

DATES FOR THE DIARY

5th May – Bank Holiday

15th May – School census day

15th May – PTA Disco

19th-23rd May - Sports week

19th May – Y3/4 Cake Sale

21st May – EYFS Sports morning

22nd May – Y1-6 Sports Afternoon

26th-30th May – Half term

14th Jun – PTA Sumer Fayre

16th June – Class photos

19th June Y1/2 Cake sale

17th July – FSU cake sale

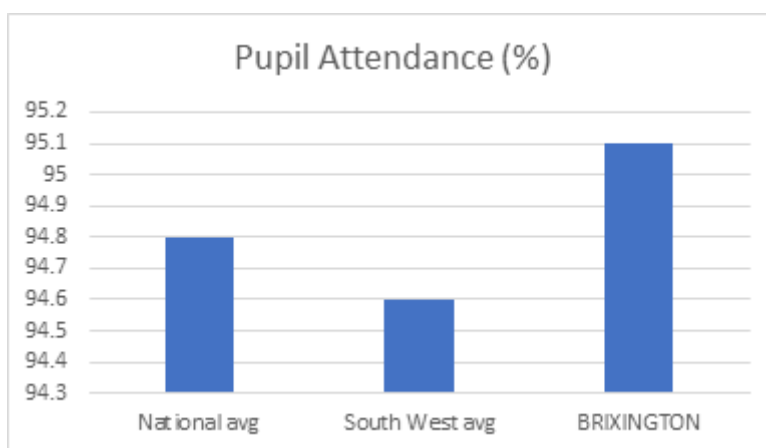
23rd July End of term

From Mr Dyer...

MTA vacancy

We have a short-term vacancy to support lunchtimes at our school from 12.00-13.30 each day. The role would include supporting Nursery children and Resource Base children with dinner times and is a great way to take a first step into working for a school and/or to earn a few more pennies before the summer holidays! If you are interested, please contact us straight away.

Pupil attendance



Our current attendance is a little above national and regional averages but lower than our target of 97%. You can read our attendance principles at <https://www.brixington.devon.sch.uk/pupil-attendance/>, where there is also advice for how to decide if your child is well enough to attend school. Please remember that every single session in school is crucial, and attending every day ensures your child keeps up with key learning.

School Readiness

This week, I met other head teachers from across the First Federation Trust to discuss school readiness. We looked at the results of a recent survey, which caused a great deal of discussion amongst the group! I think that lots of our parents would find the results interesting regarding what is considered 'school ready'. You can see the survey's results here:

<https://kindredsquared.org.uk/school-readiness-survey/>

PE Impact Day

This week, lots of our children benefitted from targeted sports coaching from Dartmoor Sports Partnership. The aim was to encourage children who find sports participation difficult, and the children loved finding new ways to enjoy keeping fit and healthy.

Stars of the week!

Stars of the week mascots...



Willow **George J** Oak **Lugh A**
1/2D **Finley O-M** 1/2G **Jaxon C** 1/2P **Patsy H**
3/4J **Bryn J** 3/4K **Kitt E** 3/4P **Erin L**
5R **Leeli B** 5WS **Harry S** 6BH **Poppy G** 6H **Theo O**



Willow **Nala I** Oak **Natalie O'D**
1/2D **Leo G** 1/2G **Lola G** 1/2P **Ella B**
3/4J **Riley W** 3/4K **Albie B** 3/4P **Jake B**
5R **Lilly N** 5WS **Mia SO** 6BH **Athena C** 6H **Sienna S**



Willow **Gracie S** Oak **Clara K**
1/2D **Lottie F** 1/2G **Finn W** 1/2P **Zac F**
3/4J **Mollie F** 3/4K **Jaxson B** 3/4P **Charlie HT**
5R **Khadeja G** 5WS **Jack M** 6BH **Thea F** 6H **Lacey C**



Willow **Vallen W** Oak **River H**
1/2D **Bobby-Lee B** 1/2G **Asna G** 1/2P **Skylar W**
3/4J **Alice W** 3/4K **Poppy W** 3/4P **William B**
5R **Harry HD** 5WS **Eloise G** 6BH **Leo H** 6H **Harry J**

Values Cup

Winners!



