



Bryony School Newsletter

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Welcome Back !

The first full week back in school after the Christmas break always feels like a particularly long one! It has been lovely though to see how quickly the children have settled and the learning that has been taking place. It has also been wonderful to share our recent Ofsted outcome.



The report can be found here,

<https://www.bryonyschool.org.uk/home/about-us/home-about-us-ofsted/>

Please see the ParentMail that was sent earlier this week for more in depth feedback.

Many thanks to all of the staff, parents and children for the continued hard work and support that takes place, not just when the inspectors were in school but at all times.

Mrs Gee

Head Teacher

New House Captains



Kiye - Sapphire



Robson - Zircon



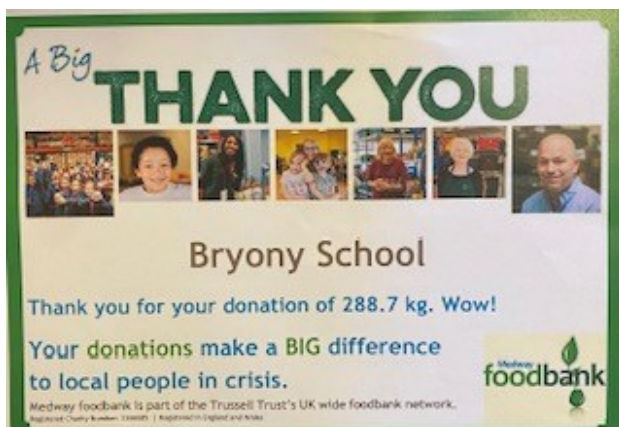
Safal - Ruby



Amy - Emerald

Medway Foodbank

We received a 'Thank You' this week from the Medway Foodbank for your generous donations.



Singing for Charity

We received a certificate and thank you from the team at Demelza for the money raised by our school choir singing Christmas Carols at Hempstead Valley last month.



Demelza
Hospice Care for Children



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Science



In Science this week Year 2 have been testing different properties of a range of objects.
Mrs Dyne

"We poured water onto the plastic glove and saw if it went through".

Mireya

"We tested to see if objects were transparent or opaque".

Evelyn



"To make it a fair test we measured it and put the same amount of water on them".

Austin

Maggie

"We all had lots of fun and we saw if things were waterproof or not".

Drama4All



This week, the children enjoyed a drama workshop with Matt from 'Perform'.

"We were at the circus and had to help the clown find his smile!" - **Zara**

"I enjoyed being a juggler and making a clown face!" - **Obarinsola**

"I thought it was funny watching the clown". - **Jack**

"I liked it when we pretended to eat the clowns chocolate cake!" - **Evelyn**



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Measuring Maths

As Christmas homework the children were asked to improve their measuring skills by doing some cooking.



Here is **Bella** from year 4 doing her homework.



Going for Gold!

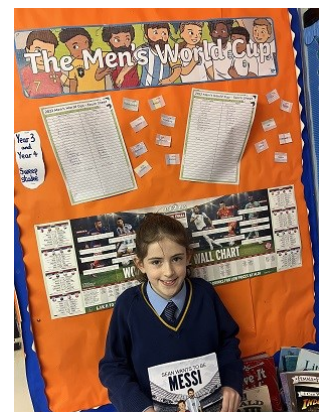
In year 3 we are learning about division and Tommy was not very well so couldn't come to school. He got his chocolate bars out and did lots of division calculations sharing out his bars with his family. This was great maths learning. **Well done Tommy!**



Sweepstake Winner

Between the year 3 and year 4 children we did a World Cup sweepstake.

The child who drew Argentina was **Sienna** from year 4 and she won an inspirational story book about **Messi**.



Junior Lunch Time Clubs

Day of the Week	Lunchtime/ After School	Type of Club	How to Sign Up	Teacher
Monday	Lunchtime	Library	See Mrs Foot	Mrs Foot
Monday	After School	Young Voices Choir	Ongoing	Mr Johnson
Tuesday	After School	Archery	Via ParentMail	Mrs Atkins
Wednesday	Lunchtime	Homework	See Mrs Foot	Mrs Foot
Wednesday	Lunchtime	Art and Mindfulness	Ongoing	Mrs Kilbourne
Thursday	Lunchtime	Construction	See Mrs Foot	Mrs Foot
Thursday	After School	Young Voices Choir	Ongoing	Mr Johnson
Friday	Lunchtime	Choir	Via ParentMail	Mrs Foot

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Online Safety

Here is a poster with some great advice to help you and your children stay safe while online.

