

Powick CE Primary Newsletter

Friday 29th September 2023



Year 4 and 6 trip to the Black Country Museum

On Monday both years 6 and 4 went to the black country living museum to experience a Victorian life from 1837 to 1901. We had a lesson with a Victorian teacher (who was very strict) who taught us about the different lessons and cruel punishments of the industrial revolution. We looked round the town in three different groups and watched people do Victorian jobs. We also tried playing with Victorian toys. When it came to lunch some of us ate in a Victorian park and others ate in a hall which hadn't been fully finished. Each of the different groups went to different parts e.g. group three went to the mine whilst groups two and one were exploring the town. Down in the mine they made it feel like we were actually working there. Also they recreated an explosion which shook the whole floor. By Seth and Harry Year 6

Friends of Powick School Harvest Collection

Thank you for all of your generous donations to the Malvern Foodbank as part of our Harvest celebrations.

The foodbank will be very grateful to receive all of the foodstuffs donated and they will all go towards helping families locally who need a little extra help.



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 – 94.8%
Reception – 97.3%
Year 1 – 93.8%
Year 2 – 96.9%
Year 3 – 96.4%
Year 4 – 98.3%
Year 5 – 96.6%
Year 6 – 93%

Well done to **Year 4**
who won the Attendance Cup this week!

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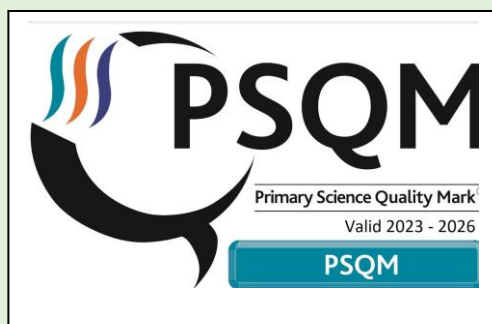


We are very proud to announce that Powick CE Primary School has been awarded the **Primary Science Quality Mark**.

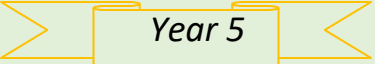
This is a nationally recognised quality mark which shows that the school has *'the knowledge, capability and science leadership it needs to transform science education and shape future generations'*.

Miss Holmes, our Science Lead, has worked tirelessly to support staff and develop practice in science teaching and learning at Powick and the award is a recognition of her leadership as well as the excellent practice of our teachers in delivering effective science lessons.

Well done all!



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

Class of the Week Awarded  **Year 5**
for: the excellent attitudes they have shown taking on the role of Play leaders and how hard they have worked making sure all the children can enjoy their playtimes.

Star Certificates



Year 1 – Theo B
Year 2 – Violet
Year 3 – Arthur
Year 4 – Rupert
Year 5 – Safia
Year 6 – Eva

Well done!

Values Certificates



Year 1 – Elsie
Year 2 – Rosie
Year 3 – Scarlett
Year 4 – Elin
Year 5 – Sophie
Year 6 – Louie

Well done!

Upcoming dates for the diary:

- 02.10.23 Year 6 Bikeability
- 06.10.23 Year 6 Cross Country
- 06.10.23 Year R Parent Workshop
Phonics and Early Reading
- 13.10.06 Year 3 and 4 Hockey
Tournament
- 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