

A Year Of Success In Primary

Dear Parents,

We have had an extremely successful year this year in terms of academics, with the number of children attaining age-related expectations or above in maths, improving by 24% in Year 3, 10% in Year 4 and 34% in Year 5 when compared with the end of academic year 2022-2023.

Also, the number of children attaining age-related expectations or above in English, improved by 2% in Year 3, 10% in Year 4 and 14% in Year 5

Our GEMS and Cambridge reviews this year highlighted not only our academic success, but our holistic approach to the education of the children, in terms of extracurricular learning, sports and the care and well-being of the children.

We have had some excellent success in the sporting events this year and have done very well in our BSME & EEP events. This year the U9 (Years 3&4) football team won 2nd place in the BSME Football tournament held at NCBIS. Our U10 Basketball ,Boys and Girls (Years 4&5) won the EEP Cup , the U10 Football boys





won 3rd place and girls won 2nd place in the EEP Cup and we won lots of gold silver and bronze in athletics and swimming! Go The Eagles! It was great to see so many of you at the EEP run in May too, I will try for the 5Km next year (maybe!)

Our children have made us proud of all of their achievements this year, and we have been able to share these with you during events like the EYFS picnic, our sports days, the Art Exhibition, Year 4's production of Charlie & the Chocolate Factory, Year 5's The Wizard of Oz, The EYFS Graduations, and our Learning Assemblies to name but a few. Our children have shown how they have been developing as global citizens though the GEMS Challenge of the Pharaohs, and some of them have just visited TBS to represent our school and receive their certificates.

Personally, I have been amazed by the welcoming environment here at BISM, and the desire of all the staff and students alike to make our school a positive and safe learning environment for everyone. From anti-bullying week and PSHE lessons, to mental health week, there is so much happening in school to encourage our children to feel supported and cared for. Student voice is important to us too and



the Student Council has been proactive this year in voicing out the thoughts and ideas of the children, and our wonderful parent reps have supported us throughout the year with their ideas and feedback. We know that next year will be even better, and we are looking forward to developing more opportunities for the children to grow and learn. We aim to develop our academics to make them stronger than ever, incorporate more opportunities for the children to participate in sustainability and global citizenship learning, and we look forward to involving you the community more in our day-to-day life. Together, we can build a community that fosters growth, creativity, and a sense of belonging for every child. We are excited to embark on this journey with you, and we invite you to share your ideas, volunteer your time, and join us in making our school a vibrant and inclusive place for all. Have a great summer and we look forward to seeing you in September, as we continue to encourage our children to.

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Seek Challenges.

Make a Positive Change.

