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This week our KS1 pupils performed their nativity The Fleece Force and wow what a show. The children worked incredibly hard singing, dancing and speaking so well using a microphone. From the singing angels, to the talented band, to our dancing camels and wise men, we had a multitude of talent. Thank you to all the KS1 team for putting on a fantastic show and another thank you to Mr Burton for his incredible backdrop for the show.















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Primary Maths Challenge

Four of our year 6 children, Nidhi, Eesa, Hamza and Imogen, went to Bolton School on Wednesday for a Maths challenge. They had to complete different challenges such as crosswords, place value, code breakers and puzzles. They had to solve them all in 10 minutes and showed fantastic teamwork. They came an awesome 2nd out of 13 schools. Well done all of you we are very proud. Thank you to Mrs Cavanaugh for supervising the children and supporting them.





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Upcoming Events

Monday 16 December Tuesday 17 December Wednesday 18 December Thursday 19 December Friday 20 December Monday 6 January

all day Y6 Emotional Health & Wellbeing Workshop KS2 Big Winter Sing Off am KS2 Christmas party pm EYFS/KS1 Christmas party pm 3:30pm School closes for Christmas holidays 8:45am School re-opens for spring term

Click here for term dates



Click here for more events...



Staff have kindly donated lots of festive treats for our Christmas Hamper. Tickets are on sale in the office £1/ticket. The raffle will be drawn during celebration assembly next Friday morning.

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

Thank you to everyone who supported the children in their sponsored Reindeer Run today, so far, we have raised an enormous £ 2,395. All children participated, they had a great time following Cyril the Squirrel around the school grounds!































Musical talent shines at Devonshire Road!

On Thursday, the Y3-6 Choir took part in an intensive singing workshop in preparation for a combined school concert at Bolton School in January. Miss Archer from the Boys Division was very impressed with their concentration and the progress they made. The choir learnt 3 songs in this short amount of time!

We are very much looking forward to our first out of school performance!



Our Ukulele groups gave an outstanding performance for their parents/carers this week— we hope you all enjoyed the show!











to all the parents/carers and family members who came to the Rocksteady band performance, we hope you had a great time. Well done to all our 'rocking' superstars!













A big thank you to all our wonderful kitchen staff for serving up a very tasty Christmas dinner today. It was also really good to see so many children looking festive in their Christmas jumpers.



Our art club children are extremely proud of the pictures they have painted this term. We have some very talented artists amongst us.



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Well done to Y4S who were Class of the Week for W/C 02/12/24 with an excellent 99.03%.



356 of our
children had 100%
attendance
last week.

Well done to all of you!

Whole school attendance to date:

96.12%

Class of the year to date:

Y5C

97.69%

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

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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.











Achievement Page



AMBITION

Masie Summers-Newton



INSPIRE Delicious Orie



RESILIENCE

Kyle Kothari



RESPECT

Cindy Ngamba



2nd 362

4th 309

1st 398

This week we welcome Ruhi (Y1L) to Devonshire Road, we hope you have settled in well.



10 Reads Burhan Year 1 30 Reads

Year 1 Zachary

40 Reads Hajrah and Zachary Year 1

Year 2 Amida, Aizah, Fatima and Moosa

50 Reads

Adam Year 1 Moosa, Fatima and Zainab Year 2

75 Reads

Year 1 Haram Year 2 Hafsa



Well done to our Gone Green! TT Rock Stars!





Eesa M (Y6B)

Hamza A (Y5H) Ava D (Y2F)

Raees R (Y5H)

Alicia G (Y4AT)

Owais A-M (Y4S) Yazan A-M (Y4S)

Rayyan K (YRHS)



Meadteacher's Award

Raina L YRHS For always being enthusiastic and ready to learn during Discovery Time.

Muhammad YRB For fantastic writing! Well done Muhammad Noor!

Noor U-A

Maryam O

Imogen F

Y1HB For an outstanding performance as Caesar in the nativity. You were confident, loud

and an all-round superstar!

Zarah N For being an excellent role model and helper during our nativity. You were confident,

loud and an all-round superstar!

Viraaj V Y2C For amazing drumming skills during the Rock Steady performance.

Marwa M For your outstanding performance in our KS2 nativity this week. You have excelled

with your acting and performance skills, even improvising some parts. We are very proud of you, well done!

Anum F Y3A For super work this week, especially with her writing. Well done, Anum!

Mahnoor D Y3G For being an incredible artist. You have been brilliant at shading to create light and

dark tones in your artwork.

Jaden T Y4AT For super effort with his presentation and handwriting.

Olivia B For a positive attitude to work and behaviour and for always being kind, calm and

Minahil H Y5H For always being a lovely, kind person to everyone.

Moiz A For excellent progress in maths. You are reaching problem solving questions every

lesson-well done!

Jonah B For showing a great understanding in our measuring unit within maths and

challenging himself to solve more reasoning problems. For producing an amazing hanging decoration, using her fine stitching skills and

super accurate cutting. And for always being a superstar all the time. We are so proud of you!





Online Payments







Next week, we will be rolling out logins for the MCAS App for all parents/carers who have a Smartphone. This App will be used for a variety of events and payments. From **January** you will be able to use it to:

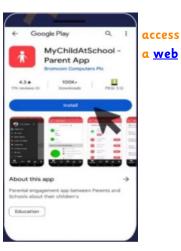
- * Pay dinner money
- * Pay for wraparound care
- * Book after school club places
- * Give permission for and pay for trips
- Pay for Ukulele
- * Notify us if your child is absent and provide a reason
- * Receive and send messages to school
- View your child's attendance
- * And much more, eventually...

PLEASE NOTE: YOU MUST NOT MAKE ANY PAYMENTS UNTIL YOU RECEIVE AN EMAIL TO SAY THE PAYMENT SYSTEM IS OPEN—THIS WILL HOPEFULLY HAPPEN TOWARDS THE END OF THE CHRISTMAS BREAK.

WE ARE SENDING OUT LOGINS NOW, SO THAT PARENTS/CARERS CAN DOWNLOAD THE APP, FAMILIARISE THEMSELVES WITH NAVIGATION AND SO THAT, NEXT WEEK, THE OFFICE CAN SUPPORT ANYONE WHO NEEDS HELP.

A Parental Guide has been sent out with the newsletter email for your information:

* You can through laptop





MCAS via the App or browser on a computer/

IF YOU REQUIRE ANY SUPPORT, PLEASE CONTACT THE SCHOOL OFFICE. اگر آپ کو کسی مدد کی ضرورت ہو تو براہ کرم اسکول کے دفتر سے رابطہ کریں۔

YOUR COMMENTS AND FEEDBACK ARE APPRECIATED

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Octonshire Road Primary School

Breakfast Club and

After School Club

We are proud to offer excellent

before and after-school provision

during term time.

each club here

Notices

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

below:



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

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 appli-

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

School Dinners



CHILDREN'S VIEWS "I like Breakfast Club because it helps me

"I really like the snacks we get, especially

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



BOLTON STUDY CENTRE





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An exclusive offer for Devonshire Road Primary School students.

Free registration (worth £45) when you join Kumon Bolton and receive
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Referral code: KPNSWJ.

Just mention this offer to the Instructor when enrolling your child.

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Learning Links









The School Reading List

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







Curriculum Links











































