

Friday 29th November



Mrs Perry-Hodge's weekly update

This week, we have been looking at writing across the school and both Mrs Harris and I have been delighted with the progress of the children's work we have seen. In EYFS, the children have been listening to, drawing and writing about 'The Gingerbread Man'. Their imaginations were in full flight, creating their own characters, such as Mr Stinky Cheeseman, and writing their own sentences independently. Very impressive! In year one, children have been reading and writing about Stickman - describing him in 'Missing' posters, and in year two, responding to 'Last Stop on the Reindeer Express', writing postcards to friends as the main character. In all classes, children have been 'word bathing': acting out key words to describe their stories, enhancing and developing their vocabularies. It was great fun for them - and for us to see! Ask your children their words and actions.

As a school, we have been focussing more on handwriting as when children can write in a fluent style, they are then able to focus their efforts on composition. It has been lovely to see the children's concentration as they copy shapes in the air, from an animation, to classical music and what terrific 'Work Well Bears' they are all being by practising and improving. Well done all!

Bromley Bear award for brilliant behaviour at lunchtimes -

<u>EYFS</u>	<u>Year 1</u>	<u>Year 2</u>
Henry W	Eve	Freddie S

Our Three Golden Rules

We are respectful.

We are ready to learn.

We walk proudly.

Our 'Star Learners' are selected each week for outstanding behaviour and attitudes, having demonstrated our three rules at all points and been 'the best that we can be'. A huge well done and thank you to -

Evie (Dolphins)

Harry (Leopards)

Finlay (Lions)

Arabella (Penguins)

Hallie (Zebra)

Lennon (Giraffe)



The following children have been recognised as having been working especially hard this week to be 'the best that we can be'. Our Bromley Bears support children in developing personal attributes, with the aim of making successful lifelong learners.

<u>Giraffe class</u>	<u>Zebra class</u>	<u>Lion class</u>	<u>Penguin class</u>	<u>Leopard class</u>	<u>Dolphin class</u>
Eira Try New Things Bear	Sartaaj Work Well Bear	Thea Keep Going Bear	TJ Challenge Yourself Bear	Freddie S Work Well Bear	Freddie T Challenge Yourself Bear
Darcie Work Well Bear	Ottillie Challenge Yourself Bear	AJ Concentrate Bear	Sara Understand Others Bear	Beau Concentrate Bear	Faye Concentrate Bear



DATES FOR DIARIES

Tuesday 3rd-Thursday 5th December	Friends of School 'Elfridges'
Friday 6th December (after school)	BHI and BHJ Christmas Fayre NON SCHOOL UNIFORM DAY (<i>tombola donations</i>)
Tuesday 10th December	Christmas lunch
Thursday 12th December	Y2 Christmas performance at Avonmere Care Home
Friday 13th December	EYFS Christmas production (9:30)
Monday 16th December	Y1 Christmas production (2pm)
Tuesday 17th December	Y2 Christmas production (5pm)
Wednesday 18th December	EYFS and KS1 Christmas celebration for grandparents (EYFS: 9:15; Y1: 10:30; Y2: 2:00)
Thursday 19th December	Class Christmas parties
Friday 20th December	End T2
Monday 6th January	Start T3
Friday 10th January 2:45	Y2 curriculum meeting (parents)
Wednesday 15th January	Y1 trip to Aerospace
Friday 17th January 2:45	Y1 curriculum meeting (parents)
Friday 24th January 2:45	EYFS writing workshop (parents)
Friday 14th February	End T3
Monday 24th February	Start T4

Christmas performance tickets

This year we will not be sending out tickets for Christmas productions. Each family will have two seats for the production their child is (or children are) in and so you just need to give your child's name on arrival. For the productions to grandparents, each child will again be allocated two seats and this will work in the same way.

