

Friday 6  
December  
2024



Devonshire Road Primary  
School  
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# Weekly Newsletter

Wow, wow, wow. Our EYFS children performed their Winter songs this week to their families and we were all blown away. The dancing, the confidence and the beautiful singing just made it the most incredible show. Thank you to everyone that was able to attend.



## Designated Safeguarding Leads and Safeguarding Links



Emergency Duty Team

(01204) 337777

Mrs Hodge Mr Abraham Mrs Abraham Mrs Hall

Bolton Safeguarding Children

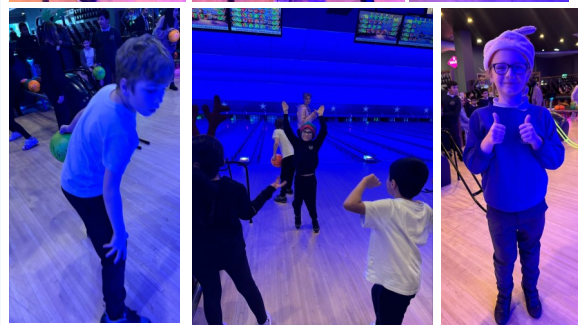
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BOLTON SAFEGUARDING CHILDREN  
CONTACT BOARD 01204 337479

REFERRAL & ASSESSMENT  
0 1204 331500 (9AM-5PM)

## Ten-pin Bowling competition

This week Miss Aspinall accompanied some of our children to a 10 pin bowling competition at Hollywood Bowl. They all had great fun bowling, father Christmas was in attendance and there were Christmas carols. It was a fantastic, fun opportunity for them. All the children received a medal. Well done to the children once again for their amazing behaviour!







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Tuesday 10 December 9:30am Rock Steady performance to parents/carers  
Wednesday 11 December 9.15am Ukulele performance to parents/carers

### Upcoming Events

Wednesday 11 December	9:30am	Maths Challenge Bolton School
Wednesday 11 December	2:15pm	KS1 Christmas Performance
Thursday 12 December	9:15am	KS1 Christmas Performance
Friday 13 December	all day	Reindeer Run, Christmas dinner AND Christmas jumper optional
Monday 16 November	all day	Y6 Emotional Health & Wellbeing Workshop
Tuesday 17 December	am	KS2 Big Winter Sing Off
Wednesday 18 December	pm	KS2 Christmas party
Thursday 19 December	pm	EYFS/KS1 Christmas party
Friday 20 December	3:30pm	School closes for Christmas holidays
Monday 6 January	8:45am	School re-opens for spring term

[Click here for term dates](#)



[Click here for more events...](#)



Ukulele  
Performance to  
Parents/Carers  
11/12/24 @  
9:15am



Rock Steady  
Performance to  
Parents/Carers  
10/12/24 @  
9:30am



Once again, we are supporting Derian House Children's Hospice by selling the Jolly Jingle plush decorations. There are on sale in the office. £3.00 each. We have a limited supply!



Staff have kindly donated lots of festive treats for our Christmas Hamper. Tickets are on sale at the office £1/ticket.



### Friday 13 December

Once again this year we will be taking part in the Reindeer Run to raise funds for Bolton Hospice. This will take place during the school day, everyone is welcome to take part.

**Christmas Jumpers may be worn if the children would like to.**

Christmas dinner will also be served on this day for school dinner pupils & staff.  
(\*School dinner children only\*)



This morning six children from year 4 took part in a dodgeball tournament against 13 other Bolton primary schools. Every single one of them showed the most amazing skill and determination, whilst being respectful to the other teams and adults. Our year 4 dodgeball team won 3 games and lost 2. It was a brilliant morning!



Bolton's Put Big Light On Festival is due to go ahead Tonight between 5 and 9pm



Year 2 went to watch the pantomime of Aladdin at The Victoria Halls. All of the children got fully involved and had an excellent time!



# Weekly Newsletter

Well done to Y3G who were Class of the Week for W/C 25/11/24 with an excellent 99.26%.



360 of our children had 100% attendance last week.  
Well done to all of you!

Whole school attendance to date:  
96.17%

Class of the year to date:  
Y5C  
97.71%  
Keep it up!

What a fantastic week for attendance! Y6P are our 2nd class this term to achieve 100% attendance. Lets take a look at how Devonshire Road Primary School compares to other national and local schools...

School	National average	Local average
96.25%	95.3%	95.5%





Well done everyone, keep it up!



If you need any support with your child's attendance, please contact Mrs Hall our Learning Mentor and Attendance Lead.





