

ELEMENTS PRIMARY SCHOOL

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Well, it has certainly been a “working term” across both of our schools. As always, I am astounded at just what our pupils can achieve with the support, guidance and care from our exceptional teams. As we reflect on the Spring term, I wish to extend my warmest thanks to all of our communities for the understanding you have shown as we have navigated some significant staff absences at Bramley. The care our community gives to all of our colleagues is exceptional: your understanding is reflective of just what we are trying to achieve in both of our phenomenal schools.

Last week saw Mock SATS week for both of our Year 6 cohorts – preparing them for the true assessments in May. We have been thoroughly impressed with the level of maturity and resilience shown by all involved. We know everyone is going to really shine in May.

Our “Eggshibition” this week filled my heart with warmth and pride – to see pupils' faces light up with delight as they displayed their spring creations is truly what education is about – to inspire and ignite passion in young minds. Thank you to all who have supported these amazing events. Our Summer term looks to be an even more exciting time, with huge plans, in terms of visits and curriculum content. Our teachers will be in touch to update you on their creative plans.

Please can I encourage every member of our community to be in school every single day. Every moment counts in the education of a young person! To ensure they are as confident as possible to participate, achieve and enjoy all of the events I have detailed above, we must see your young person every single day. Please ensure you are making it to the school gates each morning. We are here to help you!

In sad news, Mrs Jackson, Assistant Principal, has moved on to pastures new to be nearer to home with a young family. Mrs Jackson has had a phenomenal impact during her time at Elements and we are extremely sad to see her go. I am sure you will join me in wishing her all of the best for the future. I am delighted to welcome Mrs Millington to our team at Elements as Assistant Principal. Mrs Millington has previously been part of our Wellspring family and brings a great wealth of expertise to the leadership of Key stage 1. Please read further down to find out more about Mrs Millington.

May I take this opportunity to wish everyone a restful and relaxing Easter break. Please do not forget our inbox at both sites office@elementsprimaryschool.co.uk if you require any support over the Easter break.

Miss Green

Dates for the calendar

Wednesday 29th April – Year 1 Family Fun

W/C 11th May 2026 – Year 6 SATS week

Wednesday 20th May – Year 5 Performance

Wednesday 20th May – Reception Family Fun

Tuesday 9th June – Summer Disco

Tuesday 7th July – Summer Fayre

Tuesday 14th July – Year 6 Leavers
Performance

Hello everyone!

My name is Mrs Millington and I'm very excited to be joining the school community at Elements. I have been teaching for 10 years and my favourite subjects are phonics, writing and science. I really enjoy helping children grow in confidence and discover a love of learning. Outside of school, I love running, reading, and spending time in my garden. I have two children and although we don't have any pets, I would love to have a tortoise one day! I'm really looking forward to getting to know all the children and families and being part of such a wonderful school.





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April 2026

As schools will be closed for the Easter break from 3rd – 20th April 2026 we wanted to contact you to offer some suggestions about where you could access support and advice during that time.

Here are some key contacts.

- Children's Social Work Service: Public contact number: 0113 222 4403.
- Mindmate SPA: 0300 5550324
- Teen Connect Helpline: 0808 8001212 (6pm-2am) 07984436680 (text)
- Childline: 0800 1111 (Freephone)
- Accident and Emergency at Leeds General Infirmary (LGI)
- Police on 999 in an emergency or 101 for non-emergencies
- 112: For all emergency services
- NHS helpline: 111
- National Domestic Violence Helpline: 0808 2000 247 (24 hours a day - freephone)
- Leeds Domestic Violence Service: 0113 246 0401 (24 hours a day)
- Samaritans: 116 123 (24 hours a day – freephone from any phone)
- Trussell Trust Food Bank: Various locations 0113 277 2229
- Hamara Food Bank 0113 2773330
- Family Action: FamilyLine: 0808 802 6666 or 07537 404282 (text)
- Welfare support: 0113 3760330 Weekdays 9am to 5pm
- Leeds Housing Options 0113 222 4412
- Dewsbury Road Family Hub 0113 535 1521

Or visit the following relevant websites:

Mindmate: <https://www.mindmate.org.uk/>

Teen Connect: <https://www.slcs.org.uk/services/connect-helpline/teen-connect/>

Kooth: www.kooth.com

NSPCC: <https://www.nspcc.org.uk/>

Leeds Domestic Violence support: <https://ldvs.uk/>

Or search the following apps:

Headspace

Calm harm

We wish you a happy Easter.

Best Wishes

Beeston, Cottingley and Middleton (BCM) – Cluster Team