

Newsletter

5th December 2025

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DATES FOR THE DIARY

5th Dec – Santa's Grotto & Festive Fun

9th Dec – EYFS and KS1 Nativity

10th Dec – EYFS and KS1 Nativity

16th Dec – KS2 Carol Service

17th Dec – Christmas jumper day

17th Dec – Christmas dinner day

19th Dec – Last day of term

From Mr Dyer...

We're really looking forward to seeing everyone at our Christmas Grotto event this evening. Santa's little helpers have been working their stripey socks off to have everything ready in time. Thank you for joining in and spending your hard-earned pocket money at the stalls and activities.

We have been learning about advent in assemblies this week. We learned that, for Christians, advent is about waiting for the special moment when Jesus arrives. We are grateful at this time of year for our friends at Brixington Church who put on so many fun and engaging events for our community.

Please keep an eye out for updates and information about all our upcoming Christmas events, including Nativity shows and our Carol service.

Next week we will be having our first 'Respect' Award assemblies. In these assemblies, we will be celebrating children who, since the very start of the year, have tried their best to show respectful behaviour every day.

Stars of the week!

Stars of the week mascots...



Willow Scarlett W	Oak Niamh L
1/2E Georgia M	1/2G Kalani H 1/2R Jack D
3/4J Yarush S	3/4K Chalie H 3/4P Arlo H
5/6B Leeli B	5/6H Eleanor R 5/6WS Emilia P



Willow Esmae M	Oak Maisie W
1/2E Travis H-O	1/2G Lugh A 1/2R John F
3/4J Sophia T	3/4K Ellie J 3/4P Owen L
5/6B Quinn W	5/6H Finley G 5/6WS Ralphie R



Willow George J	Oak Jasper G
1/2E Charlotte F	1/2G Sofia P 1/2R Molly C
3/4J Indie H	3/4K Reggie T 3/4P Maisie R
5/6B Amelia SO	5/6H Jacob M 5/6WS Harry S



Willow Lottie L	Oak Zachary H
1/2E Eva M	1/2G Freddie S 1/2R Mahera R
3/4J Lillie W	3/4K Esme R 3/4P Eleanor B
5/6B Jessica L	5/6H Freddie HT 5/6WS Lola J

Values Cup

Winners!



Oak	-	Teddy B
Y1/2	-	Zach T
Y3/4	-	Sebastian W
5/6	-	Khadeja G



Children at Brixington have chosen a theme of gold and red for our Christmas tree decorations at the Holy Trinity church in town this year. If you want to take part, we are asking for all tree decorations to be back in school by the 10th December. Families can visit the decorated tree between the 15th and 17th December. Get crafting!

Santa's Grotto

& festive fun evening

Come & meet Santa!!

*Also available on the night
(no tickets needed)*

- Raffle
- Tombolas
- Pocket money games
- Refreshments and treats
- Free activities (making reindeer food, letter writing & colouring)

Grotto ticket
includes a
present
£3.00



5th December, 4pm-7pm

Brixington Primary, Upper site

TICKETS AVAILABLE VIA SUMUP FROM TUES 25TH NOV
BRIXINGTON-PRIMARY-ACADEMY-PTA.SUMUPSTORE.COM



Christmas 2025 Collection

This Christmas we would appreciate donations of staple foods that will enable us to support those in need during the festive period and beyond. Items with a long shelf life are really helpful.

In particular we would welcome:

- Tins of soup
- Tins of tomatoes
- Tins of baked beans and spaghetti
- Meat meals (e.g. tinned stews, curry, meatballs)
- Tinned cold meats (e.g. corned beef, ham)
- Tins of tuna
- Packets of spaghetti and rice
- Tinned fruits
- Tins of custard and rice pudding.

Thank you for your help – we couldn't do this without you!





Brixington DECEMBER EVENTS SCHEDULE

**1
DEC**

NON UNIFORM DAY

In return for bringing a donation in for our Christmas Grotto for the PTFA

**9
DEC**

EYFS & KS1 NATIVITY PERFORMANCES

EYFS 10am KS1 2pm

**10
DEC**

EYFS & KS1 NATIVITY PERFORMANCES

EYFS 10am KS1 2pm

**16
DEC**

KS2 CHRISTMAS CAROL SERVICE

12pm til 3pm

**17
DEC**

CHRISTMAS DINNER & JUMPER DAY

For a suggested donation of £1
for Save the Children via this link:
<https://tinyurl.com/yudajbjm>

DEVON
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FREE
Family Advice
& Guidance

For Parents/Carers of children aged
0-19 and Young People aged 13 –19
(25 with SEND or Care Leaver)

Single Session Appointments available
in person, via phone or online

CALL:

