

Parsloes Primary School



Our school values: Respectful, Understanding, Positive, Aspirational

At Parsloes we are respectful, understanding, and with a positive attitude towards life we aspire to achieve well here and beyond.

Newsletter – 17th November 2023

Dear Parents/Carers,

Children in Need

This week the children have been learning about anti bullying and Children in Need in our assemblies. Thank you to everyone who donated towards this cause. We raised £195.50!



Exclusive Christmas Film Night

We are holding our first annual Christmas film night. The film night will take place straight after school and you will collect your child at 5pm. Limited places available. There will be a cost of £3. This includes a sweet treat and a very special guest – more info to follow



Santa is on his way!

Santa and his elves will be visiting Parsloes during December. More information to follow.



Attendance & Punctuality

Best class attendance this week – Woodpecker Class with 97.86%

Best class punctuality this week –Oak & Badger Classes with no pupils arriving late

Date	Details
	Reception Educational Visit to
Wednesday 29 th November	Colchester Zoo
Friday 8 th December	Christmas Dinner Day/ Christmas Jumper Day
Tuesday12th December	Year 2 Educational Visit to the Tower of London
Wednesday 13 th December	Parents' Evening – more details to follow
Thursday 14 th December	Parents' Evening – more details to follow
Monday 18 th December	KS1 Nativity, AM & PM - more details to follow
Monday 18 th December	Christmas Film Night for Years 3 & 4
Tuesday 19 th December	Nursery Sing-a-long, AM - more details to follow
Tuesday 19 th December	Christmas Film Night for Reception, Years 1 & 2
Tuesday 19 th December	CMS Concert for whole school
Wednesday 20 th December	Reception Nativity, AM & PM – more details to follow
Wednesday 20 th December	Christmas Film Night for Years 5 & 6
Thursday 21st December	Last Day of the Autumn term
Thursday 21st December	Panto Performance for whole school
Friday 22 nd December to Friday 5 th January	Christmas Holiday – School closed to all pupils
Monday 8th January	First Day of the Spring Term – All pupils return to school
Monday 19 th February – Friday 23 rd February	Spring Half Term Holiday – school closed to all pupils
Monday 26 th February	All pupils return to school

Dates for your Diary

Thank you for your continued support,

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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 SCHOOLOFFICE 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 vou

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 les this mean y misse	our child
90%	19 days	100 les	sons
80%	38 days	200 les	sons
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/

SAFEGUARDING AT PARSLOES Do you know our Child Protection and Safeguarding Team?

Mrs Deville Deputy Head & Designated Safeguarding Lead



Mrs Basri SENCo and Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead



If you have a concern about a child, please see a member of our safeguarding team.

In an emergency call 999.

Attendance

Below is a breakdown of the class attendance for this week:

This week's highest attendance for each phase is highlighted

Class	Attendance %
	EYFS
Rabbit	90.21
Badger	82.35
Hedgehog	90.08
	Years 1, 2 & 3
Bumblebee	92.18
Ladybird	96.15
Centipede	93.61
Grasshopper	97.78
Elm	96.10
Oak	97.22
	Years 4, 5 & 6
Beech	97.56
Maple	95.47
Owl	96.88
Robin	94.44
Kingfisher	96.89
Woodpecker	97.86

Overall attendance this week for Years 1-6 is 96.01%

Well done to all our classes who achieved our target of 96.5%

Punctuality

Please remember, the school gate closes at 8.50am.

Pupils arriving after this time will be considered late for lessons. You will be asked to provide a reason.