<https://nationalonlinesafety.com/wakeupwednesday>



Reminders

Uniform

Uniform is available at **Schooltime**
23 Railway Street, Chatham ME4 4HU.
01634 831684 or order online at:
<https://schooltime.co.uk>

We are aware of some stock delays and with this in mind suggest that you telephone the shop before visiting.

Morning and After School Care

If you require morning or after school care please complete the ParentMail form, in advance.

Diary Dates

January

Monday 16th - Tuesday 17th - Course 2 Bikeability (Yr 6)

Thursday 19th - MYG Swimming , Medway Park

Friday 20th - Young Voices Concert at the O2

Monday 23rd - Tuesday 24th - Course 3 Bikeability (Yr 6)

Thursday 26th - Year 6 Swimming, Medway Park

Thursday 26th - Year 5 & 6 PSG Sports Hall Athletics Festival, Medway Park

February

Thursday 2nd - Year 3 & 4 PSG Sports Hall Athletics Festival, Medway Park

Thursday 2nd - Year 6 Swimming , Medway Park

Monday 6th - Sunday 12th - Place2Be Childs Mental Health Week

Tuesday 7th - Safer Internet Day

Thursday 9th - Year 6 Swimming, Medway Park

Thursday 9th - MYG Table Tennis, Medway Park

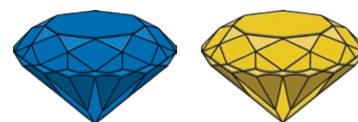
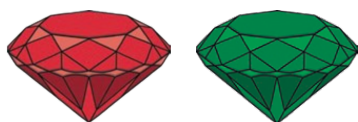
Monday 13th - Friday 17th - Spring Half Term

Monday 20th - Second Half of Spring Term Begins

Thursday 23rd - Year & 4 HSSP Multi Skills Festival , Howard School

Thursday 23rd - Year 6 Swimming, Medway Park

Friday 24th - Year 6 Visit to Sky Studios Osterley



Weekly House Point Scores.

<u><i>Place</i></u>	<u><i>House Team</i></u>	<u><i>Total Points</i></u>
<i>1st</i>	<i>Zircon</i>	<i>335</i>
<i>2nd</i>	<i>Emerald</i>	<i>334</i>
<i>3rd</i>	<i>Ruby</i>	<i>289</i>
<i>4th</i>	<i>Sapphire</i>	<i>239</i>

It's the start of a new term and that means a new House Point Table..
Who will win the prize at the end of term 4?

*Sapphire, Zircon,
Ruby, or Emerald*

Running House Point Scores.

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**HAPPY
BIRTHDAY**



**Congratulations and best wishes to:-
Austin & Jeevat
who celebrate their birthdays this week !**



Last week of Spelling Shed results, who will be top next term?

Year 1: 1st - **Obarinsola**
2nd - **Milan**
3rd - **London-Olivia**

Year 2 : 1st - **Evelyn**
2nd - **Laith**
3rd - **Jack**

Year 3 : 1st - **Lyla**
2nd - **Avery**
3rd - **David**

Year 4 : 1st - **Rosie**
2nd - **Joshua**
3rd - **Ava**

Year 5 : 1st - **Angela**
2nd - **Shaarav**
3rd - **Jeevat**

Year 6 : 1st - **Bridget**
2nd - **Alfie**
3rd - **Jadesola**

Well done to those who have been learning your spellings on **Spelling Shed**. We have got a full house this week, great work everyone!



Don't forget to sign in to MathShed for a place in the top 3!

Year 1 : 1st - **Roman**
2nd - **Milan**

Year 2 : 1st - **Evelyn**

Year 3 : 1st - **Lyla**
2nd - **Avery**
3rd - **Charlotte**

Year 4 : 1st - **Ava**

Year 5 : 1st - **Angela**
2nd - **Shaarav**
3rd - **Brendan**

Year 6 : 1st - **Gracie**
2nd - **Bridget**
3rd - **Josh**

Well done to all those who signed into **MathShed** this week.