

Poplar Farm Weekly Newsletter

Monday 5 February 2024

Thank you to everyone who supported our fundraising last week for the NSPCC on Number Day. The children looked amazing with their numbers and rock star costumes and everyone had fun in school. We will inform you of the amount raised when the total has been finalised.

Article 29 - Goals of education

Well done to Team Poplar who were amazing in the Swimathon yesterday. There's still time to make a donation on our just giving page to help us achieve our £500 target for the worthwhile local charities, just [click here](#). Thank you!

Article 31 - Right to take part in a wide range of activities

Mrs Hodson

Head Teacher

Attendance

Last week Class RB had the highest attendance with 97.9%. Well done!

The whole school attendance for the week was a disappointing 93.4%, which means the attendance for the year has again fallen slightly to 95.4%.

Good attendance is essential for pupil wellbeing and academic progress. We aim for our attendance to be above 97% and hope you can help us meet this target.

Article 28 - Right to an education

FoP Discos

FoP are planning school discos for all children on Wednesday 27 March 2024.

The timings are as follows:

- EYFS & Y1, 3.15 - 4pm
- Y2 & Y3, 4.15 - 5pm
- Y4 & Y5, 5.15 - 6pm

Additional information about prices and how to buy tickets will be sent home after half term - for now, just add the date and times to your diary!

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School Uniform

We are mindful to keep the cost of school uniform as low as possible (Pre-loved uniform is available to buy at reasonable prices from the main office), but we urge you to follow the guidance to ensure all children feel part of our Poplar family. The guidance is available on our [website](#), but some general points to remember are:

- The only jewellery permitted is stud earrings. These must be removed for PE lessons. Hoop earrings are not permitted.
- T-Shirts for PE should be plain white, or white with a school logo.
- Nail polish is not permitted.
- Any hair bobbles or headbands used should be school colours - green, white, grey or black - and not oversized.

Article 18 - Parental responsibilities

Diary Dates

Monday 5 February - Schools Football Week

Monday 5 February - Planetarium in school for Y1

Monday 5 February - Class 5B visit to Woolsthorpe Manor

Tuesday 6 February - Class 5W visit to Woolsthorpe Manor

Tuesday 6 February - Safer Internet Day

Tuesday 6 February - 2.30pm EYFS open classroom event for parents

Tuesday 6 February - 5.30pm Y1 reading and phonics parent workshop

Wednesday 7 February - 2.30pm Y1 open classroom event for parents

Thursday 8 February - 2.30pm Y4 open classroom event for parents

Friday 9 February - 2.30pm Y5 open classroom event for parents

Friday 9 February - Last day of term 3

Saturday 10 February - Chinese New Year

Sunday 11 February - International day of girls and women in science

Monday 19 February - Term 4 begins

Wednesday 21 February -

International Mother Language Day

Friday 23 February - Schools swimming gala



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The Poplar Promise

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