Examples of writing - Giraffe and Zebra

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Drawing Club: The Gingerbread Man
The Stinky Cheese Man

Name Primitivise



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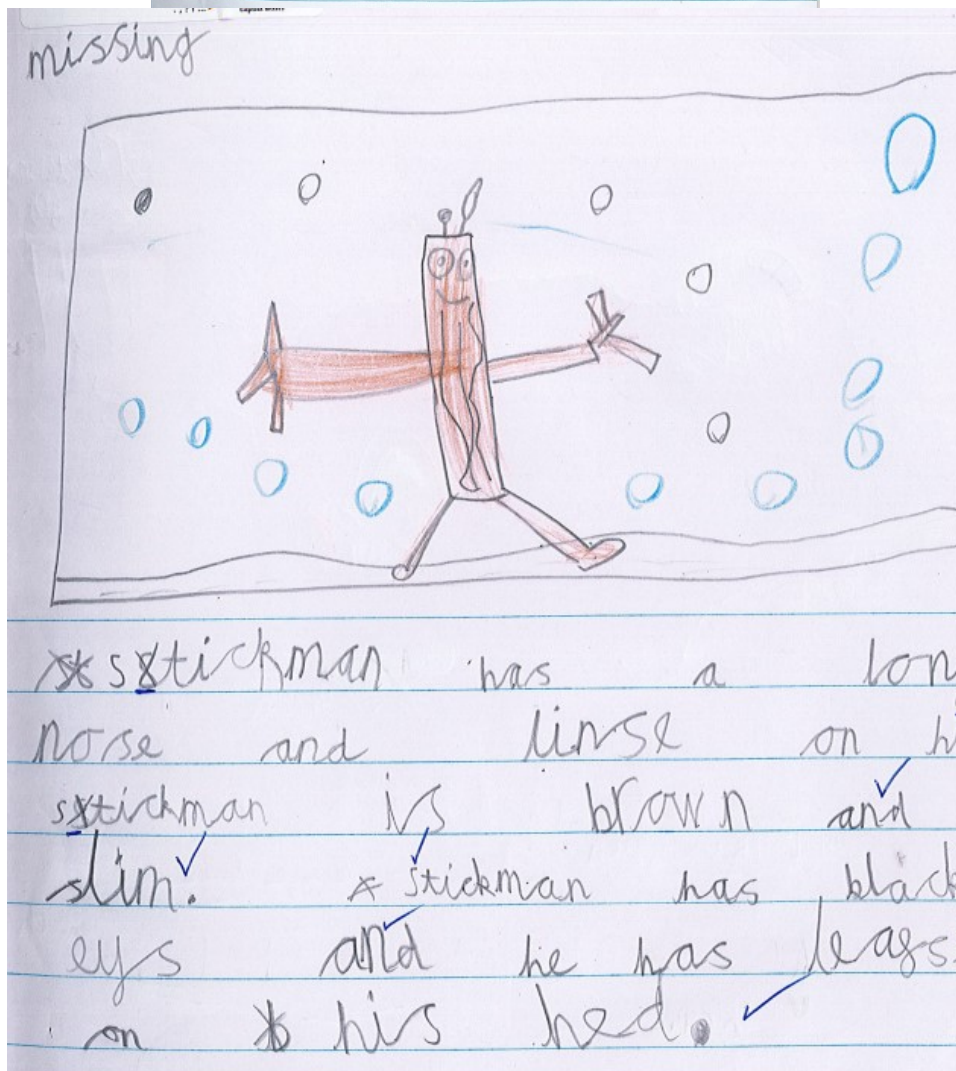
Name Grace



Examples of writing - Lion and Penguin



Keziah



Harry

Examples of writing - Leopard and Dolphin

Erin and Thomas

Freddie T and Jasper

In year two, they use blue pens to self-edit.

28.11.24
L.O. I can write a postcard to a friend in the character of Mia.



Pp

'called'

Dear Poppy

I want to tell you all about the most amazing adventure I've had. First I saw a beautiful & Colourful post office. When I walked in I saw a cheery old lady. Now Poppy lish cegly. The lady asked me to go to the door and go in it. So I did ^{what} ~~at~~ the lady said ^{and} it was an amazing time!



