



# Spotlight On...



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Biggin Hill Primary School

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## Message from Mr Peart

Dear Parents/Carers,

It has been a wonderfully busy and exciting week at Biggin Hill Primary School, filled with fun and engaging learning experiences. The children have enjoyed special themed days such as Science Day and Number Day, where curiosity, creativity, and teamwork were at the heart of every activity. From fascinating experiments to hands-on Maths challenges, there has been so much to explore and enjoy.

There's still more excitement to come, with World Book Day just around the corner. Everyone is looking forward to celebrating a love of reading and sharing favourite stories together. The fun learning truly never ends at Biggin Hill Primary School!

A huge well done also goes to our Year 6 children, who have completed their Mock SATs this week. They have all worked incredibly hard, showing great perseverance and determination. Their effort and positive attitude have really paid off, and the whole school is proud of their achievements.

Mr Peart  
Deputy Head and Safeguarding Lead

## Stars of the Week

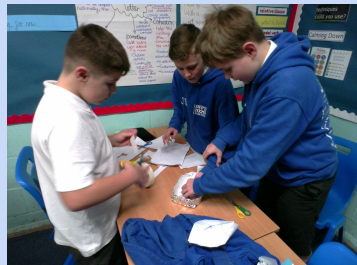
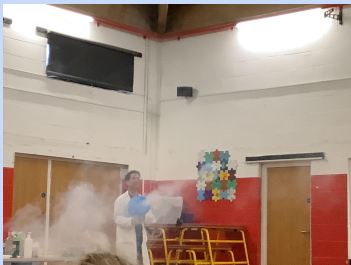
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0RB - Miah D  
1CE - Elliot C  
1T - Freddie B  
2E - Sadie A  
2M - Matteo MK  
3S - Isla G  
3C - Maddie G  
4C - Albie M  
4LT - Ronnie A  
5P - Emilie H & Emma O  
5RKP - Megan P & Jacob D  
6F - Emmy R  
6C - Ronnie-Scott M  
Aspire - Cameron M

*Congratulations!*

## Science Day!

Science Day at Biggin Hill Primary School was filled with excitement and discovery. The children attended a special workshop where a visiting scientist demonstrated a range of fascinating experiments. From bubbling potions to colourful reactions, everyone was amazed by the wonders of science in action.

Back in their classrooms, the pupils became scientists themselves, carrying out their very own experiments. They made predictions, tested their ideas, and observed what happened — just like real researchers. It was a fantastic day of hands-on learning that inspired curiosity and a love for science across the school.



## Weekly Whole School Attendance 94.4%

### Weekly Class Attendance

**Excellent attendance 'gold'**  
98-100%  
5RKP - 98.6%  
0RC - 99.3%

**Good attendance 'green'**  
96-97.9%  
6C - 96.3%  
2E - 96.3%  
3C - 96.4%

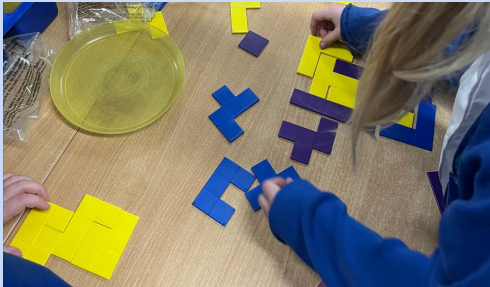
*Well Done!*

## House Points

**Rowling**  
**Holmes**  
**Attenborough**  
**Hawking**

# Number Day!

Number Day at Biggin Hill Primary School was a fantastic celebration of all things Maths! The children took part in an exciting, hands-on Maths lesson that encouraged problem-solving, creativity, and teamwork. Using Pentominoes, they explored how to create different rectangles, testing out various combinations and patterns. They also worked with Tangrams to form a range of interesting shapes, discovering how geometry can be both challenging and fun.



