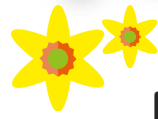




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Message from Naomi Grant

Hi Everyone,

As we reach the end of a very long term, it's a time to reflect on all the successes that we have seen. The learning that happens in our classrooms is evolving and improving all the time as we strive to give the children the best possible education.

The Christmas performances were all top quality and the children were all enthusiastic to show their singing and acting. The staff involved worked very hard to put on the shows - thank you to all of them.

There have also been a couple of trips in the past few weeks.

Year 5/6 had their animations shown at the Phoenix Cinema, I was able to attend and all the children did a great job in their REAL LiFE Mission. Year 1 also loved meeting Santa and travelling on a traditional steam train.

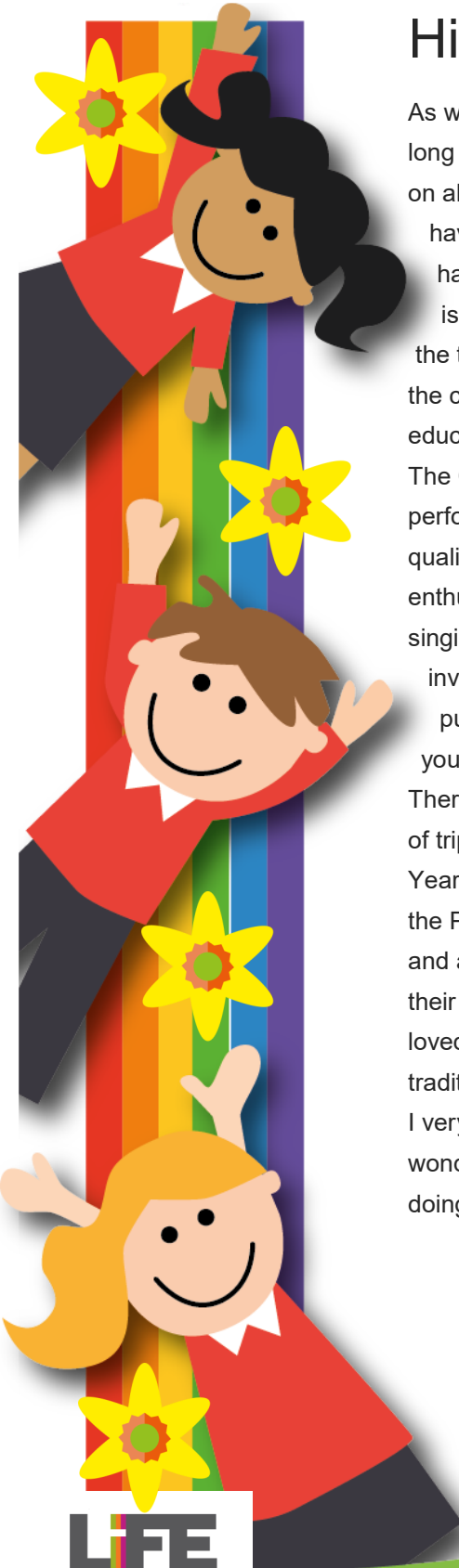
I very much hope that you all have a wonderful break and get to spend time doing all the things you enjoy. I'd like to

thank you all for your support —

Braunstone Frith is such a fantastic school and you are all part of it too. I look forward to seeing you on Tuesday 6th January.

**Mrs Grant,
Head of School**

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Year 1 Santa Trip

Wise Owls and Smart Squirrels had a special time with Santa recently as they rode the Santa Train.

Mrs Claus was on hand to help Santa share Christmas cheer and make it an unforgettable trip.



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Santa Fun Run

Our pupils across all year groups took part in a Santa Fun Run on Wednesday 10 December.

The event saw us raise a massive amount — nearly £3,000! Thank you to you all who donated.

The money raised will go towards playground equipment.

Well done to all pupils who took part.



Christmas Card

Well done to Raisa from 5/6C who won Leicester West MP Liz Kendall's Christmas card competition.

Liz has made Raisa's design into a Christmas card which Liz will send to hundreds of people — including the Prime Minister!

Liz and Marian Duffy, Chief Operating Officer of Platform Housing Group, visited the school on Thursday 18 December and presented Raisa with a book voucher and an enlarged version of the design, signed by Liz.

We're all very proud of her.



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Cultural Day 2025

On Thursday 27 November Braunstone Frith Primary Academy came together to celebrate the uniqueness of our school community in our annual Cultural Day.



