

Powick CE Primary Newsletter

Friday 15th September 2023



NEWS Thank you to all of the parents who came along to the Meet the Teacher sessions this week. If you were unable to attend then the presentations will be posted on Class Dojo. If you have any questions about your child's new year group or the routines of the school day the best way to contact the teacher is through Class Dojo. Teachers will answer messages outside of teaching times but remember that they will not be checking messages when they are teaching as they will be working with your children.

We know how important communication is between home and school. Please see the list here for the best ways to stay up to date with everything which is happening in school.

- Letters from staff or the school office will be sent by email. These might contain important updates or information about school trips and events so please read these carefully.
- Whole school reminders and information will be posted on the Class Dojo Whole School Story and sent in an email.
- News and 'dates for the diary' are sent out weekly on the school Newsletter. This is sent by email, posted on Class Dojo Whole School Story and is posted on the school website.
- Reminders and information about your child's class activities and events are posted on the Class Story on Class Dojo.

If you need to contact us with a general query, then the first point of contact is the school office.

- By email office@powick.worcs.sch.uk
- By phone 01905 830336

Please make sure the contact details we hold for you are up to date – both telephone number and email – so that these communications reach you.

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 – 96.5%

Reception – 97.8%

Year 1 – 100%

Year 2 – 98.3%

Year 3 – 93.8%

Year 4 – 95.8%

Year 5 – 98.6%

Year 6 – 95.5%

Well done to **Year 1**
who won the Attendance Cup this week!

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Health and Safety Outside of the School Gates We are always keen for our families to gain the benefits of walking and cycling to school where possible.

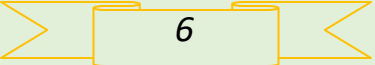
However, we have had several comments since the start of the term from community members who are concerned for the safety of children and families on the busy roads outside of Powick school.

We would like to remind drivers to please take care when you are on the roads at the beginning and end of the school day. Please keep an eye on your speed and keep aware of other road users and pedestrians making their way to or from school.

Parents, please keep a close eye on your child when crossing and around the roads especially if they are on a bike or scooter.

It takes everyone making the right choices to help keep our children safe and we are sure that everyone in the Powick community will be united to make sure children and families are safe on the roads.

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

Class of the Week Awarded  *6*
for: impressing their teachers with a sensible and mature attitude as they begin Year 6.

Star Certificates



Year 1 – Harry A
Year 2 – Amelia
Year 3 – Abraham
Year 4 – Albert
Year 5 – Oliver
Year 6 – Daniel

Well done!

Values Certificates



Year 1 – Harry R
Year 2 – Lily
Year 3 – Finley
Year 4 – Mollie
Year 5 – Isaac
Year 6 – Mya

Well done!

Upcoming dates for the diary:

25.09.23 Year 4 and 6 Trip to the Black Country Museum

29.09.23 Harvest Festival in Church Year 1-6

02.10.23 Year 6 Bikeability

06.10.23 Year 6 Cross Country

16.10.23 Year 5 Tudor House Trip

25.10.23 Year 6 Class Worship

24.10.23 Parents Evening 3:30-5:30

26.10.23 Parents Evening 4:30-7:00

27.10.23 END OF HALF TERM

06.11.23 START OF HALF TERM

13.11.23 Anti-bullying Week

16.11.23 STEM Workshop Year 3

17.11.23 Children in Need Spotty Day

20.11.23 Year 4 Boundless Outdoor Day

22.11.23 Year 5 Class Worship

30.11.23/01.12.23 Year R Balance Bike Training

22.12.23 Christmas service in Church