



Community Newsletter - Brampton Village Primary School

Week Ending 12th December 2025

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Headteacher's Log

Yet again, the children at Brampton Village Primary School have made us all feel very proud. This week in particular it was our youngest children in Reception who put on two brilliant Christmas performances. We are so glad we were able to share this with so many parents and we hope you were all able to capture and cherish the memories of your child's first Nativity at school.

It is fair to say that over the last few weeks both children and staff alike have been battling through coughs, colds and sickness bugs. It is at these times though, that we all have to pull together and take care of each other even more than normal. Yes, everyone is tired and finding it hard to get up in the mornings, but we all turn up every day with a smile on our faces because all the children at our school deserve a great day every day at school.

Although next week is the last week of term, it is a busy week ahead. On Tuesday we have our Year 2 Christmas performances and we also say goodbye to Mrs Olive. Please join me in wishing Mrs Olive the very best in her new school in January. On Wednesday we will be having our Christmas services at St Mary Magdalene Church swiftly followed on Thursday by a visit from Santa! Final VIPs of 2025 will be given out on Friday afternoon before we wish all the children well for the holiday season.

Thank you all for your support and kindness that you have shown to our school staff team throughout this long Autumn term. Your emails and messages of thanks always mean so much!

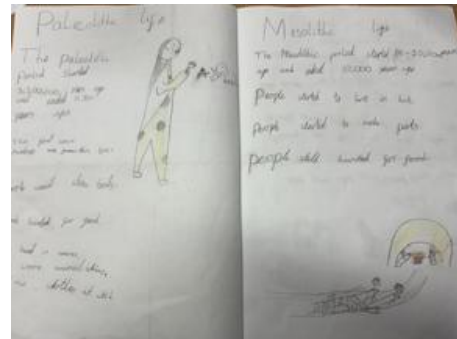
See you at the school gate,

A handwritten signature in dark ink, appearing to read 'Chris Hill', followed by a horizontal line.

Chris Hill, Headteacher

Bumper edition of Headteacher awards

Homework projects by Finley, Oscar and Nora



Homework projects by Vanya, Harry and 'homes of the future' by Year 2

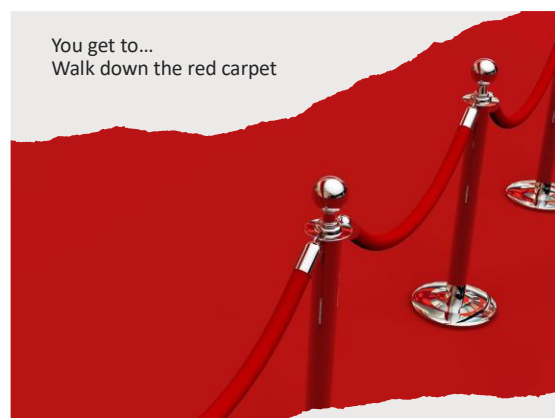


VIP Celebration Assembly this week

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.

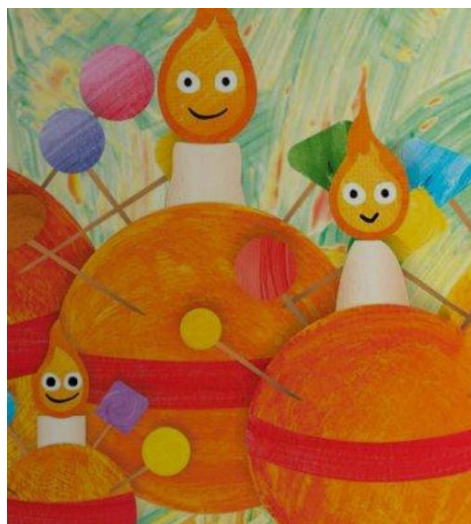
VIP roll of honour (Friday 12th December 2025) –
Congratulations to:

Abel A Evelyn M Theo G



Phoebe V	Lily N	Sophia F	Poppy D-G	Howie M-B	Felix N
Thea T	David Ho	Willow W	Cillian D	Jan K	Ellie B-B
Thomas K	Jack S	Ruben J	Ava T	Harry J	

Christingle making for Year 2



Year 2 children enjoyed making Christingles on Wednesday with volunteers from St Mary Magdalene Church. During a previous assembly they learned about how Christingle celebrations raise money for the Children's Society, which enabled the charity to help many children and young people. Many thanks to the volunteers for their time and the provision of resources for making the Christingles, including the kind donation of oranges from the Co-Op.

