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Dates to remember

Wednesday 15th October

Family Breakfast for Y1—8.00-8.40—families welcome to come together for breakfast

Thursday 16th October

Y5 trip to the Jorvik Viking Centre

Wednesday 22nd October

Parents' Evening—appointments 3.30-7.00pm

Thursday 23rd October

2.40-3.10 Y4 stay and read event—parents/carers of children in Y4 encouraged to attend

Children break up for the half term holiday

Friday 24th October

TRAINING DAY—Children not in school

Monday 3rd November

*Children back to school
Healthy: Inside and Out day*

Tuesday 4th November

Assembly led by Boomchikkaboom

Dear parents/carers,

This morning we had a visit from Rachel Reeves, our MP. She came to see our new Breakfast Club in action but then also spent time meeting with myself and Heads from other local schools. We spent time sharing with her the many challenges that schools are facing, especially around the level of need in mainstream schools, the lack of funding and the challenges within the SEND systems.

This year we are again having a range of parental engagement events. These give you, as parents and carers, the opportunity to join your child in school to see them in their classroom and engage in activities with them. We recognise the challenges for working parents and year groups have arranged events on different days and at different times to try and accommodate as many families as possible. Family Breakfasts will also continue. We look forward to seeing you in school if you are able to attend.

We also have Parents' Evening at the end of this half term. This will give an opportunity to speak to your child's class teacher and have a brief catch up with them about how your child is settling into their new class. Appointments are short so please speak to your child's class teacher if you feel you need more than your allocated time. Please follow this link to book your appointment <https://bramleystpeters.schoolcloud.co.uk/>. There will also be a range of staff including Senior staff and staff from the pastoral team available in the dining room.

I am aware that there are a number of WhatsApp groups for parent groups for specific classes/year groups across our school. We talk to children about the dangers of these groups and I feel it is the same for parents too. Groups can be well intentioned but comments can be added quickly, sometimes without a full picture or accurate information, and feeling/emotions in these groups can grow at speed too. These comments can create upset, worry and confusion. Please use these groups with caution. As a school we would rather talk to parents face to face about concerns. If you have a worry about your child, or indeed that of another child, please come and speak to staff in school first.

Today we have launched our class coin challenge. Our collective worship theme is generosity and we will once again be showing this in action. We will be collecting coins to raise money for Save The Children. The coins will be donated to the charity but classes will also be making a picture of their coins too (these will be shared when completed). Please send your child in with any coins you may have, even if it is a 1p/2p coin. Please give what you are able to. Thank you in advance.

Mrs Esplin



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BSP – Important dates for the autumn term

Important dates for this term

- Wednesday 22nd October—Parents' Evening—appointments 3.30-7.00
- Thursday 23rd October—children break up for half term
- Friday 24th October—TRAINING DAY—no children in school
- Monday 3rd November—Back to school—Healthy: Inside and Out day
- Tuesday 4th November—assembly led by 'Boomchikkaboom'
- Wednesday 5th November—stay and play event for Reception
- Wednesday 5th November—Y6 global workshop
- Monday 10th November—Respect week in school
- Tuesday 11th November—Open Morning for prospective families
- Wednesday 12th November—Y1 trip to Nell Bank
- Wednesday 12th November—NO AFTER SCHOOL CLUB—staff training
- Thursday 13th November—School discos
- Friday 14th November—Children in Need (non-uniform)
- Monday 17th November—Y4 global workshop
- Wednesday 19th November—Y6 residential to Robinwood (3 days)
- Tuesday 25th November—Open Evening for prospective families
- Wednesday 26th November—Family Breakfast for Y2
- Wednesday 3rd December—Christmas Fair
- Friday 5th December—flu immunisations
- Wednesday 10th December—KS1 Christmas performances at 9.30 and 2.15 for parents/carers
- Thursday 11th December—Christmas lunch
- Thursday 11th December—Y3 global workshop
- Tuesday 16th December—Reception Nativity at 2.15 for parents/carers
- Thursday 18th December—Carol services in St Peter's Church
- Friday 19th December—Christmas Jumper Day
- Friday 19th December—break up for Christmas holidays

Other training days for 25/26

- Monday 20th July and Tuesday 21st July



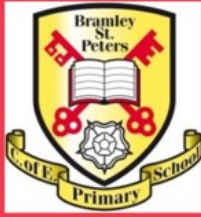
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BSP Free Breakfast Club

Every morning from
8.15am

No need to book

LET'S
ENJOY
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Picking up children for appointments—during the school day

Appointments should be booked for children outside of school hours wherever possible. We recognise that this can't always happen and you may need to pick up your child(ren) during the school day.

