

Powick CE Primary Newsletter

Friday 22nd March 2024



The last week of the Spring Term has been a very busy one indeed. The Year 1 and 2 children had wonderful spring weather for their trip to All Things Wild on Monday. They had a great day and enjoyed meeting all of the animals and exploring their science topics.

Meanwhile, back in school, Year R enjoyed story and music sessions with Pyjama Drama while retelling the story of the Three Little Pigs with acting and music. They had a very noisy and fun filled afternoon of storytelling and even the teachers joined in acting out the story.

On Tuesday, Chance to Shine delivered one-off cricket sessions to the children in Class 1 to 6. This was a great opportunity for the children to be introduced to the sport or improve their skills if they already attend. Chance to Shine will be back in school after the holiday delivering lessons and an afterschool club on Tuesdays.

We are also grateful to all of the parents who were able to join us on Wednesday and Thursday to support the children making their Easter Bonnets and cheer them on at the parade. We love this Easter tradition at Powick and the way that the community gets involved to support the children and celebrate their creations.

We hope to see lots of you at our Easter Church Service this afternoon. Have a lovely holiday and HAPPY EASTER!



Our School Value this half term is:

Thankfulness

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

- Showing gratitude for the small things that make them happy every day
- Using manners and saying thank you when someone is kind to them, helps them or shares with them
- Being thankful for the people who help them in school, both adults and their friends

Powick School's distinctive Christian vision:

Embracing Learning Together

Our school community cares for each other and loves to learn together.

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 – 94.8%

Reception – 95.8%

Year 1 – 94.1%

Year 2 – 99.6%

Year 3 – 97.5%

Year 4 – 96.7%

Year 5 – 91%

Year 6 – 92.8%

Well done to Year 2 who won the Attendance Cup this week!

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Happy Easter



We are looking forward to seeing all of our families back at Powick School on Tuesday 9th March for the start of the summer term.

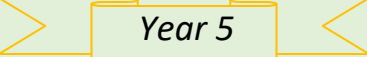
Summer Term reminders:

As the weather improves, please make sure your child has a refillable water bottle with them every day. On sunny days, they will also need a sunhat or cap. Sunglasses are not to be worn in school - except to support medical needs and agreed with the school in advance.

Our summer uniform list is on the school website. Summer dresses and shorts can be worn from the start of the summer term and on very hot days, the children will be permitted to remove their school tie.

Please remember that PE Kit must be in the right colours – black bottoms and bottle green jumper or hoodie. Please avoid sending your child in items with logos and stripes.

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

Class of the Week Awarded  **Year 5**
for: working together as a positive class community in Cricket.

Star Certificates

Year 1 – Harry R
Year 2 – Harry
Year 3 – Riya
Year 4 – Leo
Year 5 – Halle
Year 6 – Mofe



Well done!

Values Certificates

Year 1 – Mae
Year 2 – Mope
Year 3 – Lewis
Year 4 – Sophia
Year 5 – Scarlett
Year 6 – Elina



Well done!

Upcoming dates for the diary:

- 08.04.24 INSET Day**
- 09.04.24 School Open to children**
- 10.04.24 Tennis Session Year 1,2,3
- 16.04.24 Year 3/4 Inter house Games
- 18.04.24 Year 1 History Visitor
- 24.04.24 Year 1 Cricket festival
- 30.04.24 Year 3 Lower Smite Farm Trip
- 03.05.24 FLIP Trauma Informed Schools
- 06.05.24 MAY DAY BANK HOLIDAY
- 13.05.24 Year 6 SATS Week
- 16.05.24 Year 5 Parental Engagement
- 20.05.24 Year 2 Class Worship
- 21.05.24 Year 6 Leavers Photos
- 22.05.23 – 24.05.24 Year 6 Residential Trip
- 24.05.24 END OF HALF TERM**
- 03.05.24 START OF HALF TERM**
- 06.06.24 Sports Day
- 13.06.24 Reserve Sports Day
- 19.06.24 Year R Lower Smite Farm Trip
- 21.06.24 The Big Sing – Choir
- 26.06.24 Bell Boating Regatta Year 6
- 27.06.24 Moving Up Morning
- 28.06.24 Lifepath Year 6
- 01.07.24 Moving Up Morning
- 03.07.24 Year R Class Worship
- 05.07.24 Vision and Values Day

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