



Weekly Bulletin

12th June, 2026

Celebrating our First Belgrave's BRISTOL Champions!

We are incredibly proud to announce our very first Belgrave BRISTOL Champions, following a whole-school vote by both staff and learners at the end of last term.

These awards recognise learners who consistently demonstrate our BRISTOL values in their everyday actions. Each champion is a role model who helps make Belgrave a positive, inclusive, and supportive community for everyone.

BRISTOL represents our seven key values that underpin everything we do at Belgrave:

Belonging

Respect

Inclusion

Safety

Try

Ownership

Learning



Meet Our Term 6 BRISTOL Champions

Belonging Champion – Hazel (KS2)

Hazel has been recognised for showing kindness, friendship and for always helping others feel welcome, safe, and part of the group.

Respect Champion – Ollie (Yr 9)

Ollie consistently demonstrates respectful behaviour, including using kind language, respecting personal space, and following rules.

Inclusion Champion – Dylan Lewis (Staff)

Dylan is a fantastic advocate for inclusion, always ensuring others are involved, treated fairly and supported.

Safety Champion – Maria Smith (Staff)

Maria supports us all to feel safe and is a wonderful advocate for emotional wellbeing.

Try Champion – Griff (Yr 10)

Griff embodies resilience and determination, showing great effort and bravery, especially when facing challenges.

Ownership Champion – Freddie (KS2)

Freddie has been recognised for taking responsibility, reflecting on choices, and making positive changes when needed.

Learning Champion – Jack F (Yr 10)

Jack demonstrates a love of learning, showing curiosity, independence, and pride in his progress.

A Huge Well Done!

We are so proud of all our champions. These awards highlight not only individual achievements but also the strength of our school community.

Thank you to all staff and learners who took part in the voting process, your voices helped celebrate the very best of Belgrave.

We look forward to continuing to recognise and celebrate our BRISTOL values throughout next year!

Behind the Scenes at Ashton Gate Stadium

On Friday, a group of our learners had an amazing opportunity to go behind the scenes at Ashton Gate Stadium. The visit provided a unique insight into how a large, professional sports venue operates, from the changing rooms to areas not usually accessible to the public. Learners who chose to attend had an incredibly positive and memorable experience. Opportunities like this are invaluable, as they take learning beyond the classroom and allow learners to see real-world applications of organisation, teamwork and responsibility in action.



The visit also supported the development of important social skills. Learners interacted confidently with peers from different year groups, building new relationships and strengthening communication skills in a new and exciting environment. This kind of mixed-group experience helps to foster confidence, respect and collaboration. In addition, the day contributed to key life skills. Learners practised

independence, followed instructions in an unfamiliar setting and represented the school with maturity and pride. Many came away inspired, having gained a better understanding of the wide range of careers linked to sports venues beyond just the players on the pitch. Overall, it was a fantastic experience that broadened horizons, built confidence and created lasting memories for all those involved.



Allotment Update

This week, KS2 and Year 7 learners enjoyed another productive and rewarding session at the allotment. They successfully harvested their garlic along with more broad beans, giving them a real sense of achievement and pride in seeing the results of their hard work over time.



The group also got hands-on with planting squash and beetroot, learning more about seasonal growing and how to care for different crops. Activities like this provide fantastic opportunities for learners to develop practical life skills, such as teamwork, patience and responsibility, while also encouraging healthy eating and an understanding of where food comes from. Working together in an outdoor environment also helps to build confidence and communication skills, as learners support one another and share in the experience. It was a great session, with lots of enthusiasm and engagement from everyone involved.

Woodwork Project

This week, KS2 students have also begun an exciting woodwork project, learning the skill of whittling wood. They have been introduced to the safe use of tools and are developing patience, focus and fine motor skills as they carefully shape their pieces.

This hands-on activity provides a fantastic opportunity for students to build resilience and perseverance, as well as a sense of pride in creating something from natural materials. It has been wonderful to see their concentration and enthusiasm as they take on this new challenge.



Artificial Intelligence Tips for Parents

AI generated content and AI tools like chatbots, content generators and summaries are quickly appearing across popular online apps and services. There are also popular AI tools appearing like ChatGPT.

There can be many positives to the use of AI in helping to find information, making creative content and getting support quickly through chat functions. However, as with other areas of online use, it comes with risks to children as well.

For example, the content that children see might not be age appropriate, legal or promote healthy behaviours. They can also experience harms such as bullying and sexual abuse through the misuse of AI content generators to create realistic looking content intended to cause harm. (NSPCC)

[NSPCC - AI Top Tips for Parents](#)



Report Harmful Content

A national reporting centre that has been designed to assist anyone in reporting harmful content online.

[UK Safer Internet - Reporting Harmful Content](#)

Upcoming Dates for Your Diary

Parents' Reports Afternoon (KS2 & KS3)

Thursday 25th June

Further arrangements and timings will follow.

Work Experience – Year 10

Monday 6th – Friday 10th July

A separate email with full details has been sent. Any queries or questions please email

treynolds@belgraveschool.com

End of Year and Leavers' Assembly

Wednesday 22nd July | 11.00am–1.00pm

More information will follow, but we hope you can join us as we celebrate the achievements of the year and wish our leavers well.

End of term

Friday 22nd May

The Big Future

National Children's Survey

We would like to make parents and carers aware of an important national survey led by the Children's Commissioner for England, **Dame Rachel de Souza**, called **The Big Future**.

The survey gives children and young people aged **0–18** the opportunity to share their views on what matters most to them, their hopes for the future, and what they believe makes a good childhood today. The findings will be used to influence decision-makers and advocate for positive change on issues that affect children across the country.

With more young people becoming eligible to vote in future elections, this survey is a valuable way for children's voices to be heard.

Parents and carers can support their child to take part by accessing the survey here:

 www.childrenscommissioner.gov.uk/thebigfuture

The survey closes on **Friday 23 October**. Participation is voluntary, but we strongly encourage families to consider supporting their child to share their views if they wish.

Thank you for your continued support.

Upcoming Inclusion & SEN Friendly Events in Bristol

- [Activities for learners and young people with SEND](#)
- [Accessible events in Bristol](#)
- [Bristol Parent Carer Forum - Calendar of Inclusive Events in Bristol](#)

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