



Weekly Newsletter

Spring 2



New term begins
Monday 24th February 2025
Term ends
Friday 4th April 2025

Friday 14.03.2025

Class of the Week



Stars of the Week

Earth: Lily-Rose
Water: Zachary
Air: Kiki
Fire: Darcie



Sleep Problems

See the link below, if you are struggling to settle your child at night. Or want some help with a nighttime routine

[Useful websites | Broadbottom CE \(VC\) Primary School](#)



We are delighted to announce that Broadbottom Primary School has been ranked the number one performing school in Greater Manchester!

Please see attachment or click on the link below:

<https://www.manchesterworld.uk/education/16-best-performing-state-primary-schools-greater-manchester-pupils-key-skills-5026529?page=1>

Attendance this Week

Target 97%

Whole School: 94.70%

Earth: 98.5%

Water: 87.92%

Air: 98.99%

Fire: 92.16%

Mother's Day Market

In one week!

See below, for all the details on this fabulous event and how to purchase daffodils which have been planted by our children!

See attached flyer for local Easter camps.

PARENTS CONSULTATIONS

Wednesday 26th March

Our spring parent consultations will be held after school, as the nights are getting much lighter.

Appointments will go live on ClassDojo on Monday 10. 03.25

FIRE CLASS consultations will take place on Miss Hawkins return

Digital Safeguarding

If you need advice about online harms and imagery, see the link below for support.

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Persistent Absence Data

Recent data from the DFE is ranking Broadbottom as 57th

Our school is hosting an Usborne book Fair

Please see attached flyer for information... Children can come dressed as their favourite book character



EYFS went to Glossop and visited both the police and ambulance stations, followed by lunch in Manor Park



A visitor came to school today to do an assembly for our children on how to keep and maintain healthy teeth and gums.



The 16 best-performing state primary schools in Greater Manchester – where pupils are mastering key skills



By Amber Allott

Published 10th Mar 2025, 17:28 GMT



Comment

Pupils at these high-performing primary schools are acing the basics 🏆

In a city as vast and varied as Greater Manchester, there are near-countless excellent schools for families to choose from – even for the most high-achieving youngsters.

The Government's latest performance figures for state-funded primary schools have now been released. From this data, we've been able to compare how primary schools across the all of the wider city's local authority areas did in the most recent school year, to create a league table of its top performers.

The key figure it's based on is the proportion of each school's pupils who completed Year 6 in the 2023/24 academic year, who met **the government's expected standards in three key areas: reading, writing and maths**. Many schools did incredibly well, but we've narrowed it down to only Greater Manchester's top performers – those with more than 92% of their pupils meeting this important mark. This has given some smaller schools in the surrounding villages the chance to shine, but equally, many city schools with rolls of over 600 pupils have also excelled.

Each school included also had an overall Ofsted rating of 'good' or 'outstanding' [before this measure was recently dropped](#), or, if they've been inspected more recently, had at least 'good' grades across the board. This means that the quality of education provided, student behaviour and attitudes, school leadership and management and student safeguarding were all found to meet or exceed government standards last time the school was inspected.

Here were the 16 Greater Manchester schools that topped the list:



Manchester
WORLD



The 16 highest-performing state secondary schools in Greater Manchester for 2025 – from GCSEs and more

The 15 Greater Manchester secondary schools that are the hardest to get into



1. Broadbottom Church of England Primary School

At the top of the list is a smaller, local authority-maintained Anglican primary school in the village of Broadbottom, Tameside. It has a roll size of about 81, and was formerly rated 'good' overall by Ofsted. In the 2023/24 school year, 100% of its pupils met the government's expected standard in reading, writing, and maths – compared to averages of 60% locally and 61% nationally. | Google

Broadbottom CE (VC) Primary School



"Let your light shine."
Matthew 5:16

Mother's Day MAKERS MARKET

Friday 28th March 2025

2pm - 4:30pm

Broadbottom Primary School, SK14 6BB

WE WILL BE SELLING OUR OWN MOTHER'S DAY
GIFTS THAT HAVE BEEN HAND PLANTED BY OUR
VERY OWN SCHOOL CHILDREN!

OUR DAFFODIL GIFT POTS WILL BE AVAILABLE TO BUY FOR £2. IF
YOU CANNOT ATTEND THE MARKET YOU CAN SEND £2 IN A NAMED
ENVELOPE TO SCHOOL AND YOUR CHILD WILL BRING ONE HOME ON
FRIDAY 28TH MARCH.

You're invited to our

Usborne Book Fair

on 2nd April at 3pm

You'll find us in
the school hall

Our Independent Usborne Partner is
Helena Broadbent

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Here for you

JOIN US THIS EASTER

EASTER CAMPS

WEEK 1: 7TH APRIL-11TH
ST ANNES BUXTON
ST CHARLES HADFIELD
FURNESSVALE COGS FIELD

HAF PLACES

**PARENT PAID
PLACES AVAILABLE**

WEEK 2: 14TH APRIL-17TH
CHAPEL PRIMARY
GAMESLEY PRIMARY
FAIRFIELD ENDOWED
JUNRS

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