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Friday 10th January



Mrs Perry-Hodge's weekly update

A chilly, but productive first week of 2025 at BHI!

In EYFS, their week has been all about Fred (their phonics frog): they had a 5th birthday party; designed birthday cakes and biscuits topped with five candles or objects and learnt to draw frogs, step by step. In year one, the children's learning has been out of this world! They have been learning actions and words for their own version of 'The Way Back Home' and starting their learning about space in science. In their book club sessions, they have read further stories about non-fiction books all set in, or about, space. They have also revisited previous science learning about seasons (perfect weather for this!) - we always start new units by recapping existing knowledge to help it stick. Year two have been equally busy: the children are very enthusiastic about this term's key text 'The Tin Forest' and have been immersed in fantastic vocabulary, inspiring their own class version with descriptive language and actions. In their reading lesson today, they focussed on using inference to explain the main character's feelings and actions: this is a key skill that they will be working on over the next two terms and something they can also work on at home when reading to you. Like year one, they have also started their science unit (on materials) and are considering skills that scientists need to be successful (this week observation) - perhaps their lab coats are helping with this, as well as to make those sessions special!

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 -

Megan (Dolphins)

Francesca (Leopards)

AJ (Lions)

Lilly (Penguins)

Otis (Zebra)

Harrison (Giraffe)



Bromley Bear award for brilliant behaviour at lunchtimes -

<u>EYFS</u>	<u>Year 1</u>	<u>Year 2</u>
George B	George S	Sophie

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>
Harrison Concentrate Bear	Henry W Imagine Bear	Millie Challenge Yourself Bear	Jacob T Concentrate Bear	Harry Concentrate Bear	Lewis Challenge Yourself Bear
Grace P Understand Others Bear	Angel Concentrate Bear	Reggie Concentrate Bear	Ned Work Well Bear	Amy Concentrate Bear	Grace Work Well Bear

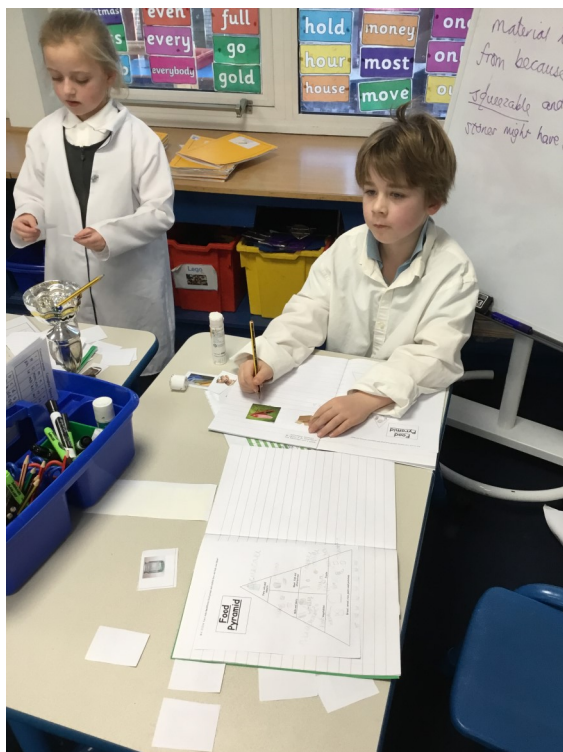




**Year One - experimenting
mixing primary colours in art**



Scientists in year two – observations in lab coats!



Friends of School updates



We would like to invite you to our

Mother's Day Pamper Evening

Friday 28th March, 7pm until 10pm
Bromley Heath Infants Hall

Join us in celebrating Mother's Day. Browse our stall's, relax with a treatment or just enjoy a drink with friends and family.

Tickets are £7.50 and include the entrance fee, a drink at the bar and a raffle ticket. Please note this is an adult only event.

Grab your ticket here

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FRIENDS OF SCHOOL PRESENTS

**INFANTS ONLY
DROP OFF EVENT**

*Valentine's
Dance*

**@BROMLEY HEATH INFANTS HALL
FRIDAY 14TH FEBRUARY
DROP OFF 4.45PM
PICK UP 6PM
£5 PER TICKET**

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**INCLUDES ENTRANCE, CRISPS AND CHOCOLATE BAR.
PLEASE BRING OWN FILLED NAMED WATER BOTTLE.**

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DATES FOR DIARIES

Tuesday 14th January 3:20	New library grand opening (see email for details)
Wednesday 15th January	Y1 trip to Aerospace
Tuesday 21st January	Catching and Throwing Festival (after school at Mangotsfield Secondary)
Thursday 23rd January 2:45	Y1 curriculum meeting (parents) PLEASE NOTE THIS IS A CHANGE OF DATE
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
Wednesday 26th February	Year two 'Bristol Zoo Project' trip
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/>