

## Bryony School Newsletter Spring Term Issue 124 - 7th March 2025

#### Year 4 Topic Homework

Year 4 have been busy over the half term holidays.

As part of their topic work, they have prepared amazing models of volcanoes!



We can't wait to erupt them in class.









Year 5 have been looking at properties of materials.

For their homework, they were tasked to create their own bag with the special property that it would keep their water bottle cold.

Look at some of their amazing designs!

Miss Jug







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## Bryony School Newsletter - Issue 124 (7/3/2025) KS1 Multi Skills Festival

This week a team of children from years 1 & 2 took part in the Primary school games Multi skills festival at The hundred of Hoo Academy. Multi skills has a 'Physical ME' outcome which develops physical skills and movements of the body.

There were 2 teams of children consisting of 3 boys and 3 girls. They had to complete 12 'skill stations' that tested their speed, accuracy and coordination. Each child had 30 seconds to complete their skill. The

children achieved lots of silver certificate awards, some bronze certificate awards and **George** and **Wynter** achieved gold certificate awards.

We were very proud of all the children. They each tried their very best and had a fun and enjoyable morning.

A special mention must go to **Ted** and **Emily** who came away with '**Endeavour Awards**' This award is given to the boy and girl in the team who showed great sportsmanship, encouragement, good behaviour and focus. Well done to you all for a great morning of sport!

#### Mrs Apps & Mrs Twigg





#### **MYG Table Tennis**

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The MYG table tennis cup result has been revised due to incorrect input of scores by the hosts. We have now been promoted to **second place out of all schools in the competition** which means we will receive a trophy and the children will receive second place medals. A well deserved result – well done! **Mr Johnson** 













## Bryony School Newsletter - Issue 124 (7/3/2025) World Book Day 2025



The weather warmed up and the sun shone for our World Book Day celebrations at Bryony School.

All the children (and the staff ) looked absolutely amazing as they came into school dressed as their favourite book character!!

Mrs Gee has had a great response to the competition for photos of the most interesting places or ways that the children are reading.

The entries will be judged after the close of day today and the winners will be announced in next weeks assemblies!





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Activities at the infants for World Book Day included making ladybirds out of mud craft in the forest area and drew maps on the playground getting their inspiration from *'What the Ladybird heard'* book by Julia Donaldson. Some of the children read in the book area whilst others took part in the lovely arts and crafts in the hall.



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During World Book Day, Year 3 and 4 enjoyed playing Fairy Tale freeze frames in Drama which included Snow White, Alice in Wonderland and The Three Little Pigs. During the afternoon, the Juniors participated in an Inter-House Book Quiz where the children answered general knowledge questions about books, as well as guessing the story titles and their authors from silhouettes picture clues. The entries have been marked and the winners will be announced on Monday!

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#### **KS1 Practical Maths**



In maths this week, Year 1 and 2 have been looking at measurement.

The children worked in small groups trying to find the best way to measure the length of the school hall with only two metre sticks.

The children worked fabulously together, and we discovered that some methods didn't work as well as others! The children then worked as a whole class to put themselves in order of shoe length.



## Bryony School Newsletter - Issue 124 (7/3/2025) Year 3 Science

Year 3 are learning about light and how we see things.

This week, they were taking a closer look at how mirrors work. They explored how mirrors reflect the reverse image and what would happen if you placed two mirrors together to reflect off each other.

Miss Jug













#### **Art & Mindfulness**

We have been making Pom-Poms in the lunchtime club this week!





## Bryony School Newsletter - Issue 124 (7/3/2025) Year 6 Home Learning Projects

Year 6 have made some beautiful home learning projects! Look at the amazing lung models they made last term and the fantastic family trees they made this term. **Miss Jug** 



#### The Dogs Trust

Last year you may recall the wonderful fun and informative Dog Safety Workshops we had from Phillip at The Dogs Trust. They have set up some Dog School Classes locally and have asked us to share this with you..

