

PP Year 3 and 4 Newsletter

Thursday 31st March 2022

What have we been learning?

Year 3

For our Exit point celebration, Year 3 enjoyed performing a Caribbean dance, song and sharing their fact posters with Year 4. In Science we have been learning about light, how shadows are created and we have explored opaque, translucent and transparent materials and discussed what type of material would be best for making sunglasses. Have a fantastic holiday!

Year 4

As we come to the end of the Spring term, we have reflected on our learning journey so far. We have explored North America and discovered how New York is both similar and different to London. As computer scientists we have built crumble kits and created algorithms. In Science, we have learned what we need to create a series circuit and what materials are able to conduct electricity. We have worked really hard! Happy Easter break to all!

*Thought for the week...
Think positive thoughts.*

Celebration Zone

STARS OF THE WEEK!



Writer of the Week

Elm - Alsio Oak - Preet
Maple - Bioris Beech - Samuel



House Points

Seacole 709	Shakespeare 744
Bannister 843	Pankhurst 689

Helping at Home

- Read at least 3 times a week and sign reading record.
- Practise Times Tables daily.
- Practise spellings.

Don't forget...

**PE KITS TO BE LEFT IN SCHOOL
(white t-shirt, red shorts, black tracksuit
and trainers in a PE bag)**

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 LBBB 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	92.16
Fox	87.04
Badger	98.21
Hedgehog	95.00
Key Stage 1	
Bumblebee	84.38
Ladybird	90.73
Centipede	96.55
Grasshopper	93.52
Lower Key Stage	
Elm	98.86
Oak	88.04
Beech	94.76
Maple	90.38
Upper Key Stage 2	
Hummingbird	97.02
Owl	90.10
Robin	93.45
Kingfisher	90.00
Sparrowhawk	95.67
Woodpecker	95.29

Overall attendance this week 92.81%

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.

Punctuality

Please remember, gate closes at 8.55am. Pupils arriving after this time will be considered late. You will be asked to provide a reason and your child will receive a 'late' mark in the register.

Dates for your Diary

Date	Details
Thursday 31 st March	Parents Evening, please book via ParentMail
Thursday 31 st March	Last Day of Spring Term
Friday 1 st April	INSET Day – School closed to all pupils
Monday 4 th April to Monday 18 th April	School closed to all pupils for the Easter Holiday
Tuesday 19 th April	All pupils return to school at the usual times for the Summer Term
Wednesday 20 th April	Swimming starts for Year 4 (every Wednesday for the Summer term)
Thursday 21 st April	Year 4 visit to The Parish of St Laurence Church, Upminster