**The
Children's
Society**

Visit to The Snowman at HBK!

On Wednesday 10th December 44 children from Year 5 and 6, alongside 5 staff members were kindly invited to Hinchingsbrook School to watch their performance of The Snowman.

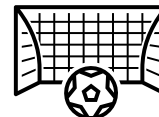
The performance we saw included Hinchingsbrook School's Orchestra, choir and a member of the dance team. Before the performance Mrs Cook told us about all the instruments from all the families, including, wood wind, brass, string and percussion. We were then treated to a wonderful musical performance of The Snowman story.

It was so lovely to see all our children from BVPS watch the performance and afterwards talk about our favourite instruments, and how some of the music made us feel. It was an enchanting experience and we will be writing to thank Hinchingsbrook School for inviting us.



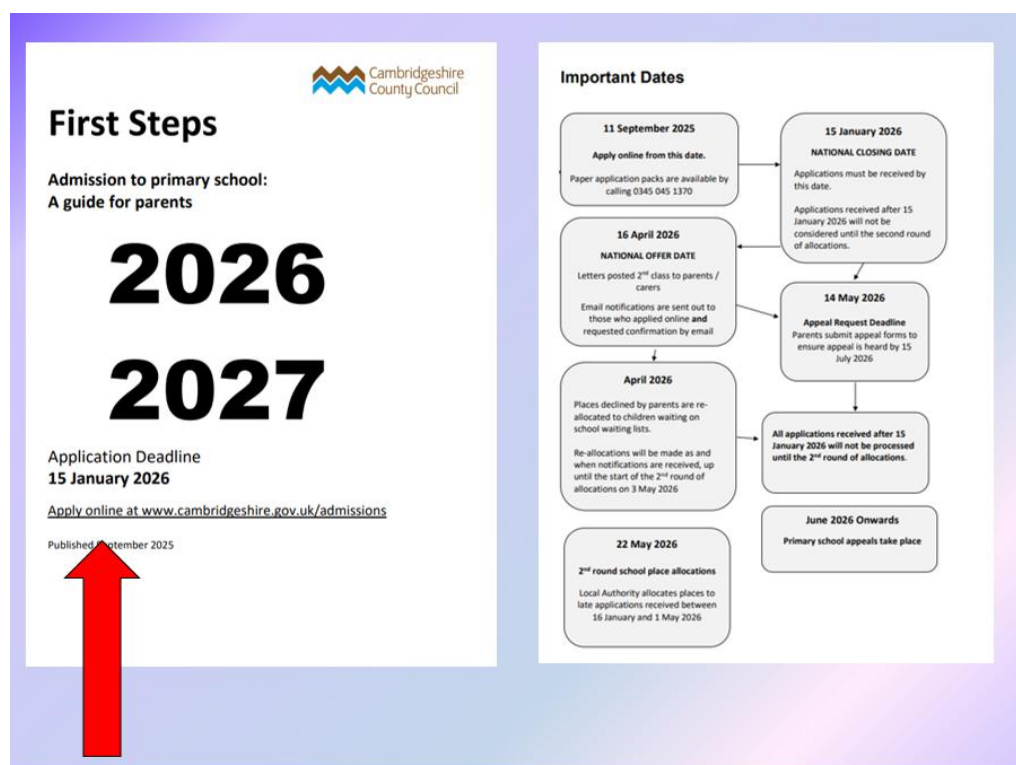
Football match result – stunning win for Y5 BVPS

In a thrilling match played at Westfield Junior school Brampton won their first round of the Walters cup 3-0. Both goal keepers pulled off fantastic saves to keep us in the game until our strikers finally managed to click and score some fantastic goals. Well done to all those who took part and a big thank you to all the parents for their support.



Luke, Jack, Rory, Harry, Suliaman , Orien, Albert, Evan, Vanilson & Kody

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



End of Term Dates reminder

The last day for children is Friday 19th December. Non uniform day 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

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PTA News

Another successful week with Santa's sleigh on Sunday, some great performances from the Reception children and our 1st Movie night for the Yr 6s. Hope you all enjoyed them and thanks to everyone who helped out.

- Well Done biscuits are still available for next Tuesday's Yr 2 Carol Performance shows - If you'd like to pre order a biscuit for your child, they can be bought for £2.75 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!](#)