Do you struggle to get your dog to come back to you when you call them? Tired of them pulling you around on a walk? Why not come along to Dog School classes at our rehoming centre (between Canterbury and Whitstable) for fun and affordable training that will help you have happier walks with your dog! In our fun four-week courses or our specialised 1-2-1's you'll learn to train your dog to come back when called, enjoy walks with-

out them pulling you over, say hi to people without leaving muddy paw prints and so much more If you're interested, find out more and book here <u>https://</u> <u>www.dogstrust.org.uk/dog-advice/dog-</u> <u>school/kent</u>











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

Year 1 :	2nd -	Sybil Katarina Emily
Year 2 :		Shawn Isaac Ted
Year 3 :	2nd -	Obarinsola Hollie Leah
Year 4 :	2nd -	Rachel Evelyn Siobhan
Year 5 :		Vlara Amira Lyla
Year 6 :	2nd -	Sienna Joshua Safet

Fantastic to see so many making use of the **SpellingShed** program. Well done!

The more you practise the better you will become!

Year 1 :	1st - <b>Sybil</b> 2nd - <b>Emily</b>
Year 2 :	1st - <b>Shawn</b> 2nd - <b>Ted</b> 3rd - <b>George</b>
Year 3 :	1st - Thomas
Year 4 :	1st - <b>Evelyn</b> 2nd - <b>Siobhan</b> 3rd - <b>Rachel</b>
Year 5 :	1st - <b>Lyla</b> 2nd - <b>Clara</b> 3rd - <b>Alicia</b>
Year 6 :	1st - <b>Safet</b> 2nd - <b>Olivia</b> 3rd - <b>Sienna</b>
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**MathShed** is a great way to help you learn and practise your Maths skills. Well done to all those who are using the program.

## Bryony School Newsletter - Issue 124 (7/3/2025) Reminders Diary Dates

#### Uniform

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

### Morning and After School Care

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

### **Academic Diary**

Our updated academic diary is on our website.



Please scan the QR code to view the academic diary.

## March

Friday 7th-16th - British Science Week Change & Adapt

Tuesday 11th - Year 6 Swimming, Medway Park

Tuesday 18th - Pre-school & Reception Parents' Evening

Tuesday 18th - Year 5&6 HSSP BEE Netball, Rainham School for Girls

Tuesday 18th - Year 6 Swimming, Medway Park

Thursday 20th - Years 3-6 Medway Schools Dance Festival, The Glass Theatre, Mid Kent College

Friday 21st - Red Nose Day - Do Something Funny for Money

Tuesday 25th - Year 6 Swimming, Medway Park

Thursday 27th - Year 5 & 6, Medway PSG Girls Only Football Festival, Howard School PSA 3G Pitches

#### Type of Club Day of the Lunchtime/ How to Sign Up Teacher Week After School Monday Lunchtime Crochet Club Via ParentMail-Ms Jug and Mrs Fully Booked King Mrs Atkins Monday After School Netball Via ParentMail Fully Booked Mr Johnson Tuesday After School Tag Rugby Via ParentMail-Fully Booked Wednesday Lunchtime Art and Mrs Kilbourne Mrs Kilbourne Mindfulness Friday Lunchtime Construction Mrs Dyne Mrs Dyne Club

#### **Junior Clubs**



# Weekly House Point Scores.

<u>Place</u>	<u>House Team</u>	<u>Total Points</u>
1st	Zircon	115
2nd	Ruby	91
3rd	Emerald	66
4th	Sapphire	63

*Sapphire* are in the lead for the most points earned

#### <mark>Zircon</mark>

for the week and also the term so far!

# <u>Running House Point Scores.</u>

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<u>Place</u>	<u>House Team</u>	<u>Total Points</u>
1st	<b>Sapphire</b>	1409
2nd	Emerald	1270
3rd	Zircon	1152
4th	Ruby	891
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