

Poplar Farm Weekly Newsletter

Monday 25 September 2023

The children have been working with great positivity and independence so far this term and have also been excited to see the new books in the vending machine, eager to win a gold token! To receive a raffle ticket, the children must read 4 times a week at home and have this recorded in their reading record. For EYFS parents to know more about how we teach children to read, we have a phonics workshop on Tuesday 3 October at 5.30pm. We hope you can join us.

Article 29 - Goals of education

Please ensure your child has a named coat in school every day. The wind can feel cool at school, and we continue to have some lessons outside throughout the winter. Thank you!

Article 18 - Parental responsibilities

Mrs Hodson

Head Teacher

Attendance

Last week Class 4S had the highest attendance with 100%. Well done!

The whole school attendance for the week was 96.5%, which means the attendance for the year has fallen slightly to 97%.

We aim for our attendance to be above 97% and hope you can help us meet this target and maintain this high attendance.

Article 28 - Right to an education



Diary Dates

Tuesday 26 September - European Day of Languages

Thursday 28 September - Y3/4 Bee Netball event for 8 children

Friday 29 September - Photographer in for individual photos

Friday 29 September - National Teaching Assistants Day

Sunday 1 October - Lincolnshire Day, China National Day and Nigeria Independence Day

Sunday 1 October - Start of Black History Month

Monday 2 October - Start of Cycle to School Week

Tuesday 3 October - Start of National Curry Week

Tuesday 3 October - 5.30pm EYFS phonics parent workshop

Wednesday 4 October - World Animal Day

Wednesday 4 October - Y3/4 Mega Rugby Fest for 10 children

Thursday 5 October - Y2 Friendships and Emotions workshop

Thursday 5 October - Harvest donations to school by today

Thursday 5 October - National Poetry Day

Thursday 5 October - World Teachers' Day

Friday 6 October - Harvest Festival

Friday 6 October - Egypt, Independence Day

Friday 6 October - World Dyslexia Awareness Day



School timings

We have seen a huge number of lates so far, this academic year. The gates open at 8.40am, ready for registration at 8.45am, however many children are arriving after this time. To ensure the children don't miss key learning or arrive at school feeling rushed, please adhere to the start time of school. Thank you!

Year group	Number of children	Number of lates after the gates are locked	Number of lates after 9am
EYFS	3	3	7
Y1	7	13	4
Y2	8	15	5
Y3	5	7	2
Y4	13	16	5
Y5	5	13	7

Article 18 - Parental responsibilities

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The Poplar Promise

We are: Problem solvers; Open minded & curious; Positive & independent; Loved & nurtured; Accepting of all; Resilient.