



Mrs Perry-Hodge's weekly update

It's beginning to look, and sound, a lot like Christmas at BHI. All year groups have been practising Christmas plays for their productions, which this year we have decided to do in full twice: once to parents and once to grandparents. Mrs Dickson has been leading singing assembly, with the children having learnt some Christmas songs to perform at the fayre this afternoon. Due to bad weather, this will be in the hall at 4 - and if lots of people come to listen, we will simply do two performances, one straight afterwards at 4:10 so that it is not too much of a squash. EYFS have also been creative in art - drawing step by step Christmas trees as well as self-portraits. In year one, the children have been innovating their own Stickman stories in English as well as designing a sack for him in DT, and in year two, they have been innovating stories based on 'Last Stop on the Reindeer Express'.

Year one also enjoyed the Christmas Experience, run by the Christchurch team at the scout hut: they listened to the Christmas story and then visited stations, which all told a part of it reflecting on themes such as overcoming challenges, respect for all, the importance of giving and why Christmas is important to so many people.

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 -

Riley (Dolphins)

Gwen (Leopards)

Euan (Lions)

Charlie G (Penguins)

George T (Zebra)

Ella (Giraffe)



Bromley Bear award for brilliant behaviour at lunchtimes -

<u>EYFS</u>	<u>Year 1</u>	<u>Year 2</u>
Elise	Harley	Beau D

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>
Timothy Concentrate Bear	Finley M Work Well Bear	Jessie F Try New Things	Esme Work Well Bear	George Work Well Bear	Jaxon Improve Bear
Esme Try New Things Bear	Elise Challenge Yourself Bear	Cameron Concentrate Bear	Keziah Challenge Yourself Bear	Darcey Challenge Yourself Bear	Brooke 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



Year One at the 'Christmas Experience'. Thank you to the Christchurch team - and for the great puppet assembly!





NON UNIFORM DAY

Come to school in Non Uniform on Friday 6th December, in exchange for a prize for the infant tombola.

Drop off your donation at the front of the building at drop off on the 6th December.

Donatable items include but are not limited too:-
 Chocolate, Biscuits or Crisps
 Non alcoholic drinks
 Unwanted gifts
 Toiletries etc

All items donated must be non alcoholic and unopened please.

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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 Friends of School
 Bromley Heath Infant School
 Be the best we can be



<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/>