## Poplar Farm Weekly Newsletter

## Monday 11 September 2023

Welcome back to a new school year! We had three wonderful days in school last week, and it was a joy to see the children so happy and settled in school. They have come back full of enthusiasm for their new topics and have enjoyed seeing their friends again.
Article 29-Goals of education

Thank you to those of you who joined us for the 'year ahead' meetings last week. We hope you found them useful. Y2, Y3, Y4 \& Y5 have theirs over the next few weeks, so we look forward to seeing you there. More calendar dates are also available to view on the school website - Poplar Farm School - Calendar (poplarfarmsch-cit.co.uk)
Article 18 - Parental responsibilities

## Mrs Hodson

Head Teacher

## Attendance

Last week Classes RB, RR and 1T had the joint highest attendance with 100\%. Well done!

The whole school attendance for the week was $96.5 \%$, which means the attendance for the year is also $95.6 \%$.

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

Article 28-Right to an education

## Parent Apps

A reminder of the apps we use at Poplar Farm School, and what they are used for!

| App | Used for |
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| Tapestry | - Online learning journal for children in EYFS. <br> - Teachers upload learning and photos from school. <br> - Parents can share learning and events from home. |
| ParentMail | - Letters and newsletters from school. <br> - Paying for trips, visits and fundraising events. <br> - Booking and paying for lunches and Poplar Pioneers. |
| Class Dojo | - School notices and FoP events. <br> - Messages to school staff. <br> - Class reminders and notices. |

Article 18 - Parental responsibilities

## Diary Dates

Monday 11 September - 3.30pm Y2 year ahead meeting with parents Monday 11 September - Y3 Stone Age workshop
Tuesday 12 September - Y4 Ancient Greek workshop
Wednesday 13 September - Roald Dahl Story Day
Wednesday 13 September - 3.30pm Y4 year ahead meeting with parents Thursday 14 September - 3.30pm Y3 year ahead meeting with parents Friday 15 September - International Day of Democracy

Monday 18 September - Start of Recycle Week
Monday 18 September - 3.30pm Y5 year ahead meeting with parents Tuesday 19 September - Youth Mental Health Day
Thursday 21 September International Day of Peace

Tuesday 26 September - European Day of Languages
Friday 29 September - Photographer
in for individual photos
Friday 29 September - Macmillan Coffee Morning
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


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