BRUTON PRIMARY SCHOOL
WEEKLY PLANNER

Day	Event
Monday 9th November	• PE day for Auklet, Barn Owl, Cuckoo, Dove and Eagle • 2pm Year 1/2 Learning Afternoon. Cuckoo, Dove and Eagle parents and carers are welcome to join us. Please wait by the main gate
Tuesday 10th November	• PE Day for Cuckoo and Falcon • 12-12.30pm Lunchtime Football Club on the field with Mr Tucker for those children who are signed up • 12-12.30pm Lunchtime Running Club on the field with Mrs Thompson for those children who are signed up – **Unless your child has PE on a Tuesday, they should come to school dressed in school uniform with trainers in a named carrier bag** • Dance workshop at Ansford Academy for selected Year 5 pupils. If your child is attending this workshop, please ensure they are wearing PE kit with trainers. This event will be taking place during the school day, therefore, drop off and pick up are as normal • 3.30pm-4.30pm Art Club with Helena Jacobsen. Please contact Helena directly for further information for all other enquiries (hbbjacobsen@gmail.com)
Wednesday 11th November	• PE day for Dove, Eagle, Falcon, Goldfinch and Hawk • 11am Remembrance Service in school for pupils only • 3.30pm-4.30pm Art Club with Helena Jacobsen. Please contact Helena directly for further information and for all other enquiries (hbbjacobsen@gmail.com)
Thursday 12th November	• PE Day for Goldfinch, Hawk, Ibis and Kingfisher • Auklet and Barn Owl will have forest school. Please ensure your child brings wellies to school • Rocksteady for those children who have signed up. Should you have a query regarding lessons/payments, please contact Rocksteady directly • 12pm-12.30pm Lunchtime Choir Club in Cuckoo Class with Mrs Patel for those children signed up • 3.30pm-4.30pm Afterschool Cooking Club with Serena Mitchell for those children signed up. Meet outside the dining room.
Friday 13th November	• PE Day for Auklet, Barn Owl, Ibis and Kingfisher • Children in Need Day! Children are invited to come to school dressed in pyjamas in exchange for a small change donation. Please see the box below regarding a competition that children are invited to enter • 12pm-12.30pm Lunchtime Netball Club with Mrs Newbury for those children signed up • Djembe Drum Group Lesson for all Year 6 pupils with Chris Large

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STARS OF THE WEEK & LEARNING BEHAVIOUR AWARDS

Auklet: Olivia & Ida
Barn Owl: Trixie & Billy
Cuckoo: Scarlett & Isla-Rose
Dove: Alicia & Isla
Eagle: Bay & Autumn
Falcon: Miles & Benjamin
Goldfinch: Rory & Robyn
Hawk: Arlo J & Arthur
Ibis: Mason & Otto
Kingfisher: Mabel & Kristian

Writer of the Week Award

*KS1 – **Jowan, Eagle*** *KS2 – **Caspar, Kingfisher***

Attendance

Well done to Dove Class who are this week's attendance superheroes!

Class	Weekly Attendance	Class	Weekly Attendance	Class	Weekly Attendance
Auklet	91.8%	Eagle	95%	Ibis	96.9%
Barn Owl	86.8%	Falcon	97.4%	Kingfisher	96.1%
Cuckoo	98.6%	Goldfinch	96%	Whole School Attendance this week is 95.9%	
Dove	99.3%	Hawk	97.1%		



Children in Need Pudsey Competition

Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 - Children will come home with an outline of Pusdey, which they can colour, paint or collage if they wish.

Years 3 to 6 – Pupils are invited to draw, paint or collage Pudsey on a plain piece of paper.

The entry fee for the competition is 50p, and all money raised will go to Children in Need. Children will need to write their name, year group and class on the back of the sheet, and return it to the school office, along with the 50p entry fee, by Friday 13th November, for judging by the school council. We look forward to seeing their wonderful creations!

Request for Old Toys

Years 1 and 2 will be having an 'Old Toy Museum Day' in November. If you have any suitable old toys, ideally toys from the 1980's or earlier, that you would be happy to lend us for a few days, Mrs Hambleton would love to hear from you! Please email her on dove@eastsomersetfederation.co.uk.

Thank you!

