# Poplar Farm Weekly Newsletter

## Monday 12 June 2023

Our Year 4 children had a fantastic time at their Stibbington residential last week, taking part in a range of activities, and developing their independence. A massive thank you to the staff who joined them! Unfortunately, Stibbington is closing at the end of this year, so we are busy securing a different residential booking for our current Y3 to enjoy next year. We will be in touch with Y3 parents when we have more information to share.

Article 29 - Goals of education

A final reminder for T-Shirts for PopFest. If your child would like the logo added to a T-Shirt, it needs to be in school by tomorrow.

Article 18 - Parental responsibilities

#### Mrs Hodson

**Head Teacher** 

#### Attendance

Last week Classes RB and 3W had the joint highest attendance with 99%. Well done!

The whole school attendance for the week was 95.5%, which means the attendance for the year to date has remained at 95.7%.

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

Article 28 - Right to education

#### Warm Weather

The week ahead forecasts the weather to be warm and sunny.

Please ensure your child has suncream applied before school, and they bring a named hat to school everyday.

Staff will remind children to drink and stay hydrated throughout the days, so please ensure their water bottle is also in school.

Article 24 - Right to best possible health

#### PE Days & Sports Day arrangements

As mentioned on the newsletter last week, Sports Day is planned for Thursday 6 July. EYFS and KS1 events will take place in the morning, with KS2 in the afternoon. Timings of the start times for the events will be shared closer to the time.

The school kitchen will provide a picnic lunch for the children in EYFS, Y1 and Y2, as well as those who order a meal from the kitchen in KS2. You are welcome to bring your own lunch and join the children for a picnic lunch.

FoP will be running a refreshments stall, selling cold drinks and ice lollies to parents and children at the end of the event.

Thursday 13 July is the reserve date for Sports Day. If we have to use the reserve date, the children will be having their usual school meal, rather than a picnic.

Article 31 - Right to play

### **Diary Dates**

*Monday 12 June* - Start of Loneliness Awareness Week

*Monday 12 June* - Philippines Independence Day

*Wednesday 14 June* - Year 2 Online Safety Workshop

*Thursday 15 June* - 1.30pm EYFS transition visit

*Friday 16 June* - National Clean Air Day

*Monday 19 June* - Start of Refugee Week

Tuesday 20 June - 9am SEND Coffee Morning (supporting transition) Tuesday 20 June - 10am EYFS transition visit

**Wednesday 21 June** - World Music Day

Wednesday 21 June - KS2 athletics event for some children Thursday 22 June - PopFest Friday 23 June - PopFest

*Monday 26 June* - World Well-being Week

*Tuesday 27 June* - FoP Colour Run *Thursday 29 June* - Start of Children's Arts Week

Thursday 29 June - Some Y3/4 children to Tri-Golf event
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Saturday 1 July - Hong Kong,

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