



Year 3 and 4 Newsletter

Friday 3rd December 2021

What have we been learning?

Year 3

This week we have been working hard on our times tables in class. We have continued our Art topic on cave art, learning how to draw pre-historic animals using the skills taught in class ready for our final piece of cave art next week.

Year 4

In Year 4 we performed a persuasive speech with our partner and used the feedback to make improvements. In DT, we looked at how clothes are joined and learned about different types of fabrics.

Thought of the week

One small positive thought in the morning can change your whole day



Celebration Zone

STARS OF THE WEEK!



Mathematician of the Week

Oak - Alfie Elm - Keyaan
Maple - David Beech - Poppy

House Points

Seacole 1832	Shakespeare 2046
Bannister 1999	Pankhurst 2182

Helping at Home

- Accelerated Reader - ukhosted9.renlearn.co.uk/6699438
- TTROCKSTARS - [Times Tables Rock Stars \(ttrockstars.com\)](http://ttrockstars.com)
- BUG CLUB - [Active Learn: Login \(activelearnprimary.co.uk\)](http://activelearnprimary.co.uk)
- Times Tables - [Times tables games - Learn them all here!](#)
- Spelling Frame - [SpellingFrame](#)

Don't forget

Christmas Jumper Day – Friday 10th December

Christmas Dinner – Friday 10th December – if your child would like a school Christmas dinner please order online.

Attendance

PLEASE NOTE: IF YOUR CHILD IS ABSENT YOU MUST INFORM THE SCHOOL ON THE MORNING OF THE ABSENCE. PLEASE DO THIS VIA YOUR PARENTMAIL APP OR BY TELEPHONING THE SCHOOL OFFICE ON 020 8270 4925

We aim for the best education for your children at Parsloes Primary School. Please can we remind you that full Attendance and Punctuality are essential for your child to make the maximum progress.

To reach the school target pupils must not have any more than 6 days off per academic year. If you do need to make appointments for your child, please aim to make them out of school hours or during school holidays. ***Thank you***

Children with 100% attendance each half term will receive a certificate. Pupils with 100% attendance for the whole year will receive a special reward.

Attendance during one school year	Equals this number of days absent	How many lessons does this mean your child missed?	
90%	19 days	100 lessons	
80%	38 days	200 lessons	
70%	57 days	290 lessons	
Outstanding 100%	Good 96-99%	Requires Improvement 91-95%	Inadequate (PA) Below 90%

The LBBD Local Offer for children and young people with special educational needs or disabilities can be found at:

<https://www.lbbd.gov.uk/residents/children-young-people-and-families/local-offer/>

Do you know our Child Protection and Safeguarding Team?

Mrs Deville

Deputy Head & Designated Safeguarding Lead



Mrs Basri

SENCo and Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead



Below is a breakdown of the class attendance for this week

This week's highest attendance for each phase are highlighted

Class	Attendance %
EYFS	
Rabbit	94.12
Fox	83.33
Badger	85.32
Hedgehog	91.32
Key Stage 1	
Bumblebee	94.74
Butterfly	96.67
Ladybird	93.27
Centipede	92.86
Grasshopper	92.77
Lower Key Stage	
Elm	96.62
Oak	93.16
Beech	93.72
Maple	99.11
Upper Key Stage 2	
Hummingbird	96.83
Owl	98.58
Robin	91.04
Kingfisher	97.01
Sparrowhawk	96.51
Woodpecker	98.77

Overall attendance this week is 94.65%

Well done to all classes who have achieved our attendance target of 96.5% this week!

Number of pupils late this week

Monday	22
Tuesday	19
Wednesday	20
Thursday	18
Friday	13

Dates for your Diary

Date	Details
Wednesday 8 th December	Parents evening 4.00pm to 7.30pm
Thursday 9 th December	Parents Evening 4.00pm to 5.30pm
Thursday 9 th December	Year 1 Visit to Bethel Church
Friday 10 th December	Christmas Jumper Day
Friday 10 th December	Christmas Dinner Day – see menu attached
Friday 17 th December	CMS Christmas Orchestra in school – Year groups to be confirmed
Friday 17 th December	Last Day of Autumn Term for Nursery pupils
Monday 20 th December	CMS Christmas Orchestra in school - Year groups to be confirmed
Monday 20 th December	Last Day of the Autumn Term for pupils in Reception to Year 6. School closes at 1.30pm
Wednesday 5 th January	First day of the Spring term for all pupils