

Poplar Farm Weekly Newsletter

Monday 17 October 2022

Thank you to everyone who joined us for the Open Afternoon last Friday. It was lovely to be able to share our learning from the term with you. Dates for the formal Parents' Evenings are listed on the diary dates section of this newsletter.

Article 18 - Parental responsibilities

It's hard to believe that we are now in the final week of this term. The children have had a great term 1, and I'm sure their enthusiasm will continue into term 2. The first reading raffles of the year take place on Friday and there's still time for children to be in with a chance of winning a gold coin for the book vending machine, by reading 4 times at home this week.

Article 28 - Right to an education.

I hope you all have an enjoyable half term break. We look forward to welcoming you all back to school on Monday 31 October for the start of term 2.

Article 31 - Right to relax and play

Mrs Hodson

Head Teacher

Attendance

Last week, Class 1T had the highest attendance with 100%. Well done!

The whole school attendance for the week was 97.6%, which means the attendance for the year to date has remained at 97.4%.

We hope you continue to support high attendance at school.

Article 28 - Right to education

FoP

The first day of term 2 (Monday 31 October) is a fundraising day for FoP.

We have the annual Pumpkin Display, and the children can dress in Halloween fancy dress clothes / costumes.

More information about how to take part in these activities will be shared this week and over half term.

Article 13 - Freedom of expression

Term 2

Please see topic and PE information for next term. There are some changes for a couple of year groups, so please check the table below. The children continue to be required to wear their PE kits to school on their PE days.

Year Group	Topic Title	PE Days
Reception	People who help us	Tuesday
Year 1	Where have all the leaves gone?	Wednesday & Friday
Year 2	What made the fire of London so great?	Tuesday & Thursday
Year 3	Why is the ground shaking?	Monday & Friday
Year 4	Is water more important than anything else?	Wednesday & Thursday

Article 29 - Goals of education

Diary Dates

Tuesday 18 October - 9.30am Open morning for September 2023 starters

Wednesday 19 October - 9am SEND coffee morning for parents

Friday 21 October - Last day of term 1

Saturday 29 October - Turkey, Republic Day

Monday 31 October - Term 2 begins

Monday 31 October - FoP Halloween Fancy Dress Day & Pumpkin display

Monday 7 November - Science Week

Monday 7 November - Switch off Fortnight

Wednesday 9 November - 2pm Open afternoon for September 2023 starters

Friday 11 November - Poland, National Day

Friday 11 November - Remembrance Day

Sunday 13 November - World Kindness Day

Monday 14 November - Anti-bullying week

Monday 14 November - Road safety week

Monday 14 November - Odd socks day

Tuesday 15 November - 3.30-5.50pm Parents' evening

Wednesday 16 November - 5-7.30pm Parents' evening



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The Poplar Promise

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