Advice & Guidance Line

0800 5385458

Mon-Fri 10am—4pm

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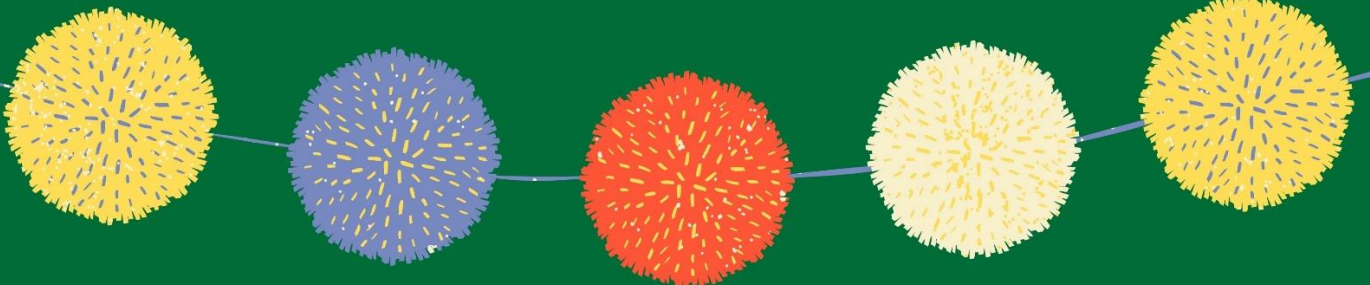


CRAFT YOUR CHRISTMAS IS BACK!



JOIN US ON SATURDAY DECEMBER 6TH
10AM-3PM FOR FREE ...

- XMAS BAKING
- THE TOWN BAND
- WINTER BIKE CHECKS
- TASTE THE DIFFERENCE
- XMAS JUMPER SWAP
- LANTERNS & PEN POT CRAFTING
- PINE CONE TREE DECORATIONS
- POMPOM MAKING
- PAW PRINT DECORATIONS!
- FABRIC WREATH-MAKING



SALVATION ARMY HALL | EXMOUTH MUSEUM | EXMOUTH ARMS | EXMOUTH
LIBRARY | SHEPPARDS ROW



Helen Plant Creative



WHAT'S ON?

SATURDAY DEC 6TH



9.30 - 12.30PM EXMOUTH LIBRARY, EXETER ROAD

Swap your Christmas jumper for a 'new' one! Make pompoms, paper tinsel and wrapping paper with Plastic Free Exmouth.



10 - 3PM

SALVATION ARMY HALL, SHEPPARDS ROW

Christmas baking - sweet and savoury! Cookery book and utensils swap. Get your bike ready to sparkle this winter! Make baubles with Wild East Devon and pine cone decorations with A La Ronde. Free refreshments - everyone is welcome.



10 - 3PM

GLENORCHY HALL, EXETER ROAD

Craft wreaths from leftover fabric, lanterns from jam jars and pen pots from tins! Join the crafting fun for free - all ages & expertise.



10 - 3PM

EXMOUTH MUSEUM, SHEPPARDS ROW

Bring your dog and make decorations with their paw prints. Look out for Devon Loves Dogs outside the Museum & don't forget your furry friend!



2 - 5PM

DICKENS AT THE MUSEUM, SHEPPARDS ROW

With two galleries open, a raffle and heritage games, look out for David Copperfield and friends throughout the day. Victorian dress optional!



11 - 3PM

MUSIC WITH THE TOWN BAND & LOCAL MUSICIANS

Join us in and around Sheppards Row for some festive tunes!



11 - 3PM

THE EXMOUTH ARMS, EXETER ROAD

Can you taste the difference between plant-based and non plant-based?! Challenge your taste buds in this tasty mince pie competition.



Glenorchy United Reformed Church

Libraries
Unlimited



Exmouth
Town Council

CHRISTMAS 2025

A Activate Camps

at Exmouth Community College

Sports & Games

Challenges

Creative Arts

Free Healthy Lunch

Fun Activities

Activate Camps are running our multi activity camp near you this holiday!

The Holiday Activity and Food (HAF) programme provides local authority funding for funded holiday places at our multi activity camp, including a healthy lunch, for eligible benefits related free school meal (FSM) children. The camp is open to both paid for places and HAF funded places. **Funded places are limited.**



Venue

Gipsy Lane, Exmouth EX8 3AF

Funded Places

Fully funded for all benefit related free school meal eligible children



Cost

£30 per day including lunch



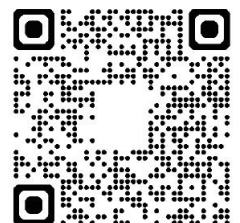
Times

10am-2pm

Dates

22nd-23rd Dec

Learn More



5-14 year olds

All camp places must be booked in advance

Limited places



activatecamps.co.uk/haf