

Poplar Farm Weekly Newsletter

Monday 3 June 2024

Welcome back to the final term of this academic year. I hope you all had an enjoyable break. Last term ended with the incredible Colour Run. Thank you to everyone who joined us, and to the FoP members who organised the event. It was an awesome way to end the term.

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

A General Election is taking place on Thursday 4 July. School must be used as a polling station, which means we will be closed, and children will be provided with online learning for the day.

Article 17 - Access to information

I have some exciting news to share with you all. Mrs Tiller's baby couldn't wait until July to meet her and made a surprise appearance over half term! Mum and baby Maia are both doing well and will hopefully visit Class 1T before the end of the school year. Miss Sammy will be teaching Class 1T in term 6.

Mrs Hodson

Head Teacher

Attendance

In the last week of term 5 Class 4MS had the highest attendance with 98.1%. Well done!

The whole school attendance for the week was 94.6%, which means the attendance for the year has remained at 95.3%.

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



Staffing Updates

Ms Blow and Miss Rimell will be leaving us at the end of this academic year. Ms Blow is leaving to focus on her family and Miss Rimell is relocating. I am sure you will join me in thanking them both for their work during their time at Poplar Farm and wishing them both well in their new adventures.

At the end of last term, we made some successful appointments. Miss Rastall and Miss Rogers will be joining our teaching team in September. Miss Fairbrother will also be joining our teaching team to teach a class during a maternity cover. All new teachers will be at the 'meet your new teacher' morning on Friday 5 July to spend time with the children in their classes.

We hope to be able to share the teaching structure for September with you next week when we begin some transition activities in school for children currently on roll.

Article 17 - Access to information

Diary Dates

Monday 3 June - Term 6 begins
Monday 3 June - Start of Child Safety Week
Monday 3 June - Start of National Festival of Fieldwork Week
Wednesday 5 June - World Environment Day
Wednesday 5 June - 10am EYFS transition visit
Friday 7 June - PopFest t-shirts in school by today

Monday 10 June - Start of Loneliness Awareness Week
Monday 10 June - Royal Institution: Science in Schools workshops
Tuesday 11 June - 1.30pm EYFS transition visit
Wednesday 12 June - Philippines, Independence Day
Sunday 16 June - Father's Day

Monday 17 June - 1.30pm EYFS transition visit
Tuesday 18 June - 9am SEND coffee morning (sensory regulation)
Wednesday 19 June - Athletics competition

Thursday 20 June - Clean Air Day
Thursday 20 June - KS2 Panathlon County final
Thursday 20 June - Well Being Ambassadors to visit Newton House
Friday 21 June - Class and group photos

Monday 24 June - Start of National School Sport Week
Tuesday 25 June - Year 4 Cyberbullying workshop



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The Poplar Promise

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