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Courses for Separated Parents

Please click on the link below for details of free online courses for separated parents run by Somerset Council.

https://supportservicesforeducation.co.uk/Article/193831

https://www.cypsomersethealth.org/?page=events__parenting_cafes_and_parenting_when_separated_courses

Antenatal Courses for Strengthening Couple Relationships

Please click on the link below for further information.

https://www.cypsomersethealth.org/managing_relationship_con

Zambia Fundraiser - music, drinks & craft activities for the kids

Friday 20th November, from 5pm

Downstairs At the Chapel

Come and have a drink and raise some money to help our Zambia Partnership – all monies raised will go towards flights for teachers from Mufulira Mine Primary School to come to Bruton in 2027.

Suggested donation £5 per adult (but please - give what you can afford, every little helps and everyone is welcome!)

Parking at school drop off and pick up

We kindly request that parents do not park in front of the pedestrian access gate (pictured right).

Now that the pedestrian pathway is two-way, this gate is the single exit point, making exiting and entering difficult if a car is parked in front of the gate.

Thank you for your cooperation.



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Advert - Weekly Cleaner - Bruton Primary School

Role: Cleaner

Rate of Pay: Somerset Pay Grade 15 - Spinal Point 3 - £13.28 per hour

Hours of Work: Monday - Friday 2 hours per day (10 hours per week) Term time only

The East Somerset Federation are currently recruiting for a Cleaner at Bruton Primary School to clean the school on a daily basis from Monday to Friday each week. The role is term time only.

The role will be for 2 hours per day with the cleaning to be undertaken outside of the school hours. The cleaning can be undertaken either in mornings or evenings, exact times to be agreed at interview.

There will be an option to do some additional deep cleaning during school holidays to be discussed at the interview.

Checks and Qualifications:

All staff are required to complete an Enhanced DBS check prior to employment.

Start Date: 2 November 2026 or as soon as possible

Applications: Please send applications to brutonoffice@eastsomersetfederation.co.uk

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DATES FOR YOUR DIARY		
Date	Event	Details
Tuesday 17th November	Rocksteady Assembly	
Monday 23rd November	Railway Safety Assembly	
Tuesday 24th November	Hauser & Wirth trip for Falcon, Goldfinch and Hawk	
Thursday 26th November	Christmas Disco – **All tickets MUST be pre-booked and paid for on Arbor** • 3.45pm-4.45pm - Auklet, Barn Owl, Cuckoo, Dove and Eagle (please bring party clothes) • 5pm - 6pm - Falcon, Goldfinch, Hawk, Ibis and Kingfisher	
Friday 27th November	3.30pm Barn Owl Class Cake Sale	In the lower quad
Thursday 3rd December	2pm Year 3 & 4 Learning Afternoon	Falcon, Goldfinch and Hawk parents and carers are welcome to join us
Sunday 6th December	School Choir to perform at The Newt at 3pm	
Tuesday 8th December	Ibis and Kingfisher visit to The Tank Museum at Bovington	Details nearer the time
Tuesday 8th December	AM – KS1 Nativity Performance PM – Reception Nativity Performance	More detailed timings and information on how to book tickets will be sent out nearer the time
Wednesday 9th December	AM – Reception Nativity Performance PM – KS1 Nativity Performance	
Wednesday 9th December	Years 3 to 6 will be going to Ansford Academy to watch their production of Mary Poppins in the morning	
Thursday 10th December	2pm Rocksteady Concert for parents	
Thursday 10th December	3.30pm-5pm PSA Frost Fair	See poster above
Monday 14th December	3.45pm Amy Dickinson's Pupil Concert for parents	In the hall
Wednesday 16th December	Christmas Lunch	Details nearer the time
Thursday 17th December	2pm Carol Service at St Mary's Church, Bruton for Years 3 to 6	Parents are welcome to join us
Friday 18th December	Dove Class Cake Sale	
Monday 21st December to Friday 1st January	Christmas Holidays	
Monday 4th January	INSET	No children in school
Friday 29th January	3.30pm Kingfisher Class Cake Sale	In the quad
Wednesday 3rd February	Year 5/6 Learning Afternoon	Parents and Carers are welcome to join the class
Thursday 4th February	Welly walk	Details nearer the time
Monday 8th February	3.50pm – 6.30pm Parents Evening Sessions	Details nearer the time
Wednesday 10th February	3.50pm – 6.30pm Parents Evening Sessions	Details nearer the time
Thursday 11th February	We The Curious, Bristol – trip for Falcon, Goldfinch and Hawk Classes	Details nearer the time
Monday 15th to Friday 19th February	Half Term	
Friday 26th February	3.30pm Cuckoo Class Cake Sale	In the quad

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