

Our school values: Respectful, Understanding, Positive, Aspirational

At Parsloes we are respectful, understanding, and with a positive attitude towards life we aspire to achieve well here and beyond.

Newsletter 5 – October 5th 2018

Dear Parents and Carers,

Harvest Festival

I would like to say a very big thank you to Mrs Javaid for organising our wonderful Harvest Festival this year and to all our families who very generously donated food. All donations will benefit people in our local area.



Nursery 'Stay and Share'

It was lovely to see so many of our Nursery parents in school this week working with their children in the nursery to create a wonderful rainbow display. The display looks lovely and we hope that you enjoyed learning with your children.

Governors

We have been pleased to welcome some of our governors into school this week. Children were excited to see our governors in school and were eager to share their learning with them.

Well Being Friday

This term we have launched Well Being Fridays. During this time our children will have the opportunity to learn to develop skills such as resilience, team building, self-regulation, confidence and self-esteem. These skills will be taught through lessons such as PSHE and Circle Time.

Dates for your diary

Date	Event
Monday 8 th Oct	INSET Day – School closed for all pupils
Wednesday 10 th Oct	Year 2 Trip to Science Museum for Centipede and Grasshopper Classes
Thursday 11 th Oct	Year 2 Trip to Science Museum for Cricket Class
Weds 17 th Oct	Phonics/Reading Workshop for Reception parents, 9.00am to 9.30am & 2.30pm to 3.00pm
Thurs 18 th Oct	Book Look for all parents – after school
Fri 19 th Oct	Last day of Half Term
Monday 22 nd – Friday 26 th Oct	School closed for Half Term holiday
Monday 29 th Oct	Pupils return to school
Tuesday 30 th Oct	Year 6 Trip to Victoria & Albert Museum

Reminders

All earrings worn to school must be studs only. Children must be able to take out their own earrings for PE lessons. If your child cannot do this independently, please ensure that earrings are removed before school on PE days.

Inset Day

Next Monday is a school Inset Day and school will be closed to all pupils.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support.

Mrs L. Pearce
Headteacher

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Attendance

PLEASE NOTE THAT IF YOU WISH TO TEXT REGARDING YOUR CHILD'S ABSENCE PLEASE TEXT ON THE FOLLOWING NUMBER: 07860 034989 – THANK YOU

We aim for the best education for your children at Parsloes Primary School. Please can we remind you that full Attendance and Punctuality are essential for your child to make the maximum progress.

To reach the school target pupils must not have any more than 6 days off per academic year. If you do need to make appointments for your child, please aim to make them out of school hours or during school holidays.

Thank you

Children with 100% attendance each half term will receive a certificate. Pupils with 100% attendance for the whole year will receive a special reward.

Attendance during one school year	Equals this number of days absent	How many lessons does this mean your child missed?	
90%	19 days	100 lessons	
80%	38 days	200 lessons	
70%	57 days	290 lessons	
Outstanding 100%	Good 96-99%	Requires Improvement 86-95%	Inadequate (PA) Below 85%

The LBBB Local Offer for children and young people with special educational needs or disabilities can be found at:

<https://www.lbbd.gov.uk/residents/children-young-people-and-families/local-offer/>

Do you know our Child Protection and Safeguarding Team?

Mrs K Deville

Designated Safeguarding Lead



Mrs L Pearce

Deputy Designated

Safeguarding Lead



Mrs K Watch

Parent Support Worker



***Below is a breakdown of the class attendance for this week
This week's attendance winners are highlighted***

Class	Attendance %
EYFS	
Rabbit	94.21
Badger	97.44
Hedgehog	98.77
Key Stage 1	
Bumblebee	96.43
Ladybird	96.74
Centipede	94.09
Cricket	93.09
Grasshopper	98.72
Lower Key Stage 2	
Elm	98.36
Oak	97.94
Willow	96.05
Beech	98.23
Maple	99.21
Sycamore	97.62
Upper Key Stage 2	
Hummingbird	91.60
Owl	96.10
Robin	94.47
Kingfisher	97.04
Sparrowhawk	96.83
Woodpecker	98.02

Well done to Hedgehog, Grasshopper, Maple and Woodpecker for having the highest attendance in their key stage.

National 2016/17	96.0%
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School target for 2017/18	96.5%
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Number of pupils late this week

Monday	15
Tuesday	8
Wednesday	9
Thursday	11
Friday	11

Punctuality is very important to your child's learning. Let's see if we can get these figures down!