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Together, we can achieve great things!

School Newsletter #11: Friday 21st November 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

It has been a busy and exciting week in school, with lots of learning and special activities taking place across the school.

Road Safety Week

This week we have been focusing on Road Safety Week, reminding children how to stay safe when walking, cycling and travelling near roads. Classes have taken part in discussions and activities to help them make sensible, safe choices on their journeys to and from school.

Bikeability – Year 3 and Year 4

Our Year 3 and Year 4 pupils have enjoyed their Bikeability sessions this week. They learned important cycling skills, practised riding safely and gained confidence on their bikes. The instructors were very impressed with the children's enthusiasm and sensible behaviour.



Year 6 Remembrance Assembly

Today, Year 6 led a thoughtful and respectful Remembrance assembly. They shared reflections to help us remember those who have served and sacrificed. Their mature and reflective approach made the assembly a meaningful moment for the whole school.



Music Mark Award

We are delighted to share that our school has received the **Music Mark Award** for 2025–26. This award recognises the dedication of our staff and pupils, and the ongoing improvement of music education across Brent. Well done to everyone involved for helping us achieve this fantastic honour.

Parents' Evening

Polite reminder that we have our parents' evening next week on Tuesday 25th November 2025. Kindly ensure that you are prompt for your appointment in

order to meet with your child's teacher to discuss their progress and their next steps of learning.

Music Concert

Please note that we have rescheduled our music concert which will now take place on **Monday 8th December 2025**.

Parent Survey

Your feedback is invaluable in helping us celebrate our successes and identify areas for improvement. We greatly appreciate your support and encourage you to share your positive experiences and constructive suggestions to help us continue to grow as a school by **Friday 28th November 2025**. If you have any issues accessing the link, contact the school office.



Parent Workshop

DATE: Wednesday 26th November 2025
TIME: 9.15-10.15am

How to support your child in managing anxiety with a focus on 'Keeping your child safe online'

you are warmly invited to attend a special workshop designed to help you support your child in managing anxiety. This session will also place a strong focus on the important topic of online safety.

The workshop will be facilitated by Yoko Dutton from Brent Mental Health Support Team, who brings a wealth of experience in supporting young people and families.

Why attend?

- ✓ Learn practical strategies to help your child manage anxiety
- ✓ Understand how to keep your child safe online

AN INDISPENSIBLE PARENT AND CARER TO COME ALONG TO THE WORKSHOP AND RECOGNISE THEM.

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officer, Ms Adolphe, will also be in attendance.

Brent Music Service Free Offer

This year, Brent Music Service are offering **FREE** membership to its beginner groups. Junior Choirs, Steel Pans and Bridge Orchestras all take place at evening Music Centres across the borough. Places are limited so you should register your interest quickly. Your child can join the junior choir, bridge orchestra or steelband free of charge. Any pupil living in Brent or going to a Brent school can access these groups for free this year. Please see attached flyer – 'BMS Free Offer 2025' for more information

Class Dojo

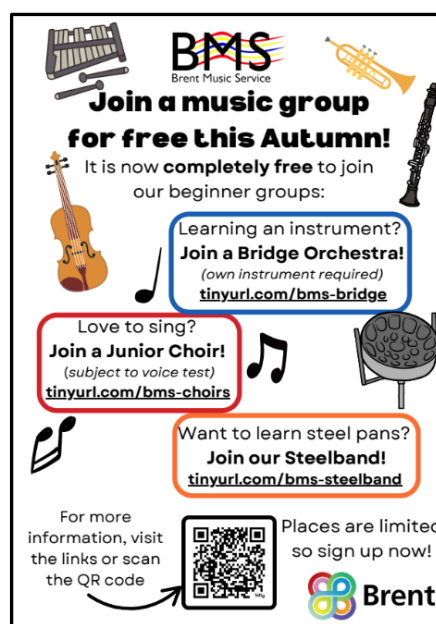
Pupils have been upholding our school values of:

- **Ambition**
- **Responsibility**
- **Excellence**

As well as our vbehaviour golden rules:

- **Be Kind**
- **Be Respectful**
- **Be Honest**

Teachers award dojo points to pupils and the class the earned the most points, this week, was Year 3. Excellent effort Year 3!



BMS
Brent Music Service

Join a music group for free this Autumn!

