



Community Newsletter - Brampton Village Primary School

Week Ending 5th December 2025

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Headteacher's Log

Over the last couple of weeks, our Year 1 children have been working incredibly hard to prepare for their nativity performance. It has been wonderful to see their enthusiasm and confidence grow as they rehearsed their lines and songs. The performance itself was a truly special occasion, and the children should feel very proud of what they achieved.

I would like to extend a heartfelt thank you to all the parents for supporting the children at home and to our dedicated staff for guiding them through rehearsals with such care and encouragement. These moments remind us how fortunate we are to share these experiences together as a school community. They are a celebration not only of the children's talents but also of the teamwork and commitment that make our school such a special place.

Today, we also enjoyed our school Christmas dinner—a lovely opportunity for children and staff to come together and celebrate the festive season. The atmosphere was full of the snaps of crackers and many happy faces. Top work by our catering team to put on such a great spread!



Looking ahead, we are excited for the upcoming Christmas performances from our Reception and Year 2 children. These events promise to be just as magical and memorable, and we can't wait to see the creativity and confidence of these children shine through.




As we move towards the end of this festive term, let's continue to cherish these opportunities to come together and create lasting memories.

See you at the school gate,

A handwritten signature in black ink, which appears to read "Chris Hill".

Chris Hill, Headteacher

Headteacher Awards

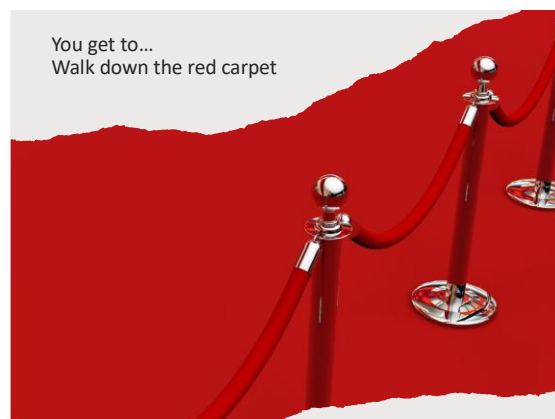
James (Y3)	Archie (Y3)	Hattie (Y3)
		

VIP Celebration Assembly this week

The following children have been selected to receive our VIP awards this week. They have walked (and in some cases danced) down the red carpet. They will now wear their VIP lanyard for a week and then enjoy snacks and drinks with me next Thursday.

VIP roll of honour (Friday 5th December 2025) –
Congratulations to:

Daisy B	Nella M	Penny B			
Finley S	Joseph W	Hettie C-W	Millie S	Luca V	Hannah B
Kester L-B	Edith S	Saeed R	James H	Isobel S	Ruth T
Poppy G	Jackson K	Hannah O'B	Delilah G-B	Daisy T	Eva-Maria L-H



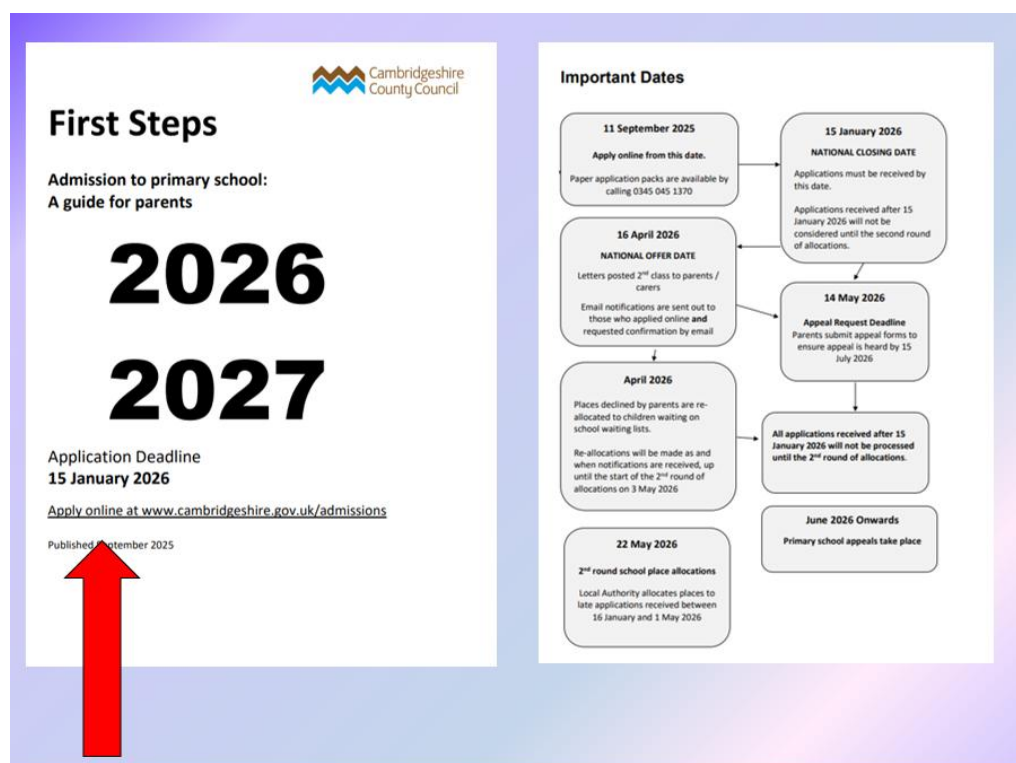
BVPS are Basketball Champs!

