



Brent Knoll Primary School Newsletter

Friday 15th November 2024

Dear Parents/Carers Our pre-schoolers were out an about this week, enjoying the last of the current warmth and planting bulbs in anticipation of next Spring. The forecast for next week is for much colder weather so please ensure your child comes to school with a jumper and coat, ready for outdoor play. Kind regards Chris Burman



It was lovely to see so many parents coming in to meet the teachers on Monday afternoon; we hope the meetings proved useful. With support from home (especially for **daily reading**) and good attendance at school (which is currently a very good **96.5%**) we can really work together to get the best outcomes for all our children. If you have any questions following your meeting, please do not hesitate to get in touch.



The whole school took part in Remembrance on Monday morning. Children from Camelot Class (photo above) led the short assembly out on the playground by sharing one of the most famous war poems – In Flanders Fields - as well as the names of some of the fallen from Brent Knoll. All the children, from YR to Y6 stood in silence for two minutes at 11am and we were very proud of the way they showed respect. At the same time, Alex and Esme from Y5 (photo left) joined representatives of all the Trust schools at a similar ceremony held at Kings of Wessex in Cheddar. Thank you to everyone who bought a Poppy.

With carnival and Guy Fawkes celebrations having now passed, we are already working hard on our preparations for Christmas. As you can see on the poster opposite, we have a Christmas Jumper day on December 12th, which is also in support of **Save the Children**

<https://www.savethechildren.org.uk/christmas-jumper-day>.

Wednesday 18th December is a big day for us as that is when there will be the KS1 Nativity; pre-school carols around the tree; and the Christingle carol service at the church. The **Christingle** is led by all the children of KS2 and will start at 6.30pm and all are welcome to attend. The school's Christmas lunch is on the final day of term, which is Friday 20th December.

CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY & RAINBOW RAFFLE
12TH DEC 2024

CHRISTMAS JUMPER DAY IN EXCHANGE FOR A COLOURED ITEM FOR THE HAMPER RAFFLE
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