

Powick CE Primary Newsletter

Friday 25th October 2024



NSPCC Speak Out Stay Safe

This week both KS1 and KS2 took part in online assemblies from the NSPCC on the theme of Speak Out Stay Safe. The children learnt about what they can do if they are worried by anything at home or in school. The assemblies reinforced the important message that we all have the right to be heard, be safe and get help when we need it.

Wonderful World Day

Today we had our first Wonderful World Day. This year we have planned one of these days at the end of each half term as an opportunity to learn about our world. Each day has a carefully chosen focus that adds to the breadth and depth of our curriculum. This morning each class looked at the national theme for this year's Black History Month which takes place every October. This year's theme is 'Reclaiming Narratives' and each class has studied an individual story or biography which has impacted on distant or recent history. In the afternoon each class looked at an aspect of British Values and how these tie in with our school Christian Values and how we should live as part of a caring and supportive community where we are 'Embracing Learning Together'. The children have really enjoyed their first Wonderful World Day and the chance to broaden their understanding of how these important issues effect our everyday lives.



Value Token's Winners Well done to **GREEN** house who have been awarded the greatest number of values tokens for our value of forgiveness this half term. **GREEN 162 RED 121 BLUE 139 YELLOW 83**

Children who are in **GREEN** house were awarded a non-school uniform day on Thursday for working so hard to show forgiveness this term.

Our School Value this half term is:

Forgiveness

We will be looking out for children who are showing this value in action by:

- not getting angry when someone makes a mistake,
- saying sorry and accepting when someone says sorry to us
- being kind even when someone has done something wrong.

Attendance Counts

Your child's attendance in school does matter.

100% = Perfect Attendance!

96% and above = up to 7 days learning missed

93-95% = 8-12 days learning missed

86-92% = 16-26 days learning missed

85% or lower = at least 27 days learning missed
(that's 5 ½ school weeks!)

This week's attendance:

Whole school – 97%

Reception – 97.6

Year 1 – 98.9%

Year 2 – 97.1%

Year 3 – 98.5%

Year 4 – 97.8%

Year 5 – 99%

Year 6 – 95%

Well done to Year 5 who won the Attendance Cup this week!

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A uniform reminder ready for next half term:

We will be wearing winter uniform from now on. This means a tie for all children and a bottle green school jumper or cardigan as the weather gets colder.

Please remember that tracksuit bottoms or sports leggings must be black and without stripes or patterns. If you do not have a bottle green hoodie for your child to wear on PE days, then they are expected to wear their school jumper or cardigan not a hoodie in a different colour.

Please send your child with a warm waterproof coat every day. As it gets colder, please feel free to send your child with gloves and hats if you choose but not a scarf as these can be unsafe on the playground. Make sure these items are all clearly named so that if they get lost, they can be returned to your child. The full school uniform list can be found on our website.

<https://www.powick.worcs.sch.uk/uniform-list/>

All of our children are amazing but this week we are especially proud of:

Class of the Week Awarded

Year 3

for: their fantastic effort and imagination in creative writing.

Star Certificates



Year 1 – Rupert
Year 2 – Freddie
Year 3 – Nikola
Year 4 – Arthur
Year 5 – Jacob PS
Year 6 – Emily

Well done!

Values Certificates



Year 1 – Charlotte
Year 2 – Skyla
Year 3 – Emily
Year 4 – Bonnie
Year 5 – Papree
Year 6 – Rosie

Well done!

Upcoming dates for the diary:

25.10.24 End of Half Term

04.11.24 Start of Half Term

11.11.24 Remembrance Worship

11.11.24 Year 3 Lower Smite Farm

12.11.24 NSPCC Workshops Year 2, 5 and 6

12.11.24 Year 4 Parents' Evening

13.11.24 Year 6 Class Worship

14.11.24 Year 4 Parents' Evening

15.11.24 Math's FLIP Workshop

15.11.24 Children in Need Spotty Day

19.11.24 Year 5 Trip to Tudor House

21/22.11.24 Life bus Y R-6

27.11.24 Year 5 Class Worship

29.11.24 Bikeability Catch Up Session

02.12.24 Year 6 Parental Engagement

10.12.24 Nativity in Church PM Yr R,1,2

11.12.24 Nativity in Church AM Yr R,1,2

16.12.24 Christmas Jumper Day and Lunch

17.12.24 Year R Longlands Farm

18.12.24 Christmas Disco

19.12.24 Wonderful World Day

20.12.24 Christmas Service in Church

20.12.24 End of Term

06.01.25 INSET DAY

07.01.25 Start of Term

13.01.25 Road Safety Talks all classes

17.01.25 Balance Bike Training Year R

17.01.25 Young Voices – Choir

22.01.25 Christingle in School

24.01.25 Debating Competition

11.02.25 Parents' Evening Early (Book Fair)

13.02.25 Parents' Evening Late

14.02.25 End of Half Term