## DIARY DATES

*Keep a note!*

- 9th February - Special Recognition Assembly (Invitation Only)
- 10th February - Parent Consultations (3.30pm-7.00pm)
- 12th February - Parent Consultations (3.30pm-5.00pm)
- 13th February - Own Clothes Day - Drinkable Bottle Donation (Please see information from the Friends)
- 13th February - Last Day of Term**
- 23rd February - First Day of Term**
- 25th February - Year 5 Class Celebrations
- 26th February - **Class 5RKP** - Parent Consultations (3:30-5:30 pm)
- 27th February - Year 4 Trip - Horniman Museum
- 5th March - World Book Day
- 6th March - Bingo and Bubbles Night (Adults only Event - Friends Event- Please see email sent)
- 11th March - Year 3 Class Celebrations
- 13th March - Comic Relief Day
- 18th March - Year 1 Class Celebrations
- 19th March - Reception Farm Buzz Day

## Media Awareness

These ratings are in place to help ensure that children are only accessing content that is suitable for their age group. Please take a moment to review the information on the poster and check the age ratings of any media your child watches or plays.

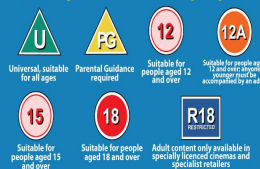
By following these guidelines, we can work together to keep our children safe and ensure they enjoy age-appropriate entertainment at home.

### RATINGS FOR FILMS, TV & MUSIC VIDEOS

Since 1912, the BBFC (British Board of Film Classification) has informed UK residents of the age suitability of films, TV and music videos - providing parents with the information needed to assess whether or not it is appropriate for their child's age. This applies to cinema releases, DVDs and streaming video services such as Netflix.

#### WHAT ARE THE BBFC RATINGS?

BBFC ratings are broken down into seven age categories:



#### WHAT ELSE CAN BBFC REVEAL?

Accompanied with the age suitability rating, BBFC also provide an additional warning regarding the content and what to expect, such as swearing, sexual content, violence and anything you may consider to be inappropriate for your child. In addition to this, the content is also rated in three levels: frequent, mild or strong.

#### LIMITATIONS OF BBFC RATINGS

It's important to note that there is no obligation on streaming video services to use or display BBFC ratings. Due to this, we advise that you check the rating online before your child streams the content. It may also be a good idea to watch the content first yourself or discuss it with other parents to help you decide whether or not it is suitable for your child.

### RATINGS FOR GAMES

PEGI (Pan European Game Information) is a content rating system that ensures all video games are labelled with a minimum age recommendation. These age recommendations are based on the types of content featured within a game. With each game, PEGI also provides a content descriptor that indicates the potential issues and concerns, including sex, violence, bad language and drugs.

#### WHAT ARE THE PEGI RATINGS?

PEGI ratings are split into age restriction and content descriptors. Additional content descriptors help parents and children to understand the type of content featured within a particular game, including sex, fear, bad language, discrimination, gambling, drugs, violence, and in-game purchases. In combination, the two different ratings can provide a good level of information to help make informed decisions regarding the suitability for your child.

PEGI age ratings are broken down into five categories:



PEGI content descriptors are broken down into eight categories:



#### LIMITATIONS OF PEGI RATINGS

It's possible for young people to buy games online without a required proof of age, opening them up to age-inappropriate content without you knowing. We advise that you regularly monitor your child's gaming activities and maintain a honest and healthy dialogue with them about the online world.

#### PARENTAL CONTROLS

It is a good idea to put in place parental controls for all online accounts which your child may use to purchase or download online games e.g. The App Store, Google Play Store, PlayStation Store and Microsoft Xbox Store etc.

## World Book Day

WORLD  
BOOK  
DAY  
5 MARCH 2026

*We are excited to celebrate World Book Day on Thursday, 5th March. Children are invited to dress up as their favourite book character on this day. Parents/carers do not need to purchase dressing up costumes - homemade outfits are always enjoyable to make and fun to wear and Vinted is an excellent place to find pre-loved costumes as well.*

*If your child does not want to dress up, they can bring in their favourite book.*

## Weekly Lunch Menus

We will continue sending out weekly menus each Friday afternoon as we feel this is working well for families and keeps this fresh in your inbox!



HAVE A FANTASTIC WEEKEND  
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