



# Braybrook Primary Academy

Head's Newsletter

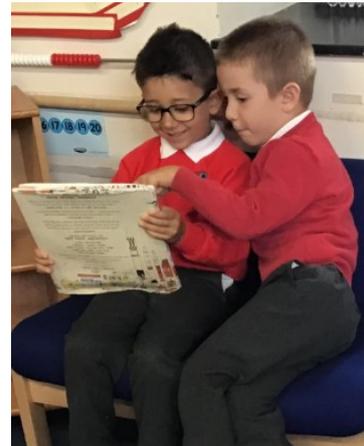
19th September 2025

We have had another fantastic week full of learning and creativity across the school.

This week, every class enjoyed a visit from the Life Education Bus as part of our PSHE learning. The sessions covered a wide range of important topics, from healthy bodies in Key Stage 1 to understanding how our brains work, and the dangers of drugs and alcohol for our Year 6 pupils.

Across the school, there has been so much exciting learning to celebrate:

- **Reception** have been exploring emotions through the story *The Colour Monster*, while also making the most of both their indoor and outdoor learning spaces.
- In Religion and Worldviews, **Year 1** have been retelling the story of Jonah and the whale. In English, they have been designing paper dolls based on themselves whilst in maths lessons, the children have been adding one more.
- **Year 2** took part in a fascinating online workshop with the National Archives as part of their topic on the Great Fire of London. The children examined different types of historical documents, thought about the reliability of sources, and discussed whether evidence could be trusted.
- **Year 3** have loved reading *How to Wash a Woolly Mammoth*. To support their work on instructional writing, the class even role-played washing woolly mammoths—generating plenty of useful verbs and adverbs to enhance their writing!
- **Year 4** have been very busy. In maths, they have been counting in thousands, while in science they investigated dental health by using disclosing tablets to see how plaque remains on teeth after eating.
- **Year 5** have produced some wonderful writing linked to World War II, really immersing themselves in their stories. In Religion and Worldviews, they have been learning about Buddhism and exploring its key beliefs.
- **Year 6** enjoyed another brilliant swimming session at Stanground, alongside writing some fantastic descriptive pieces about gargoyles, inspired by their book *Night of the Gargoyle*. In PE, they have also been developing their skills in Tag Rugby.



It has truly been a week full of creativity, curiosity, and hard work. Well done to all our pupils for their enthusiasm and effort!

Thank you for your continued support, Mr Gross and the Braybrook team

# Achievements

## Achievement award winners

19.9.25

Year 1	Christos
Year 2	Leo
Year 3	Eleonora
Year 4	Charlotte
Year 5	Jenny
Year 6	Mariama

## Braybrook Achievement Cup winner

**Deon Y4**



## Braybrook Brilliant Behaviour award

**Dwayne Y2**

## Weekly attendance winner

**Whole school attendance is currently....95.2%**

1st	Y4	96.6%
2nd	Y3	95.9%
3rd	Y1	95.1%
4th	Y2	94.2%
5th	Y5	94.1%
6th	Reception	92.8%
7th	Y6	92.4%

## POSH visit

This week, we had very special assembly with guests from Peterborough United FC. Phil spoke to the children about POSH, the club and how they are doing, before introducing them to Peter Burrow, the club's mascot. After a fun session, which included Miss King doing 'the floss', all the children were invited to go and see PUFC for free! **Claim your free tickets to see both men's and women's teams via the link on Dojo.**



# Diary Dates

## September

Monday 22nd: Foodbank harvest collection starts

Friday 26th: Level 1 Bikeability training (Y3/4)

## October

Friday 3rd: Level 3 Bikeability training (Y6)

Thursday 9th: Year 4 and 6 trip to Cambridge

Wednesday 15th—Tuesday 21st: Book Fair visit

Wednesday 15th: Year 3 Flag Fen trip

Friday 17th: Year 5 trip to Duxford IWM

Monday 20th: PINS Coffee morning for parents

Thursday 23rd: Individual pupil photographs

Friday 24th: Passport to the World Day

**27th—31st: HALF TERM**

## November

Monday 3rd: Training day (no children in school)

Wednesday 5th: New Intake welcome session (for reception  
2026-7 pupils)

Wednesday 5th: Parents' Evening

Tuesday 11th: Parents' Evening

Friday 14th: Pupil Flu vaccinations (nasal spray)