We are immensely proud of the diversity of our school community and pupils celebrated their heritage by dressing in cultural attire.

Throughout the day pupils took part in special activities which allowed us all to learn about different cultures— living the No Outsiders values of Braunstone Frith Primary Academy.



Leics Sing

At the start of December, the Braunstone Frith choir took part in a fantastic singing event: Leics Sing!



Together with 10 other school choirs, they learnt winter themed songs which they performed to an audience of over 500. It was amazing!

In addition to all the singing, a group of Year 6 children and a group of Year 5 children also got to recite a poem to the crowd and spoke confidently together. It was a real honour and treat to take part.

French Lesson

On Monday 15 December Years 5 and 6 had a special French lesson by Senior Lead Practitioner for the LiFE MAT, Mr Mainard. This lesson saw pupils learn how to pronounce and write the words for different items of clothing. We thank Mr Mainard for giving such an engaging lesson.



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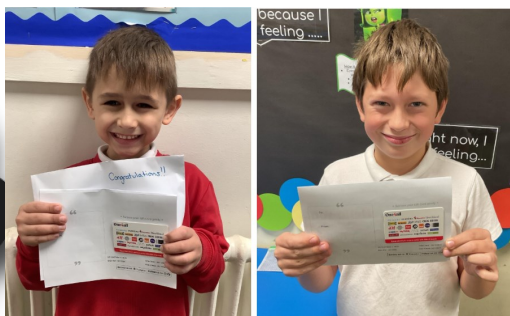


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Attendance Winners

The November Attendance voucher has been given away. Congratulations to these two children, who have both won a £30 Voucher.

Well done to everyone else that also met the target of 97% and above attendance in November.



Behaviour Stars

We had a great time at our 'Behaviour Star Surprise' half termly celebrations.



During the last week of half term, all children who had proved themselves to be REACH IT superstars and did not receive a red card during the Autumn 2 half term were invited to our 'fun and games' afternoon. Well done to those children, keep up the good work!

Reception 2026-27

If your child turns 4 before 31st August 2026, applications are now open to apply for your child to start full time school in September 2026.

Braunstone Frith Primary Academy offers:

- Real LiFE curriculum
- Play based learning
- Breakfast club from 7:30 am
- Flexible after school wraparound care until 5:30 pm



Parents must apply for a school place through their own local authority (LA), where you actually live, regardless of whether our academy school is in that geographical area (this will be who you pay your council tax to).

Leicester City Council: <https://www.leicester.gov.uk/schools-and-learning/school-and-colleges/school-admissions>

Leicestershire County Council: <https://www.leicestershire.gov.uk/education-and-children/schools-colleges-and-academies/apply-for-a-school-place>

Application deadline is **Thursday 15th January 2026**.



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Useful Numbers

New Parks Library – every Monday 3.30 – 4.30pm (Take ID and proof of income)
Binspired, Wellinger Way, Braunstone
 – 0116 2232256 Tuesday & Thursday 11- 4pm
Early Help Team – 0116 4541004
Safeguarding Duty and Advice (Social services) 0116 4541004
Child health advice: - 0116 2153231
NSPCC – parent helpline: 0808 8005000
Childline: 0800 1111
New Parks Children Centre/Advice Point - 0116 229 3257
Braunstone Children Centre/Advice Point - 0116 373 7150
Citizens Advice Leicester - 0808 2787970
Domestic Abuse support - UAVA - 0808 80 200 28
Zinithya Trust Advice/Support - 0116 254 5168

Safeguarding

The Designated Safeguarding Lead (DSL) at our school is Miss Hynes.

The deputy DSLs are: Mrs Grant, Mrs Duggan, Mr Booth, Ms Wittering and Miss Frid. They are available to discuss any issues or concerns.

Stay Connected

Be sure to follow us on social media:

Facebook:

[BraunstoneFrithPrimarySchool](https://www.facebook.com/BraunstoneFrithPrimarySchool)

Twitter: [@BFPSOfficial](https://twitter.com/BFPSOfficial)

Youtube: [Braunstone Frith Youtube](https://www.youtube.com/BraunstoneFrithYoutube)



Important Dates

Last day of Autumn 2025 term	Friday 19 December
First day of Spring 2026 term	Tuesday 6 January 2026
2PM Finish Staff training	Tuesday 13 January
2PM Finish Staff training	Thursday 12 February

Wraparound Care

We now offer wraparound care before and after school with Clubszone. Go to <https://braunstonefrith.org.uk/wraparound-care/> to find out more.

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