



Message from Miss Snow



What an exciting week we've had at Burnt Oak Junior School! We've enjoyed two fantastic school visits and welcomed The Education Group, who delivered engaging workshops across year groups about online safety. Coinciding with Internet Safety Day, we've also been marking Children's Mental Health Week through meaningful classroom activities. You'll have received our half term topic letters with homework ideas for the children. While we encourage learning, we also want to emphasise the importance of rest during the break. As we prepare for Spring 2, I hope everyone takes time to recharge and relax.

Wishing you all a lovely half term break.

Learning

Our two oldest year groups, Year 5 and Year 6, enjoyed learning beyond the classroom this week.



Year 5 took part in a Roman battle re-enactment at a local park, bringing their history topic to life in a fun and active way.

Year 6 travelled to the British Museum to visit the Mayan exhibition, where they were able to see real artefacts linked to their learning.

ATTENDANCE

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Well done to 6T, who were our attendance winners this week with an excellent 98.8% attendance! As 6T were away on a school trip, representatives from 3T and 5B proudly lifted the trophy on their behalf.

3T and 5B also deserve congratulations, as they came joint second with a fantastic 97.7% attendance.



Happy

This week, we celebrated Children's Mental Health Week with the theme "*This is My Place*." Our children explored belonging and self-acceptance throughout the week, and 5S's inspiring performance of "*This is Me*" in their classroom this morning truly captured the spirit of the celebration.

Safe

Safer Internet Day was a fantastic opportunity for our children to explore the world of AI and learn how to identify AI-generated images. Our workshops yesterday were incredibly engaging, providing valuable insights into digital literacy. Keep an eye out for the letter that will guide you on how to access the resources shared during our parent workshop. These materials will be a great way to continue the important conversations about online safety at home.



Parking

We have received a report from a neighbour about inconsiderate parking over driveways during drop-off and pick-up times, as well as concerns about behaviour when approached. We kindly remind all parents and carers to park considerately and keep driveways and access points clear at all times. Please also be respectful and courteous to members of our local community.

Thank you for your support in helping us maintain positive relationships with our neighbours and in keeping everyone safe.

Diary Dates

Mon 16th Feb—Friday 20th Feb—Half Term

Tues 24th Feb—Young Voices

Weds 25th March—Y4 Choir to Hurst Primary/Boys vs Brampton Bexley Cup

Fri 27th Feb—PTA Quiz 6.45pm

Mon 2nd March—Attendance Drop in (CIS)/SEND Coffee Morning (BOJ)

Tues 3rd March—TPA Netball Competition

Mon 9th March—HSBC Workshops (All)

Tues 10th March—Bexley Music/Y4 Choir Rehearsal at BOJ

REWARD ASSEMBLY

Congratulations to the following children who were celebrated in today's assembly:

3B	1. Mya 2. Eva
3T	1. Harold 2. Ivy
4T	1. Deren 2. Izelle
4Y	1. Joshua 2. Rose
5B	1. Mia 2. Stanley
5S	1. Verity 2. Ella
6D	<i>On a School Visit</i>
6T	<i>On a School Visit</i>
Sport	Afuw (Y4)
Attendance	6T
Kindness	Bethany & Everley (Y3)