<p><b>AMBITION</b> Masie Summers-Newton</p> 	<p><b>INSPIRE</b> Delicious Orié</p> 	<p><b>RESILIENCE</b> Kyle Kothari</p> 	<p><b>RESPECT</b> Cindy Ngamba</p> 
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3rd 232

2nd 307

1st 360

4th 223



<p><b>Bronze</b> Maira H (Y5C) <b>Gold</b> Charlie S (Y5C) Armaan S (Y5H)</p> 	<p>Emily J (Y2C) Deborah A (Y4S) Hajrah A (Y6P) Iris B (Y1L) Rehan A (YRB) Malek E (YRB) Bakr J (Y1L)</p> 	<p>Year 2 10 Reads <b>Noor and Aliyah</b> 20 Reads Year 1 <b>Nihal and Zainab</b> Year 2 <b>Raza, Silas and Musa</b> 30 Reads EYFS <b>Ammara</b> Year 2 <b>Abdul Malik</b> 40 Reads Year 1 <b>Aisha, Isa, Yahya M and Muhammad I</b> Year 2 <b>Zainab F and Leo</b> 50 Reads EYFS <b>Aisha</b> Year 1 <b>Jacob, Muhammad I and Axelle</b> 75 Reads EYFS <b>Hamzah</b> Year 1 <b>Zarah</b></p>
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Well done to our...



**Gone Green! TT Rock Stars!**




Headteacher's Award


Aamena P	YRHS	being a fabulous singing and dancing red nosed reindeer in our EYFS performance. You are a superstar!
Basit M	YRB	For making fantastic progress in his reading. Well done Bassit!
Maranata K	Y1HB	Your progress in spelling and reading is brilliant. We are so proud of how hard you are working!
Delilah G	Y1L	For making excellent progress with blending new sounds. Keep up the great effort!
Amida M	Y2C	For working hard to improve her reading skills.
Olivia B	Y2F	For learning your lines and speaking very clearly and with lots of expression when practising for our nativity next week. Super job!
Dhruv P	Y3A	For his amazing maths knowledge and always working hard to support others.
Grace A	Y3G	For her beautiful singing and excellent performance skills whilst practising for the Big Winter Sing Off.
Alice H	Y4AT	For super creative writing and for 100% effort all week in all areas.
Rohom F	Y4S	For demonstrating excellent leadership skills, combining his passion for sport with a calm response to his team.
Nasteha A	Y5H	For being a model student and always following our 3 Bs—Be kind. Be curious. Be the best you can be!
Maariyah	AY5C	For being a joy to be around. You are very kind and caring, this radiates to others in the class.
Hadi B	Y6B	For having a great attitude towards his learning and being focused on trying to achieve his best at all times.
Shamir N	Y6P	For working consistently hard for the past weeks in all lessons and making excellent progress and for also being helpful and supportive when his peers need some help.



# Notices

If you are looking for a dentist for your child, click the graphic below:



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## Breakfast Club and After School Club

We are proud to offer excellent before and after-school provision during term time. Take a look at the information for each club here.



### BREAKFAST CLUB

- Opens at 7.45am
- £2.00 per session
- Healthy breakfast provided
- Activities and games on offer for children

- Drop-in sessions available - no need to book

### AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

- Open from 3.30pm until 5.15pm
- £5 per session
- Payments required in advance
- Healthy snack provided
- Activities and games on offer for children

- Booking required

### CHILDREN'S VIEWS

"I like Breakfast Club because it helps me get in to school on time."

"I really like the snacks we get, especially the bagels!"

"I enjoy playing with my friends and spending more time with them after school."

### MORE INFO?

☎ 01204 333614  
✉ office@devonshire.bolton.sch.uk

Dinner money is now £2.55/day, £12.75/week. If you believe you may be entitled to free school meals, click [here](#) to read the Criteria and find out how to apply. Ms Handley, in the school office, can help with you application.

### School Dinners



KUMON  
MATHS ENGLISH

BOLTON  
STUDY CENTRE



### Kumon School Referral Scheme

An exclusive offer for Devonshire Road Primary School students. Free registration (worth £45) when you join Kumon Bolton and receive a £20 voucher for your school.

Referral code: KPNSWJ3.

Just mention this offer to the Instructor when enrolling your child.  
☎ 07570 098197 ✉ bolton@kumoncentre.co.uk  
www.kumon.co.uk/bolton

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## Learning Links



Digimap®



SPaG

### The School Reading List

Suggested reading books for primary & secondary aged children in the UK



## Curriculum Links







# Local Community

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 invite you to...

## Christmas Connect@GC

Sunday 8th December  
3.30-5.30pm

Christmas crafts, trail, nativity photobooth  
and activities for all the family.  
Includes a light meal and refreshments.

**Free**

The Grace Centre, Somerset  
Road, BL1 4NE



Join us on a song filled festive journey of discovery  
about the birth of Jesus, using traditional and contemporary  
carols and songs

Sunday 15th December  
6.00 - 7.30pm

# Christmas Carols & Songs

  
The Grace Centre  
Somerset Rd  
BL1 4NE

Free festive refreshments  
available after the service





# 2025



## New Years 2nd & 3rd January

Sports  
camp

From £29  
per day

For those  
aged 5 to  
13

Childcare  
vouchers are  
accepted

Lunches are  
included

Swimming  
daily

Camps are run  
by highly  
qualified and  
experienced  
coaches



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