



Autumn Report 2018

So far this year the Bramble Academy have competed well on all sporting fronts. The second term started with after school clubs that consisted of Tag Rugby, Archery, Football, Basketball and Camp Bramble.

First term saw Bramble compete in a Tag Rugby competition which was an excellent experience for the children, this was followed by the girl's football team competing in a Mansfield district qualifier tournament, the girls finished second, receiving a silver medal for their brilliant efforts.

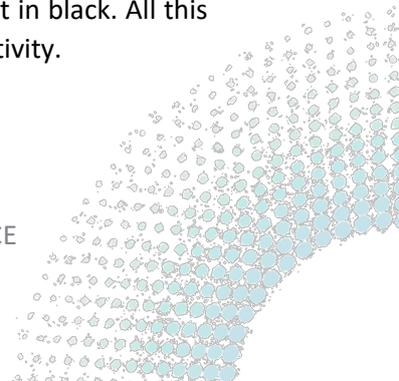
The second term has seen the boy's football team competing in the league. Friendlies have also been played, and the aim is to continue this every Tuesday, building confidence and getting the team working together as one unit.

On the 14th November 2018, The Bramble Academy started their Football intra-society league at Lunch Club that will be played throughout this term between Year 3, 4, 5 and 6. There are 3 teams in a league system which involves each team playing once a week. The winners will be decided on the 20th December 2018, and the winning team will get a trophy with their team color ribbons on the trophy which is labelled 'Lunch Club Football 2nd Term Winners'. The aim is to have a different sport competition/tournament per term, building and supporting our pupil's competitive nature and overall sporting/PE performance. The league table and results will be updated weekly, with parents and pupils able to see them on the PE wall next to reception.

In general PE lessons, we have a reward system based on bronze, silver and gold. We have an overall learning outcome and then pupils will be rated whether they are a bronze, silver or gold performer from what they are trying to achieve in the lesson. Three children will be rewarded either a bronze, silver or gold badge at the end of the lesson. Furthermore, children will be rewarded stickers throughout the lesson for hard work and excellent skill.

On the 14th and 15th November 2018, F2, Year 1 and Year 2 experimented completing the 1 mile a day initiative. All three age groups did exceptionally well during the activity and put in 100% effort. This involved the pupil's running continuously for 15 minutes around their playgrounds to complete a 1 mile run, to improve their health and fitness. The pupils showed great determination, and The Bramble Academy hopes to build on from this experience and make it a more regular activity for each and every age group in our aim to becoming a healthy primary school.

In addition, the Bramble Academy has been selected by the Premier League Primary All Stars for a grant that has allowed us to apply for free sporting/PE equipment. The delivery will commence throughout May-July 2019 and we will be receiving: a Black training bag, training bibs x16, premier league balls that are white-silver-black-volt, 6x size 3 balls and 6x that are size 4. Numbered Cones 9" (Set of 10) that are purple and white. Numbered Markers 8" (Set of 30). Alphabet Markers 8" (Set of 26). Hula Hoop 24" (Set of 5). Bean Bags (Set of 30). Cone 6" (Set of 8, 4 Orange & 4 Yellow). Captains Arm Band that is purple and white. Pop Up Goal 4 Ft (4 Goals with Bags). Ball Carrying Net (Up to 16 Balls). Ballon Ball (Set of 4). Giant Foam Dice (Set of 5). Men's Teacher Tracksuit Set in black. All this will increase the school's facilities for PE and engage more children with physical activity.



The PE grant form will be uploaded separately. There has been money spent on new equipment, a football kit, swimming for year 4 and 6, and an end of year trip for the year 6's, a partnership to allow Bramble to compete in more competitions and transport.

Fitness testing was also done in the first couple of weeks of the year to see where pupils were currently at for fitness, and fitness testing will be done again at the end of the year to hopefully see an improvement of all pupil's fitness here at the Bramble Academy.