Oak - Elizabeth K

Y1/2 - Ivy F

Y3/4 - Isaac K

Y5/6 - Ruby D

Non uniform day 16.05.25

On Friday 16th May, we will be holding a non-uniform day to mark Mental Health Awareness Day, with the theme "Dress to Express Yourself". We kindly ask for a donation of £1, with all money raised going to Headsup – a fantastic charity that has worked tirelessly with our school and pupils to provide vital mental health support.

Silent disco 21.05.25

Primary sports are holding a Silent disco on Wednesday 21st May in the lower site studio. Places are limited to 30 so early booking is advised. For more information, please see the poster attached to the newsletter.

Bank Holiday 05.05.25

Please note, we are not in school on Monday 5th May as it is a bank holiday. Please remember to book lunches for your child for the w/c Tuesday 6th May.

Year 6 after party

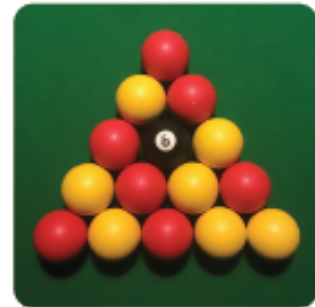
CALLING ALL YEAR 6'S !!

Join us at The Hive youth centre for an evening full of fun activities, opportunities to meet new people, and learn about what year 7 has to offer!

Slime making
Cupcake decorating
Zorbs
Dodgeball
Free pizza
And more...



£5
per person



Tuesday 27th May
2pm - 4pm

Tuesday 27th May
5pm-7pm



01395 224259



The Hive Youth Centre, The Kennaway
Centre, 10-12 Victoria Rd
Exmouth, EX8 1DL

BOOK HERE



Spring

Disco

Tickets can be bought with cash in the office
or via - [brixington-primary-academy-
pta.sumupstore.com](http://brixington-primary-academy-pta.sumupstore.com)

Timings

Reception 3.15 pm to 4.00 pm (Parent to stay)

Years 1 and 2: 4.15 pm to 5.15 pm (Parent drop off/pick up only)

Years 3 and 4: 5.30 pm to 6.30 pm (Parent drop off/pick up only)

Years 5 and 6: 6.45 pm to 7.45 pm (Parent drop off/pick up only)

Thursday 15th May





PRIMARY SPORTS – SILENT DISCO

Brixington Primary Academy

Mr Troman from Primary Sports will be running a Silent Disco event for children in Year 1 to Year 6. The session will take place on **Wednesday 21st of May 2025**

SESSION – 5.30pm to 6.30pm

“Our amazing silent disco will give the children a brand-new unforgettable experience. The children will have headphones with the choice of switching between 3 different playlists with accompaniment of fluorescent lighting

We can only cater for 30 children so please book as soon as possible using the instructions below. The cost of the session will be **£7.50**. Children must be collected from the school at **6.30pm**

BRIXINGTON PRIMARY ACADEMY SILENT DISCO EVENT

To make a booking for the club please follow the instructions below:

- **1 – Enter our website – www.primary-sports.co.uk**
- **2 – Click on the “Booking now tab”**
- **3 – Click on the “Brixington Primary Academy – Silent Disco” tab**
- **4 – Complete the online booking form**

Mr Troman holds a clean enhanced DBS through Primary Sports. All equipment will be provided; children are expected to wear suitable bright PE Clothing and trainers. It is the responsibility of parents to make sure that inhalers are brought with the child and that the coaches are informed of medical conditions.

Silent Discos could result in a child being injured. Primary Sports and Education will accept no liability.

COOL TO BE ACTIVE...
FUN TO BE FIT

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KALEIDOSCOPIC MINDS

We are very excited to present Exeter Phoenix's very first Festival of Neurodiversity – Kaleidoscopic Minds, an event designed by, and for, neurodivergent people and their families.

Join us for a day of art workshops, creative activities, connection and resources on Sunday 13th July 2025. This will be a day to celebrate the neurodivergent community, to inspire creativity, and to explore new connections, as well as discover support tools and regulation strategies. Between 11am – 4pm we'll be offering a diverse programme of activities for all ages, as well as a Poco Drom family rave, conversational crafts, and sensory areas for quiet regulation. We will also have local neurodivergent charities on site providing support and information on their services. From 4pm join us for a social in the café bar or head over to Studio 74 for a special screening of 'The Stimming Pool'.

...and more to be announced!

