

PP Year 1 and 2 Newsletter

Friday 21st January 2022

What have we been learning?

Year 1

This week we have explored African art and patterns. We shared our opinions on art work by Naomi Gakunga and then tried creating our own patterns. We also experimented with printing using different materials such as leaves, apples, sponges, corks and potatoes.

Year 2 This week in Year 2 we have been working really hard in Talk4Writing to plan our very own Tale of Fear stories. We have been using our imaginations to design our own main characters and have thought carefully about what their fear might be and the friends they will meet on their journey.

Thought for the week...

Today is National Hug day – who would you like to give a hug to the most and why?

Follow our school Twitter account for updates and challenges to try at home!



@ParsloesSchool

Celebration Zone

STARS OF THE WEEK!



Mathematician of the Week



Ladybird - Helen
Bumblebee - Mya
Grasshopper - Esmee
Centipede - Jabir

House Points

Seacole 612	Shakespeare 607
Bannister 742	Pankhurst 647

Helping at Home

Please ensure your child practises their weekly spellings regularly. They should practise writing them out daily then should log into Spelling Frame to try the practise tests.

Don't forget...

Remember to tick the homework stickers in the reading records once homework has been completed to earn your dojo points.

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 LBD 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	95.45
Fox	89.71
Badger	91.60
Hedgehog	86.81
Key Stage 1	
Bumblebee	91.72
Ladybird	88.53
Centipede	91.83
Grasshopper	85.66
Lower Key Stage	
Elm	87.74
Oak	96.84
Beech	89.71
Maple	91.95
Upper Key Stage 2	
Hummingbird	92.93
Owl	86.03
Robin	86.56
Kingfisher	93.39
Sparrowhawk	91.59
Woodpecker	92.59

Overall attendance this week is 90.33%

Well done to all classes who have achieved our attendance target of 96.5% this week! We appreciate this is a difficult time for all.

Number of pupils late this week

Monday	13
Tuesday	11
Wednesday	10
Thursday	9
Friday	13

Dates for your Diary

Date	Details
Monday 31st January	Night Owls Workshop – Years 1-4
Monday 14 th February to Friday 18 th February	School closed for half term break
Monday 21 st February	INSET – school closed to all pupils for staff training
Tuesday 22 nd February	All pupils return to school