

Powick CE Primary Newsletter

Friday 10th October 2025



Pupil Parliament Every year, Year 6 children write a formal application for the different roles in our Pupil Parliament. These are read by their current and former teachers and children are selected based on the strength of their application and through a discussion about how they have shown our school values and lived our school vision by acting as a positive role model throughout their time at Powick School. Our Pupil Parliament is an important part of developing leadership skills for our Year 6 children. The Parliament is responsible for listening to feedback from all of the children in the school and making decisions that serve our community. They work on projects and implement real change in the day to day running of the school.

This year our Pupil Parliament are:

Prime Minister – Ruby
Deputy Prime Minister – Modeni
Secretary – Poppy
Treasurer – Sebastian
Minister for RE and Worship - Eleanor
Minister for Teaching and Learning – Sophia
Minister for Reading – Rupert
Minister for Sustainability
and the Environment – Inara
Minister for Computing – Dexter



We are sure that they will do an excellent job representing the children and the school and would like to thank them for putting themselves forward for this important role.

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 – 95.7%
Reception – 96.6%
Year 1 – 97.1%
Year 2 – 99%
Year 3 – 98%
Year 4 – 98.5%
Year 5 – 91.3%
Year 6 – 87.6%

Well done to  **Year 2**

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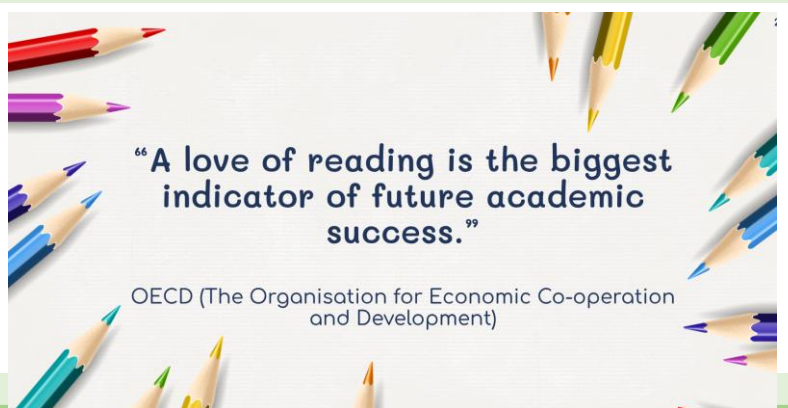
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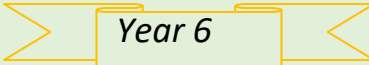



Phonics Parent Workshop

Thank you to all of the parents who came along to the Phonics Workshop on Friday. Mrs Lerner talked through how we teach phonics in school using the program 'Little Wandle' to make sure that children have a sound understanding of phonics from Year R and how this support Early Reading. The PowerPoint was shared on Class Dojo and has useful links to help you support your child at home. [2025 Phonics and Early Reading FLIP presentation - Google Slides](#)



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

Class of the Week Awarded  **Year 6** 
for: superb positive attitude and support for each other despite the weather at Cross Country last Friday.

Star Certificates

Year 1 – Hayden
Year 2 – Harry
Year 3 – Elsie
Year 4 – Rosie
Year 5 – Thea
Year 6 – Mollie



Well done!

Values Certificates

Year 1 – Ayla
Year 2 – Lillie
Year 3 – Harry A
Year 4 – Nikola
Year 5 – Emily W
Year 6 – Amelia



Well done!

Upcoming dates for the diary:

- 14.10.25 Parents' Evening
- 16.10.25 Parents' Evening
- 20.10.25-23.10.25 Year 6 Bikeability
- 23.10.25 Wonderful World Day
- 24.10.25 Inter House Sports Competition
- 24.10.25 End of Half Term**
- 03.11.25 Start of Half Term**
- 06-07.11.25 Lifebase PSHE Visits all classes
- 13.11.25 Maths Parents Workshop
- 17.11.25 Flu Vaccinations
- 18.11.25 Year 6 Parental Engagement
- 12.11.25 Year 6 Class Worship
- 25.11.25 Year 5 Class Worship
- 09.12.25 Nativity PM
- 10.12.25 Nativity AM
- 15.12.25 Christmas Jumper Day
- 16.12.25 Wonderful World Day
- 17.12.25 Friends Christmas Disco
- 18.12.25 Mrs Tolley's Santa Sports
- 19.12.25 Christmas Church Service Year 1-6
- 19.12.25 End of Term**