



A family of 12 schools brought together by a shared vision to inspire over 4,000 children to Learn, Enjoy, Succeed.



Highlights

These images give a flavour of what our pupils and staff have been up to in recent weeks.



Halley House School - winners of the 2025 BPET poetry recital competition

Welcome

BPET has been recently ranked 16th out of 204 academy trusts in England for pupils' attainment: we are beyond proud of our children and grateful to staff for their hard work. What a milestone!

Opportunities at BPET go beyond the classroom: read about the competitions currently taking place involving hundreds of children, and all other progress and projects across the schools.

All this is happening whilst we train the next generation of teachers. Have you ever considered being one? Read on!

Mark Greatrex, BPET Chief Executive

Rivermead roof renovations

Rivermead Primary School recently completed a £344,000 renovation, funded by the DfE's School Capital Funding. This investment has only been possible because Rivermead is part of a trust, which is assigned capital funding every year.

The 80-year-old building now features a new roof, roof windows and lighting, eliminating leaks and reducing energy costs. These improvements ensure a warmer environment during colder months. [Read more here.](#)

BPET in the top 9% of trusts!

We have been recently ranked in the top 9% of all primary trusts in England!

According to 2023-2024 attainment figures, we have been ranked 16th on 204 trusts of the same size, and 60th out of all 649 trusts in the country.

At the end of Year 6 for the 2023-24 academic year, 75% of BPET pupils met the expected standard in Reading, Writing & Maths combined, which is 14% above national average.

These are fantastic results which reflect the efforts of our pupils and the dedication of our staff. We are immensely proud! [Read more.](#)

Google for Education

All 12 BPET schools have now access to Google for Education Workspace. Google for Education provides powerful tools that enhance pupils' learning experience: children can collaborate on projects in real-time, building teamwork alongside digital literacy.

The platform encourages creativity with interactive presentations, while teachers can provide more interactive lessons as well as personalised support and feedback. Pupils gain valuable skills for their academic future through cloud-based access that connects classroom and home learning.



Kilburn Grange School pupils engaged in asking questions to their local MP Georgia Gould

The Heights Eco Council

The Heights Primary School's Eco Council has been diligently working on their action plan to address litter. They joined an online call with other schools participating in the PickPals litter campaign, including international schools from France, Portugal, and Spain!

The school is working very hard at their sustainability plan, which that sets ambitious goals for reducing their environmental impact.

[Have a look at all their initiatives on their website.](#)

Meeting the local MP

After the success of Kilburn Oasis last September, Kilburn Grange School pupils keep up their campaign aimed at Brent Council to close Priory Park Road to traffic.

They recently reclaimed the space outside the school from unsafe traffic via a Play Street initiative, and have been invited to see their artwork displayed at an exhibition hosted by Kilburn Library.

They met the local MP, Georgia Gould (picture above), to ask questions and keep up the pressure of their campaign. Ms Gould extended a special invitation for the pupils to visit her in Parliament which made it to [the local press!](#)

BPET Competitions

Poetry Recital

The BPET Poetry Recital Competition finals were attended by eight schools with a total of over 70 pupils competing. Every child poured their heart into their verses, earning rounds of applause and cheers from the enthusiastic audience. By the end the judges selected the winners - Halley House School - for their brilliant and creative rendition of their chosen poems!

Girl's football

Nearly 50 girls from the BPET London schools gathered at Watling Park School for the annual Year 3 & 4 Girls Football Tournament. The teams showcased their skills, integrity and grace, engaging in a series of matches despite challenging weather conditions. Congratulations to Deer Park School for winning the tournament for the third consecutive year!

Oracy competition

Kilburn Grange School hosted the annual Cicero Cup debate and oracy competition, featuring teams from seven London schools.

Pupils participated in pre-planned and impromptu debates, honing their oracy and critical thinking skills.

Kilburn Grange School's Oliyah was commended by the Noisy Classroom facilitator as the "most stylish speaker" he's seen in years!



Become a teacher by training in one of our schools.

Train to be a teacher

Have you ever considered becoming a teacher? Or know someone who is interested? Applications to enroll in our teacher training programme are now open, for a September 2025 start.

We have partnered with Teach First to deliver our School Centred Initial Teacher Training (SCITT). The course is one-year long and involves a mix of live training in class, self-directed study and one-to-one support; you'll gain qualified teacher status awarded by Sheffield Hallam University.

After completing your course, at the end of the 12 months, you'll start on the considerable salary of £38,766 (inner London) or £31,650 for other geographical areas.

[Learn more](#) or email our Head of SCITT Emily Martin: leadmentor@bpnet.co.uk

Vacancies across BPET

With so many schools in our family, and over 500 staff across BPET, job opportunities regularly come up!

To view all our vacancies and to register for alerts, visit www.bpet.co.uk/Vacancies

[Read more about BPET employees benefits.](#)

Project playground

Project Playground is an exciting initiative aimed at improving Braywick Court School's outdoor play areas. Pupils are involved in selecting new playground equipment from a list of options.

Plans include: enhancing the balcony with role-play and small world play areas, upgrading the sports playground, and adding a sandpit area to the adventure playground.

With these exciting developments underway, the pupils will soon have even more engaging and imaginative spaces to explore and enjoy!

Hackney Spanish Spelling Bee champions

Three Halley House School pupils won the Hackney Spanish Spelling Bee competition - an opportunity for all primary schools in Hackney to come together and celebrate the Spanish language.

The children got the chance to meet Ms Bernadette Clinton - consultant for languages and international links at Hackney Education. Ms Clinton was very impressed with their spelling ability, confidence, sportsmanship and pronunciation of the words and letters as they spelt them. [Well done to the three champions!](#)