

Friday 20th December



Mrs Perry-Hodge's weekly update

We are all so proud of the children this week, who all performed their year group's nativity brilliantly. Year One's 'A Twinkly Nativity' lived up to its name, complete with light up stars and glow-sticks; several children also sang solos or duets. The year twos 'A King is Born' was equally impressive, featuring some great acting and performances. In both, the children sang and danced beautifully, with smiles and enthusiasm; the costumes were terrific, and both featured an orchestra providing accompaniment and sound effects. It was very lovely to perform all three again, including the EYFS 'Snuggle Up Stable', to grandparents and other family members, and to chat to these important people in the children's lives. Thank you again to all the teachers for their producing and directing skills, and to support staff, whether making costumes, practising lines or putting out chairs and welcoming families. Yesterday, the children enjoyed a Christmas carol sing-along in the hall followed by class parties. Today, following our celebration assembly, it seemed - after all the excitement - that we might need a little down time, and today classes have had extra play project time (with a Christmas theme!)

From all of us at BHI, we wish you a very merry Christmas and a happy new year. See you in 2025!

Bromley Bear award for brilliant behaviour at lunchtimes -

<u>EYFS</u>	<u>Year 1</u>	<u>Year 2</u>
Harrison	Charlie G	Evie

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 -

Jasper (Dolphins)

Elsie (Leopards)

James (Lions)

Eve (Penguins)

Tanay (Zebra)

Adam and Albie (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>
Benji Try New Things Bear	Max Challenge Yourself Bear	Willow Concentrate Bear	Joshua S Concentrate Bear	Aubrey Work Well Bear	Evie Improve Bear
Frida Imagine Bear	Rory Try New Things Bear	Hannah Understand Others Bear	Finlay B Challenge Yourself Bear	Maja Imagine Bear	Lyla Work Well Bear



Year One Nativity - 'A Twinkly Nativity'



Year two Nativity - A King is Born



DATES FOR DIARIES

Monday 6th January 2025	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)
Tuesday 21st January	Catching and Throwing Festival (after school at Mangotsfield Secondary)
Friday 24th January 2:30	EYFS writing workshop (parents)
Friday 31st January 2:45	EYFS phonics lesson/ workshop with parents
Wednesday 5th February	Y1 'Time to Shine' to families
Friday 7th February 2:30	Y2 'Time to Shine' to families
Friday 14th February	End T3
Monday 24th February	Start T4
w/c 24th February	Science week
w/c 3rd March	Book week (Thursday - world book day)
Friday 7th March	EYFS maths workshop
Monday 10th-11th March	Infant Agility with Y5
Thursday 13th March	Y1 trip - Noah's Arc Zoo Farm
Monday 17th March 14:30	Y1 open afternoon
Wednesday 19th March 14:30	Giraffe class assembly
Thursday 20th March 14:30	Zebra class assembly
Friday 21st March 14:30	Y2 open afternoon
Friday 4th April	End term 4
Tuesday 22nd April	Start term 5



<https://www.fun-science.org.uk/bheath-t3-25>

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

In Term 3 the sessions will start from Friday 10th January and will run for six weeks, with the last session on Friday 14th February.

Signature Sports Clubs in Term 3

Monday – Y1 & Y2 Ball Games

Tuesday – Reception, Y1 & Y2 Athletics

Weds - Reception, Y1 & Y2 Multi-Sports

Thursday – Y1 & Y2 Gymnastics

Friday - Reception, Y1 & Y2 Dance



All bookings can be made via <https://www.signaturesportscoaching.co.uk/category/bromley-heath-infants-school> from Friday 6th December

Signature Sports Clubs will start the week commencing 6th January 2025 and will run for six weeks, with the last session on Friday 14th February 2025.



Our Art club, run by local artist Catherine Williams, takes place on Mondays, starting 6th January 2025 for children in year one and two, and will run for 6 weeks (last session Monday 10th February 2025).

The cost for the club is £5 a session so £30 for the term for 6 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/>