## Newsletter





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#### 24<sup>th</sup> October 2024

What a fantastic final week of this half term we have all had. It has been lovely to see all the wonderful learning going on in each class. Class Bray have been learning all about Diwali this week and have had lots of fun creating lanterns. Class Taw have written some incredible stories based on The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe and ended the week watching the film. Class Taw have been busy creating stained glass windows in the art studio.

Thank you to all the families who were able to join us for the harvest festival in the church this afternoon. It was delightful to see the church so full and be able to share our harvest celebrations with you. Thank you for all your kind donations, I know they will be gratefully received by the North Devon Food Bank.

We wish you all a very happy half term, enjoy all that you do and cherish time together. Mrs. Day

#### Admissions policy for 2026-27: Annual Consultation

Along with all other schools and academies in Devon, we are consulting on an admission policy for 2026-27. The Local Authority is also consulting on its admission arrangements. You are invited to look at the proposals and have your say. Our proposed policy is on our admission page <a href="http://www.primaryschoolsnorthdevon.co.uk/website/joining\_our\_school/266363">http://www.primaryschoolsnorthdevon.co.uk/website/joining\_our\_school/266363</a>

and you can see all policies at <u>http://devon.cc/schoolpolicy</u> . Further information is here: <u>www.devon.gov.uk/admissionarrangements</u>

The formal consultation runs until 10<sup>th</sup> January 2025. Policies will be determined on 29<sup>th</sup> January 2025 and published in the same places by 15<sup>th</sup> March 2025.

#### Secondary school admission applications for September 2025

The closing date for applications is 31<sup>st</sup> October 2024.

Many secondary schools in Devon are under pressure with space due to local growth, so it is essential that applicants applying on-time.

To apply <u>use the online application form</u> to express your preference(s). If you cannot apply online, please contact the Education helpline on <u>0345 155 1019</u> and ask for a paper copy of the form to be sent to you.

### Ventrus Job Vacancies

# Bratton Fleming School is a NO NUT Zone

## Dates for your diary

28 <sup>th</sup> October - 1 <sup>st</sup> November	Half Term Holiday
6 <sup>th</sup> November	Visit to school from Exmoor Zoo
12 <sup>th</sup> November	Tempest Photographer for individual and family photos
13 <sup>th</sup> & 14 <sup>th</sup> November	Bikeability for Yr 5&6
28 <sup>th</sup> November	Vision Screening for Reception children
11 <sup>th</sup> December	Christingle in St Peter's Church 2.15pm
13 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Fayre
18 <sup>th</sup> December	Christmas Jumper Fundraiser
18 <sup>th</sup> December	School Christmas Lunch
19 <sup>th</sup> December	Carol Service in St Peter's Church 2.15pm