



Bryony School Newsletter

Spring Term

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Welcome Back - Term 2

Dear Parents

We hope you all had a wonderful Christmas and New Year and managed to find some time for some much deserved rest and relaxation. It's certainly been a rather chilly return to Bryony, hopefully the weather will start to warm soon!

It has been a busy first week back and the recent festivities already seem quite a long time ago! Years 3 and 5 have enjoyed ICT lessons at the infant site, with year 4 and 6 going over next week.

Years 3 and 4 have been very lucky to have their first Latin American dance lesson with Miss Hills.

Bryony Staff would like to wish all of our families a very happy and peaceful New Year

Mrs Gee

Art & Mindfulness Club

Mrs Kilbourne has been running an Art and Mindfulness club during the school lunchtime break.

Here are some of the children's bag designs that they made last term!

The bags look fantastic! Well done everyone!



Latin American Dance

Miss Hills took Year 3 and 4 for PE. The children were taught their first Latin American dance lesson.

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Extra Curricular Activities



Katarina in Year 1 has been awarded an Emerald Gymnastics certificate and medal from her gymnastics club. Katarina said that she had to work hard to get it, but that it was worth it.

Well done **Katarina!**



A huge well done to **Olivia -Grace** from Year 5 for her Double Mini Trampoline (DMT) success last term.

Olivia-Grace achieved **1st place** at the DMT Inter County Semi-Finals in October and **1st place** in the DMT Inter County 2024 Finals in November!

As well as the first places in DMT **Olivia-Grace** also came **3rd place**, winning another trophy, at the Trampoline Inter County 2024 Finals in November !



Young Cooks

Social Enterprise Kent are running a Young Cooks cooking competition for pupils aged 6 to 19 years old.

The deadline for entries is **31st January 2025**. For further details and to enter please scan the adjacent QR code or visit :

<http://www.sekgroup.org.uk/support/sekschools/young-cooks-competition>

SEK Schools

A BETTER MEDWAY
Easier ways to be healthy

Young Cooks!

Medway Food Partnership

Do you have what it takes to be crowned the next Young Cooks Champion?

Are you aged 6 - 19? Do you have a flair for flavours and a passion for cooking?

You are invited to take part in our Young Cooks cookery competition with a live final at Mid Kent College and the winners receiving a share of £500!

In addition, a finalist will be selected to cook at a Showcase Lunch and may have the opportunity to attend a masterclass!

Close Date 31st January 2025

Scan or visit for more details & entry

Enter Here

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Reminders

Junior Clubs

Please look out for information sent over the holidays via ParentMail regarding our Junior afterschool and lunchtime clubs.

Uniform

Please make sure your child returns to school wearing the correct uniform. Uniform is available at **Schooltime, Chatham**
<https://schooltime.co.uk>

Academic Diary

Our academic diary is on our website. Please scan the QR code to view it.



Morning and After School Care

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

Diary Dates

January

Monday 13th - Early Years & KS1 Drama4All Workshop

Monday 13th - KS2 Drama4All Workshop

Tuesday 14th - Year 6 Swimming, Medway Park

Friday 17th - MYG Swimming, Medway Park

Tuesday 21st - Young Voices Concert at the O2

Thursday 23rd - Year 5 & 6 PSG Sports Hall Athletics, Howard School

Friday 24th - (Robert) Burns Night Assemblies

Tuesday 28th - Year 6 Swimming, Medway Park

Thursday 30th - Year 3 & 4 PSG Sports Hall Athletics, Medway Park

Junior Clubs

Day of the Week	Lunchtime/ After School	Type of Club	How to Sign Up	Teacher
Monday	Lunchtime	Crochet Club	Via Parentmail	Ms Jug and Mrs King
Monday	After School	Archery	Parentmail	Mrs Atkins
Tuesday	After School	Young Voices Choir Years 4 to 6	Via Parentmail	Mr Johnson
Wednesday	Lunchtime	Art and Mindfulness	Mrs Kilbourne	Mrs Kilbourne



Congratulations and best wishes to:-

Cooper, Penny, Aleezay & Keanu

who celebrate their birthdays this week !

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Practising your spellings will always help you when you have your spelling tests...

Year 1 : 1st - **Sybil**

Year 2 : 1st - **Shawn**
2nd - **Rihanna**
3rd - **Ted**

Year 3 : 1st - **Obarinsola**
2nd - **Beau**
3rd - **Grayson**

Year 4 : 1st - **Evelyn**
2nd - **Rachel**
3rd - **Jovan**

Year 5 : 1st - **Alicia**

Year 6 : 1st - **Olivia**

Well done to all the children who used the **SpellingShed** program. We would like to see all children from Year 1 upwards practising their spellings next week!



The more you practise the better you will become!

Year 2 : 1st - **Shawn**
2nd - **Ted**

Year : 3 1st - **Hollie**

Year 4 : 1st - **Evelyn**
2nd - **Rachel**
3rd - **Siobhan**

Year 6 : 1st - **Olivia**

MathShed is a great way to help you learn and practice your Math skills. Hopefully we will see a few more children logging in this week and making it too the top 3! Good luck all of you!



Weekly House Point Scores.

<u>Place</u>	<u>House Team</u>	<u>Total Points</u>
1st	Sapphire	499
2nd	Emerald	431
3rd	Ruby	214
3rd	Zircon	201

Running House Point Scores.

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