



PRIMARY WORD

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Dear Parents and Carers,

As this year ends, I wanted to take this opportunity to write to you in person. Time flies so quickly, and I am sad to say, it gets quicker as you get older, and I can hardly believe how fast this year has gone by.

It has been a full and exciting year for us all here at Brixworth Primary; from the day-to-day lessons in the school; to our 'wow start' activities and visitors, day trips and residential trips. On top of that we also had our long-awaited OFSTED inspection, which was a little stressful for everyone at the time, but the final report was so pleasing to receive with such positivity towards the school, the staff, and the children. We also had excellent end of year SATS results for Year Six, not just with exceptionally elevated levels of attainment but also the progress made by all children. It has certainly been a year that the whole school, every child, and staff member, can be enormously proud of.

We have had four members of the teaching staff have babies this year and another on the way in October, I think the plan is to grow the school's child numbers internally! We also have a member of staff, Mrs Jacks, who is retiring after working at the school for 29 years. She has been such a valued member of staff over this time and will be greatly missed.

One of our main school focuses this year has been reading. The importance of a child's reading development cannot be underestimated, and I feel it should be the priority for every primary school. A strong, able reader is not only opening up a wealth of learning for themselves but also a love of books and an opportunity for joy, knowledge and understanding of the world around them. It has therefore been so pleasing to see the excellent progress and reading levels reached by children across the school, from the Early Years Foundation Stage classes right up to Year Six. A big thank you should go to all the staff and volunteers; and to all of you who helped so much with your own child's reading development by reading with them at home; it makes such a crucial difference.

We have made close links this year with the Northampton School's Mental Health Team and we hope that this link will grow from strength to strength, supporting our children through times of need and worry. It has also been great to have developed the link with Mercedes and to have had a number of their engineers come into school to hopefully inspire our children to look towards future engineering careers.

A special thank you should go to all the members of the school's Parent Teacher Association for all their support towards the school and to Rev. David and Rev. Andy for their involvement, not just through weekly worships but through everything they bring to our community.

On a personal level I wanted to thank everyone in the school, children, staff, governors, and parents for making this, my first year at Brixworth such a wonderful time. Moving from my previous school was a very difficult decision to make but one I am so pleased that I made. The Brixworth Primary School family has been so welcoming and is so supportive, it has been a pleasure to join their team.

Finally I want to wish everyone in the Brixworth School family and in the wider community the very best summer holiday and to look forward to our next year's adventure, come September.

- Mr Tyler

Year 6 Awards



We are delighted to award all of our year 6 children certificates recognising their excellence during their time at Brixworth Primary School. Congratulations to the following pupils who received an award for going above and beyond our expectations in specific areas of curriculum or personal achievements. Well done year 6!



Award	Recipient
Ben Anderson Memorial Trophy for Excellent Sporting Achievement	Hope S
The Bunt Church Sports Cup	Will B
Year 6 Excellence in Sport	Holly W
Jones Trophy for Academic Effort	Amelie W
Barham Cup for Academic Progress Year 6	Megan K
Warner Award for Self-Motivated learning	Darcy M
Green Trophy for Excellence in Reading	Magnus D
Brixworth Bulletin Award for Excellence in Writing	Amy-Rose S
Frederick Long Trophy for Achievement in Drama	Izzy G
Harrup Shield for Excellence in Mathematics	George H
Oliver Cup for Excellence in Art	Caitlin M
Tyrer Shield for Excellence in Science	Morgan S
Daventry District Council Chairman's Trophy for Community Involvement	Olivia P
Roberts Trophy for Courtesy	Isla T
Barham Shield for Social Commendation	Flossie R
Governors' Award for upholding the School Values	Freya W
Bishop's Prize for RE	Dom C
The Year 6 Teaching Assistant Award	Jimmy O
Anna Gouldstone Award for Living the School Values	Amelie V



Unfortunately Jimmy was absent for the presentation assembly so he received his award on Monday .

BRIXWORTH PRIMARY PTA NEWSLETTER

OUR TARGET THIS YEAR

To replace the audio visual equipment in the hall and make class trips more affordable for parents.

WITH YOUR SUPPORT WE SMASHED IT - THANK YOU!!



CAN YOU HELP US?

We can only continue to fundraise with your support. If you can bake a batch of cookies, run an errand, set up a stall, run a stall.... Pls contact us -



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BRIXWORTH PRIMARY PTA NEWSLETTER

2023/24
FUNDRAISING

OUR FOCUS



Continue to make improvements to the playground and the outdoor spaces, whilst making trips affordable for all.

Watch this space!!!!

FOUNDATION FENCE AND NEW PLAY PANELS

Over the summer holidays some of our volunteers will be painting the foundation fence so that the new play panels can be fixed in place!

QUIET GARDEN

The quiet garden was closed during COVID and has become overgrown and tired. The school council has provided some fabulous ideas which the PTA will be using to make this space useable again.



WE STILL NEED YOUR SUPPORT!

We can only continue to fundraise with your support. If you can bake a batch of cookies, run an errand, set up a stall, run a stall.... Pls contact us -



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