You have been a Challenge yourself bear!

28.11.24
L.O. I can write a postcard to a friend in the character of Mia.



Red words

Dear Lily,
Today I have had a brilliant day in fact the best day in my life! First, I walked into a magnificent post office and a cheery old lady gave me a carrot. Next I hopped onto a reindeer and I flew over ~~the~~ ^{the} boats.

28.11.24
L.O. I can write a postcard to a friend in the character of Mia.



Dear Mamma and Dad, Wow! I have had a wonderful day. We started by seeing a red, nice post box. And a few minutes later I saw a magnificent coal and colourful reindeer and then I climbed on its back. Then the reindeer went soaring up into the sky. Next we saw bobbing boats with chimney smoke. Finally the reindeer nudged Mia me just to pay attention that we have to go home.



Wow! Excellent concentration.

Dear Milo + Luna
Can you believe what a day I've had! At first I went and saw a post box and a few minutes later I was soaring in the beautiful sky on a reindeer! Afterwards I landed on a lovely landscape it was so snowy. Soon I spotted a loge it looked very so I went in. Dad Daddy! My daddy was in there. Suddenly the reindeer nudged the door.





Friends of School
Presents.....

Elfridges

Our Christmas Pop-up shop!

For just £4 per gift your child can select a present for someone special in their life. We will help them wrap and tag all ready to place under the tree for Christmas morning!

TO TAKE PART SIGN UP VIA THE PTA EVENTS PAGE
WWW.PTA-EVENTS.CO.UK/FRIENDSOFBROMLEYHEATHINFANTSCHOOL

£4 per gift
3 gift limit
Deadline for orders 23rd November



Bromley Heath Infants
Friends of School

Letter from Santa

Personalised letter to your child all the way from the North Pole. Presented on Santa's very own Christmas stationery, hand delivered before the end of term.

To order your child's letter please visit the PTA events page and choose from one of the two options.

www.pta-events.co.uk/friendsofbromleyheathinfantschool
£3 per letter
Please order by 29th November

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Bromley Heath Infant School
'Be the best we can be'



Wrap Around Care



Koala club booking is available for booking for all year groups - please use the Arbor app to book. This runs from 7:45 for breakfast and until 6 for tea club Mondays to Thursdays.

TERM 2 CLUBS



All after school clubs for Term 2 are now live on our website and ready to book.

Please book ASAP as all spaces are first come first served with many of our clubs reaching full capacity. **Our clubs will start week commencing 4th November and will NOT run on the last week of term (last session Friday 13th December).**

Please use the below link to book your child a space:

<https://www.signaturesportscoaching.co.uk/after-school-clubs-bristol>

Term 2 Clubs

Monday - Ball Sports (Year 1 & 2)

Wednesdays - Multi-Sports (Reception, Year 1 & 2)

Thursday - Gymnastics (Year 1 & 2)

Friday - Dance (Reception, Year 1 & 2)



Our Art club, run by local artist Catherine Williams, takes place on Mondays, starting 4th November for children in year one and two, and will run for 7 weeks (last session Monday 16th December).

The cost for the club is £5 a session so £35 for the term for 7 sessions (this cost includes all materials).

There will be a maximum of 15 children for this club, and they will take part in a different project each week that they will complete and take home; these change each term.

To book, please contact Catherine Williams using the following email:

catherinewilliamsprintmaker@gmail.com address or by calling 07966 328525 for details.

Her website is <http://www.catherinewilliams.co.uk/the-artist/>



<https://www.fun-science.org.uk/bheath-t2-25>

To book the Fun Science club (Years 1 and 2) please access the booking page via the above link.

In Term 2 the sessions will start from Friday 15th November (as we have an Inset Day on Friday 8th November) and will run through until Friday 20th December.