Brampton entered two teams into the Hunts Year 5&6 Basketball competition held at Hinchingsbrooke school. Both teams played 5 games and both won four and drew one. As a result they have won a very large trophy that could be too big for the cabinet. Well done to all those who took part and a big thank you to all the parents for their support and taxi services.

No Year 6 Football training this week

There is no Year 6 football training after school on Thursday 11th December due to the fact that we have an away cup match in St Ives versus Westfield Junior School. Good luck to the team!

September 2026 Reception Intake – application deadline 15th Jan '26



End of Term Dates reminder

The last day for children is Friday 19th December

Children then return to school on Tuesday 6th January 2026

Term Dates 2026-2027 Academic Year



Brampton Village Primary School Term Dates 2026 - 2027



School Closed			School Open
School Holiday	Bank Holiday	Staff Training Day	Pupil Day

September 2026						
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March 2027						
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April 2027						
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May 2027						
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July 2027						
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August 2027						
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PTA News

Hopefully you have all now received any items you ordered with your child's Christmas design on them. All orders were checked and complete when the items were shared with the school so if you are missing anything please check with your child's teacher first. If they are unable to locate anything, let us know at bramptonpta@outlook.com.

Beyond that, as we prepare to enter December, a few key dates for everyone's diaries:

- Sunday 07-Dec: **Santa's Sleigh** will be travelling through Brampton starting in Brampton Park at 4pm passing the Green at 6pm and finishing at Brampton Gate around 7:30pm. Santa still needs some more helpers so if you can help with some or all of the round, please sign up here
- www.signupgenius.com/go/30E0B4CADA82AA2FB6-59931942-2025
- Thursday 11-Dec: We're running a **Movie Night for the Yr 6s**. Tickets are £5 inc. entry plus a Hot Dog or Cheese Roll and a Drink while there will be a tuck shop available on the night. Doors will open at 3:30pm and the Yr 6 teachers have offered to take the children with tickets over to the hall with collection at 5:45pm. Buy your ticket from <https://brampton-pta.sumupstore.com/products?category=a4ea413b-84b2-46c0-a273-9fa7858c9314> - **Please use your Child's name and Class as the 'Full Name' field when you place the order**
- The wider KS1 Christmas Performances are happening on 09-Dec and 11-Dec (Reception) and 16-Dec (Year 2) and Well Done cookies can be bought from <https://brampton-pta.sumupstore.com/products?category=6939e013-9fe0-44e1-9779-0a7d6a045891>

Community News – Holiday Activities and Food



We're pleased to confirm that the [Christmas HAF Programme](#) will run during the above dates. Eligible children can access up to 16 hours of funded holiday clubs and family experiences.

Bookings open on 10 November 2025, and eligibility vouchers will be shared with families in receipt of benefits-related free school meals.

We're also delighted to share that, as part of the government's Best Start in Life initiative, funding for the HAF Programme has been confirmed for the next three financial years, starting from 2026/27.



I'm writing to let you know about our **Christmas Holiday Activities & Food (HAF) camps**, taking place this December at **King's Ely School** and **St Neots Football Club**, running on **Monday 22nd and Tuesday 23rd December**.

Fully funded HAF places are available for eligible children, with each day offering structured, engaging activities alongside a nutritious meal. Our camps provide a positive and supportive environment, helping children stay active and connected during the school holidays.

We would be very grateful if you could share the attached poster and booking link with families via your newsletter or parent communications, so eligible families are aware of this opportunity over the Christmas break.

Please find the booking link [here!](#)