



# Newsletter

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## Our School Blog

A big BB welcome back to everyone!

We hope that you managed to enjoy some of the lovely weather that we had during the holiday period and the opportunity to have some quality time with your family and friends.

The fundraising, non-school uniform day on the last day of term raised a phenomenal £445 for Brain Tumour Research and was a major contribution to the total amount of over £2000 raised by Mr (& Mrs) Gynn for completing the Brighton Marathon. Thank you to everyone that donated!

Continuing with the fundraising theme - huge thanks to BBFriends, school staff and everyone who supported the Easter Fete. Just under £500 was raised, which will benefit the children in many ways.

This week we have launched new learning routines during lesson times, and your child may tell you that they have been a 'STAR' in class, which stands for:

**S**itting up straight, **T**racking the speaker, give your full **A**ttention, show **R**espect and good manners.

Finally, good luck to the 'BB Lego League Girls' who, next weekend will be representing the school in the national competition in Yorkshire!

Have a great weekend and don't forget that BBeebies nursery is closed on Thursday next week (1st May)!

Mr Gynn

If your child is absent from school without authorisation, you will be committing an offence under the Education Act 1996. We may submit a request to Cornwall Council for a Penalty Notice to be issued, in accordance with Sections 444A and 444B of the said Act. Penalty Notices are issued per liable parent, per child and each carry a fine of £80 if paid within 21 days or £160 if paid after this but within 28 days. Failure to pay the Penalty Notice may result in legal action. Absence not authorised by the school may result in a prosecution in the Magistrates' Court under Section 444(1) or Section 444(1A) of the Education Act 1996, leading to a fine of up to £2,500 and/or a custodial sentence. Cornwall Council may also apply for the costs incurred in taking the matter to Court.

## This week's achievers

Well done to the children below for following our BB Rules for Life. This week, we are celebrating our achievements in RE

### Little Doves

#### Marcie

For being able to talk about how Muslims treat the Qu'ran; their Holy Book

### Little Fish

#### Aurora

For your thoughtful and valuable contributions during RE lessons

### Little Lambs

#### Chloe

For giving thoughtful answers when discussing why Easter is important to Christians

### Pelicans

#### Max

For showing a curious mind in RE by asking meaningful questions and thinking about the teachings of God and Jesus. Your reflections show a respect for faith, wonder and the big questions of life

### Peacocks

#### Francesca

For your amazing knowledge in RE and fantastic attention to detail in your work

### Phoenix

#### Arya

For talking confidently about how the disciples must have felt about the events leading up to and including Pentecost

### Angels

#### Macey

For your amazing work in RE lessons

### Faith

#### Bethany Smith

For your contribution during class discussions

### Hope

#### Rosie

For your ability to recall important details about Islam and your keen and thoughtful interest in the Five Pillars of Islam

Our school vision is at the heart of all we do at Bishop Bronescombe. We feel it is important to share the achievements of children who have worked hard to share their gifts and talents



## This week's achievers...



This week, we learnt about  
and celebrated our school  
vision of trust

### Little Doves

#### Belle

For being able to trust you to play  
nicely with your friends

### Little Fish

#### Billy

We can always trust you to be a  
model pupil, always following  
the School rules for life and  
being a STAR learner

### Little Lambs

#### Aiwa

For showing trust in the new  
adults in your class and settling  
in so well

### Pelicans

#### Evie

For consistently showing  
trustworthy behaviour and setting  
a great example by being honest,  
reliable and respectful. Your actions  
show that you can be counted on  
and that others can look up to you.  
Keep up the fantastic work

### Peacocks

#### Alex

For trusting your friends and  
teachers

### Phoenix

#### AJ

For your hard work and positive  
attitude to learning, making you  
a trustworthy class member who  
can be relied on to always try  
your best

### Angels

#### Aubrey

For trusting your teachers every  
day

### Faith

#### Bella

For demonstrating a trustworthy  
nature

### Hope

#### Lily C

We can always trust you to  
help those around you. Your  
willingness to please and  
your empathetic nature make you  
a trusted friend to all

Hold my hand Lord  
Show me the way.  
Help me be grateful every day.  
Show me the difference between right and wrong  
Keep me safe Lord, all night long.  
Give me direction on what to do  
Lead the way Lord, I trust in you.  
Amen

## Dates for your diary

Thurs 1st May - **Nursery closed for Polling Station** (see Dojo for further info)

Thurs 1st May - Phonics Screening Check Info Session 3.15pm, Little Fish classroom (for Y1 & Y2 retakes)

Mon 5th May - Bank holiday (school closed)

Mon 26th - Fri 30th May - Half term

Wed 4th Jun - Fri 6th Jun - Y3/4 Residential at Kernow Sports, Hendra

Mon 30th Jun - Wed 2nd Jul - Y/6 Residential to Barton Hall, Torquay

Tues 22nd Jul - Last day of summer term (Wed 23rd Jul - Inset day)

## Other notices

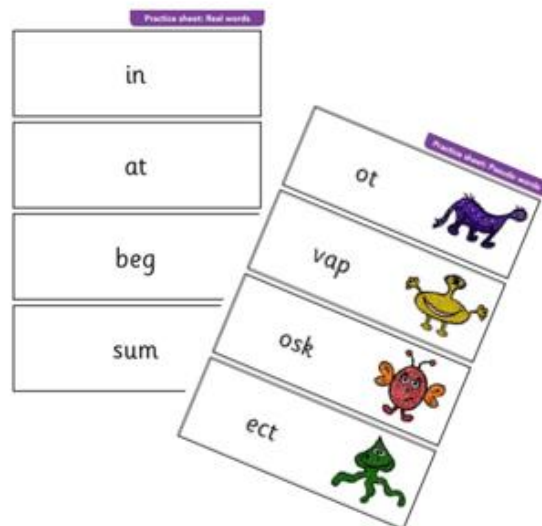
### PHONICS SCREENING CHECK INFORMATION SESSION – THURSDAY 1<sup>ST</sup> MAY AT 3.15PM

Calling all parents/carers of Year 1 children (and Year 2 children who will be retaking the phonics screening check). We are inviting you to a parent information session that will inform you about the phonics screening check that your child will complete in the week beginning 9<sup>th</sup> June.

This session will briefly outline the purpose of the phonics screening check, what the check involves and how you can support your child.

This will take place on Thursday 1<sup>st</sup> May at 3.15, **in Little Fish classroom** and will be with Mrs Horwell.

We look forward to seeing you there!





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## MENTAL HEALTH SUPPORT TEAM - MHST

Parents and Carers - please join us for a 5 session online workshop where we will teach you **practical strategies to support your child with their anxiety and worries**

Various morning and afternoon sessions available starting week commencing 9 June 2025, please select when you sign up. Please note you will be signed up to the same day and time for the duration of the workshop.

To book a place please complete the online form **HERE**  
<https://forms.office.com/e/OqRnKmCw1i> or scan the QR code

This workshop is open to parents/carers of primary aged children enrolled in Reception to Year 6 in any school in Cornwall




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This workshop provides parents with practical strategies to foster positive behaviour and communication at home.

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# BUMBLE BEE STAY N PLAY

**MONDAYS and THURSDAYS**  
**Time: 10-12.30 / Ages: 0-5 years**  
**£2 per child /**  
**additional children £1.50 each**  
**Free Kids Snacks Available**  
**Tea or Coffee and Cake - £3**

**@ the Seventh Day Adventist Church**  
**Bucklers Lane, St Austell PL25 3JN**

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