and school. It is an easy way to view reminders about whole school and class events encouraging great collaboration and involvement.

Teachers will be able to upload pictures or information when appropriate to the class story for your child. Any uploads on the class story can only be viewed by other families in the class. Class Dojo will be replacing Google Classroom and we are currently reviewing the homework policy within our school however we expect children to be reading every day.

There is a private messaging function which can be used between staff and parents/carers however this would not replace how you normally communicate with the school. Absences and collections would still need to be reported to the main office however meetings can be arranged using Dojo. Staff will be replying to messages between the hours of 8:30am – 4:30pm.

Class Dojo is a live app which will show you when your child/children receive dojo points within school. Each week, we will use the number of dojo points and effort of classes to reward a class with a Brownsover Bear Golden Box. This will encourage, whole class collaboration and I am sure our children will rise to the new challenge. During weekly assemblies, we will celebrate Core Value Champions from each class and children will bring home a certificate highlighting their success.

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A Class Dojo Code of Conduct will be shared with all parents. Following this, you will receive a letter with your unique code to sign up to the app. You will be able to sign up to multiple classes using the one app.

We look forward to launching Class Dojo with our children this week and if you have any questions or queries please do not hesitate to come and ask a member of staff or myself.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours faithfully

Miss Khan
Head of School

