

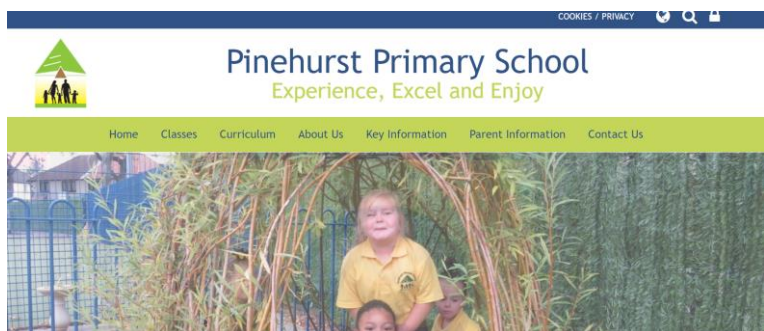


THE PINEHURST PRESS

Experience ~ Excel ~ Enjoy

A weekly newsletter to share the news of Pinehurst Primary School

Teaching and Learning



Our School Website

www.pinehurst-primary.co.uk

Teachers, staff, parents, pupils – all need to communicate and our website allows us to do this with greater ease. It incorporates our Twitter feed @PinehurstP so that everyone can have a regular insight into life in school. Every year group has a page under the ‘Classes’ Tab where you can find out about current learning and routines in class. Our ‘Curriculum’ Tab shares information about the different subjects being taught in school and the opportunities the pupils have to ‘Experience, Excel and Enjoy’. The ‘About Us’ Tab and, ‘Key Information’ Tab provide information about daily life in school. Our ‘Parent Information’ Tab has our weekly newsletters and term dates and other information that may be useful to parents.

Our website is an important way of keeping our #PinehurstFamily up to date and involved in school life.

Weekly Attendance and Minutes Late

Year Group	Class	Attendance %	Minutes Late
R	Oak	97.50%	0 ☺
R	Ash	95.00%	0 ☺
1	Elm	93.95%	343 ☹
1	Cherry	97.46%	180
2	Fir	89.52%	124
2	Yew	85.94% ☹	193
3	Cedar	95.00%	1
3	Hazel	97.69%	56
4	Chestnut	91.82%	241
4	Holly	92.86%	133
5	Maple	98.33%	162
5	Sycamore	95.93%	139
6	Birch	86.36%	118
6	Willow	98.97% ☺	43



Whole School Attendance ... **93.16%**

Our Attendance Incentive starts next week for 2 weeks. **IN TO WIN!**



On Thursday 7th October we will celebrate National Poetry Day.



SCHOOL Photo Day
Photograph Day
Monday 4th October

School Contact Number 07858 739336 for Emergencies only

Pupil Premium

If your child is eligible for free school meals, they may also be entitled to a sum of money paid to their school to boost their learning, this is called pupil premium. Although all Infant children receive a free school meal under a Government scheme it is still important that you register for Free School Meals so school can access this additional funding. This is also the case if your child is in any year group and choosing a packed lunch.

You may be eligible if you receive one of the following benefits:

Income Support.

Income Based Job Seekers Allowance.

Child Tax Credit Only (with income up to £16,190) with no element of Working Tax Credit.

Our Pupil Premium Lead is Ms A MacDiarmid



You can provide us with your views about school by visiting our questionnaire:

https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSd6eUBlzRISVcrmzA10vAwZKX_gUdzWUztNnwJw2-TLEvM83Q/viewform?usp=sf_link

Or Parent View: <https://parentview.ofsted.gov.uk/>



COVID19 Reminders

Please ensure that you distance from other adults and families at drop off and pick up.

Face coverings are advised at pick up / drop off please.

No unnecessary items including large school bags at this time please.

Pinehurst PE Kit to be worn 1 allocated day per week.

Please bring a named water bottle to school each day.

Thank you for your cooperation.



Flu immunisation has been cancelled on 15th October. A new date in December will be shared in due course.



SCHOOL ADMISSIONS

Reception Admissions 2022

Closing date 15th January 2022

(Children in Nursery must still apply)

Secondary School Transfer for Year 7

Closing Date 31st October 2021

Visit your Local Authority Admissions page for further information:

<https://liverpool.gov.uk/admissions>

<https://sefton.gov.uk/admissions>

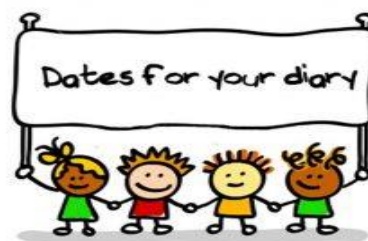
<https://www.knowsley.gov.uk/schooladmissions>

Please be reminded that bikes and scooters are left in the

Bike Storage Area at your own risk.



Please can we remind all parents and carers of the need to park away and walk the last few minutes to school to stop congestion around the school site. Thank you



Children break up for half term Thursday 21st October 2021

INSET Day: Friday 22nd October 2021

Children return to school Monday 1st November 2021

Children break up for Christmas Wednesday 22nd December 2021

INSET Day: Wednesday 5th January 2022

Children return to school Thursday 6th January 2022