Picking a child up during the day is disruptive for the class and often for the child, particularly if they are at lunch or in a PE/computing lesson where they are not in their classroom. They often have to collect their coats, bags and lunchboxes if they are not returning for the day. We politely ask that you:

- Give plenty of notice, ideally at least the day before the appointment
- If giving notice on the day please do that at the start of the day so that we can plan for pick up
- Allow plenty of time for collection of your child
- Do not ring up and expect immediate collection of your child without any notice. At the point you come to reception we have to then locate your child. Depending on the time of day they could be anywhere in the school, including the playground in amongst a large number of other children. This takes extra time.



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BSP – Clubs and Events

Early Years and Key stage 1 events

	Autumn term	Spring term	Summer term
Nursery	Monday 8th December 2.15-3.00 Stay and Christmas Craft Thursday 11th December 8.45-9.30 Stay and Christmas Craft	Tuesday 3rd February 2.15-3.00 Stay and Bear Activities Thursday 5th February 8.45-9.30 Stay and Bear Activities Monday 16th March 2.15-3.00 Stay and Eater Craft Thursday 19th March 8.45-9.30 Stay and Easter Craft	Monday 18th May 2.15-3.00 Stay and Minibeasts... Thursday 5th February 8.45-9.30 Stay and Minibeasts... Tuesday 7th July 2.15-3.00 Afternoon Tea Thursday 9th July 8.45-9.30 Sunshine Breakfast
Reception	Wednesday 5th November 9.00-10.00 Stay and play (Bonfire theme)	Thursday 29th January 9.00-10.00 Stay and investigate Friday 6th March 2.30-3.10 Stay and read	Tuesday 28th April 9.00-10.00 Stay and scrap Friday 12th June 2.00-3.00 Grandparent Afternoon Tea
Y1	Thursday 6th November 2.30-3.00 Stay and Autumn Craft	Tuesday 3rd March 9.00-9.30 Stay and read	Wednesday 20th May 2.30-3.00 Stay and Create
Y2	Tuesday 16th December 9.00-9.30 Stay and Christmas Craft	Thursday 5th February 2.30-3.00 Stay and Read	Wednesday 20th May 2.30-3.00 Stay and Skip

Key Stage 2 Events

Y3	Monday 15th December 9.00-9.30 Stay and Christmas Craft	Wednesday 4th March 9.00-9.30 Stay and Read	Thursday 4th June 9.00-9.30 Stay and Scrap Shed
Y4	Thursday 23rd October 2.40-3.10 Stay and Read	Wednesday 14th January 9.00-9.30 Stay and Investigate	Friday 15th May 9.00-9.30 Stay and Multiply
Y5	Thursday 6th November 9.00-9.30 Stay and Create	Tuesday 13th January 9.00-9.30 Stay and Read	Tuesday 23rd June 9.00-9.30 Stay and Problem Solve
Y6	Tuesday 21st October 9.00-9.30 Stay and Origami	Wednesday 14th January 2.30-3.00 Stay and Read	Thursday 2nd July 9.00-9.30 Stay and Quiz

Family Breakfast Events

Family breakfasts are where you, your child and other family members can come and have a light breakfast together in the school gym, put on by school. These are all on a Wednesday (see set dates in the adjacent table) from 8am until 8.35am.

Reception	8th July	Year 3	11th February
Year 1	15th October	Year 4	18th March
Year 2	26th November	Year 5/6	6th May



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Breakfast with the Chancellor of the Exchequer

Today we had a special visitor join us at our Breakfast Club. Rachel Reeves, our MP and Chancellor of the Exchequer, came to see how our free breakfast club has grown and meet the children who attend. She sat with the children and asked them what they enjoyed about coming to Breakfast Club and spoke to staff too.