It is now **completely free** to join our beginner groups:


Learning an instrument?
Join a Bridge Orchestra!
(own instrument required)
tinyurl.com/bms-bridge


Love to sing?
Join a Junior Choir!
(subject to voice test)
tinyurl.com/bms-choirs

Want to learn steel pans?
Join our Steelband!
tinyurl.com/bms-steelband

For more information, visit the links or scan the QR code

Places are limited so sign up now!

 **Brent**



ClassDojo

Reception **126**

Year 1 **351**

Year 2 **154**

Year 3 493 Winners!

Year 4 **387**

Year 5 **163**

Year 6 **182**



Reception 98%
 Year 1 **96%**
 Year 2 **98%**
 Year 3 **99% Winners!**
 Year 4 **97%**
 Year 5 **96%**
 Year 6 **97%**

Attendance

Once again, we had excellent attendance of 97%. All classes had at least 96% attendance – which is an improvement from last week. **Year 3** are our winners this week with **99%** attendance. Fantastic Year 3! All classes have done very well and it is encouraging to see so many of them come to school eager to learn and take part in the activities – keep it up everyone!

Punctuality

Being on time is crucial for your child's success. **The school day begins promptly at 8:55am** and pupils should be in their classrooms ready to learn at that time. The **school gates open at 8:45am** daily so kindly ensure that your child arrives as early as possible. Arriving late can disrupt your child's learning and the learning of others. Let us work together to develop good habits and start the day off in a calm, organised manner.

In class ready to learn by ...



Safeguarding

TikTok is one of the most popular apps for children and teenagers, with an endless stream of short, entertaining videos. However, it can also expose young people to things that aren't appropriate for their age. This might include upsetting content, risky "viral" challenges, misleading information or content that could influence them in worrying ways.

This guide explains the main risks to look out for, such as in-app spending, too much screen time and privacy issues. It also gives clear, practical tips to help parents and teachers make sure children use TikTok in a fun, positive

and—most importantly—safe way.

The safeguarding team at *Northview Primary school* are:

Designated Safeguarding Lead: Mrs Obinwanne

Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead: Mrs Barouma

Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead: Mrs Raval

Key dates:

17/09/25 EYFS meeting 1

17/09/25 **PSA tuck shop**

23/09/25 Curriculum evening

29/09/25 **PSA KS2 sports event**

30/09/25 EYFS meeting 2

1/10/25 Black History Month

1/10/25 Year 4 at Pizza Express

7/10/25 Year 2 at Pizza Express St John's Wood

7/10./25 Year 1 at Pizza Express Baker Street

10/10/25 BHM Drama workshops
 10/10/25 *PSA Ladies night*
 15/10/25 Parents' Forum
 15/10/25 Year 3 at Pizza Express – Wembley
 17/10/25 Year 1 Assembly
 20/11/2025 Year 6 visit to Marlborough House
 21/10/25 Governors' Meeting
 22/10/25 *PSA Coffee Morning*
 23/10/25 Year 3 & 4 at Wembley Library
 24/10/25 Year 2 Assembly
27/10/25 – 31/10/25 Half term
~~5/11/25 EYFS meeting 3 - postponed~~
~~7/11/25 Year 5 Assembly~~
 10/11/25 Anti-Bullying week
 12/11/25 STEM in Black History assembly and workshop
 12/11/25 Year 1 & Year 2 to Wembley Library
 12/11/25 *PSA tuck shop*
 13/11/25 Year 4 at Vue cinema, Finchley Road
14/11/25 Year 5 Assembly – New date
 14/11/25 Year 3 at Cineworld cinema, Wembley Outlet Centre
 17/11/25 Road Safety week
 19/11/25 Photo day
 21/11/25 Year 6 Assembly
 25/11/25 Reception to Vue cinema, Harrow
 25/11/25 Parents' Evening
 26/11/25 Parent Workshop
~~28/11/25 Year 4 Assembly~~
 28/11/25 Wizard Theatre production
 2/12/25 Governors
 3/12/25 Year 6 to Brent's Junior Citizenship Scheme workshop
 4/12/25 *PSA Winter Fair*
 05/12/25 Year 4 Assembly
8/12/25 Music Concert – New date
 9/12/25 Bedtime Story Night
 11/12/25 Christmas Jumper Day & Christmas lunch
 12/12/25 Reception Assembly
~~15/12/25 Music Concert~~
 16/12/25 Reception, Y1 & Y2 Christmas parties
 17/12/25 Nursery Christmas party
 17/12/25 Year 3-6 Christmas parties
19/12/25 Term end at 1:30pm

Have a great weekend.

Kind regards,

Mrs Obinwanne
Headteacher