Branston Church of England Infant Academy

Event Guide 2026

Debutots Imagination takes you everywhere..	Tuesday 3rd November Little Owls	**Diwali Workshops**: The team from Debutots will join us for two workshops (funded by school) to help bring Diwali celebrations to life for our Little Owls!
	Friday 6th November Whole School	**Harvest Festival** (in school for the children only). As in previous years we are asking for donations of boxes of cereal which will be taken to Branston Community Food Bank to support families and individuals in the local community. Thank you in advance for your support.
	Wednesday 11th November Little Troopers & School Council	**Remembrance Day**: Poppies and various poppy related items such a wrist bands and stationery, are available from the school office during the week of 2nd November. We are very happy for these items to be worn in school. On Tuesday 11th November the whole school participate in a 2 minute silence at 11am. During this time, some pupils who have parents in the armed forces will attend the service at the war memorial in Branston. All our Little Troopers and School Council will also attend a special school service in the afternoon where we join pupils from Branston Junior Academy and Branston Community Academy.
	Friday 13th November Whole School	**Children in Need**: We will be holding a non-uniform day with a suggested **donation of £1** which will go directly to BBC Children in Need. Pudsey ears and spots are welcome, but not essential! We also have our **SPORTS ENRICHMENT DAY** on this day. All the children will be taking part in seated basketball, part of our inclusive sports program!
	Monday 16th November Whole School	**Odd Socks Day**: As part of 'Anti-bullying Week' children are encouraged to wear 'Odd Socks' on Monday 16th November. This links to a special assembly which we will be participating in. There is **NO COST** to this event. We look forward to seeing the children (and staff) in odd socks, the brighter the better!
	Friday 20th November Whole School & Families	**Christingle:** This event will take place at All Saints Church from 2pm. Families are welcome to join us. We will send envelopes for children to collect any donations (50p/£1 denomination would be appreciated) they may wish to make for 'The Children's Society'. On the day we ask that your child **brings an orange** to school. Every child will then make their own Christingle to bring home. Collection will be from church on this day.
	Wednesday 25th November & Wednesday 9th December	**Family Learning Christmas Craft & Cooking:** Join us for two workshops with the Family Learning team. Lots of lovely Christmas themed craft and yummy cooking activities.
	Friday 27th November Whole School	**Non-Uniform Day:** Please bring items of food/drink for our Christmas Hampers. Items will be made into hampers which we will raffle off at our Christmas performances.