We also had Councillors Tom Hinchliffe, Adele Rae and Kevin Ritchie join us as well.



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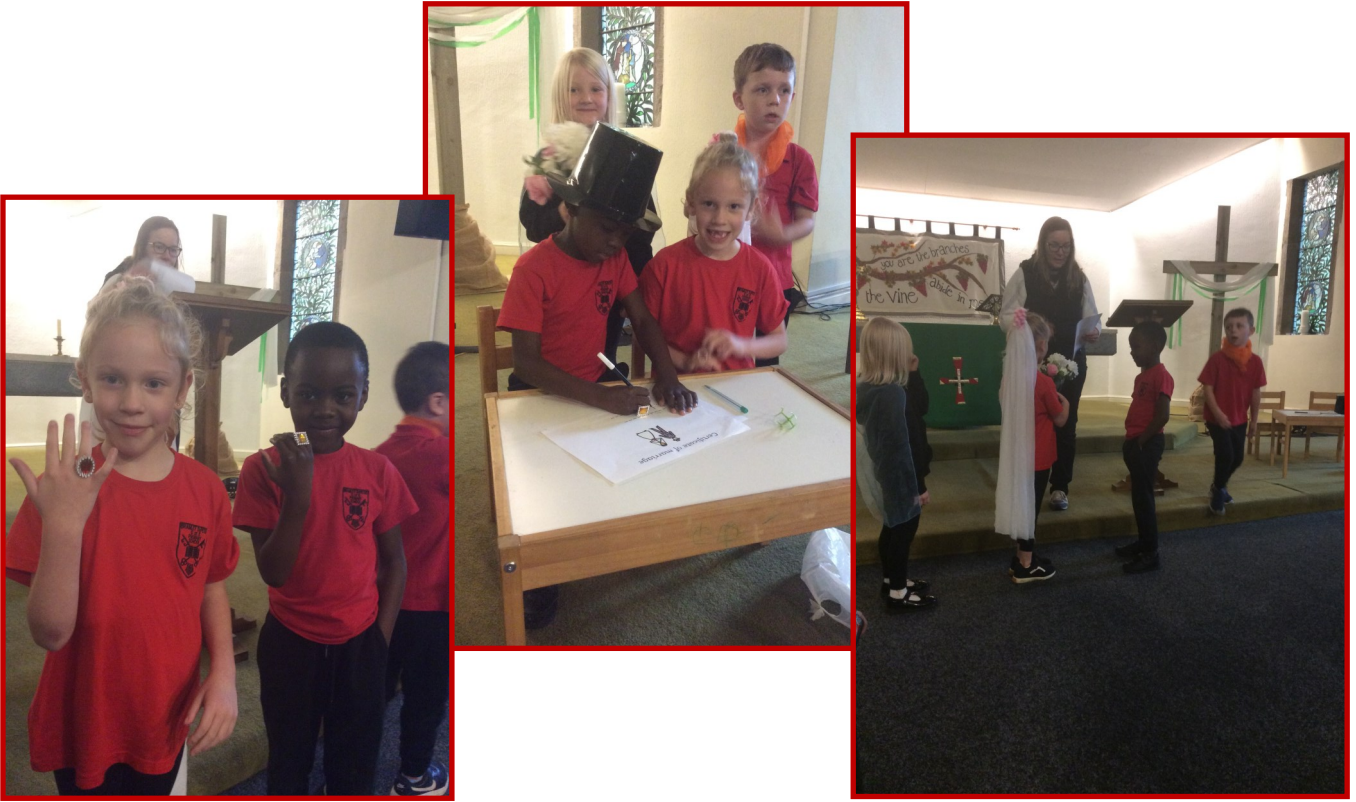


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BSP – Gallery

Our Wedding—Year 1

Our year 1 children went to visit St Peter's Church and learnt all about marriage in the Christian faith. The children took part in a mock wedding whilst they were there.



Supertato Adventures—Year 1

Year 1 have had a very busy start to the year. They have been following the adventures and antics of Supertato and have built their very own version.



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