

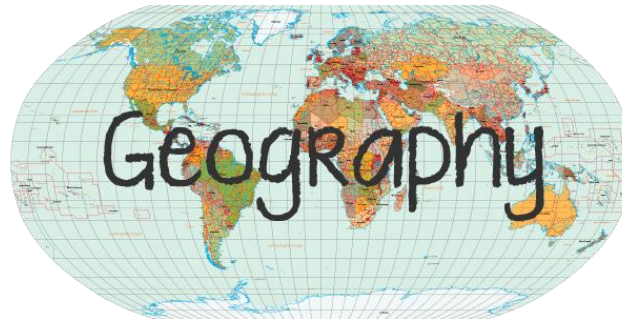


THE PINEHURST PRESS

Experience ~ Excel ~ Enjoy

A weekly newsletter to share the news of Pinehurst Primary School

Teaching and **L**earning



A high-quality geography education inspires in pupils a curiosity and fascination about the world and its people. We hope that this will remain with them for the rest of their lives. Teaching equips pupils with knowledge about diverse places, people, resources and natural and human environments, together with a deep understanding of the Earth's key physical and human processes. As our pupils progress, their growing knowledge about the world should help them to deepen their understanding of the interaction between physical and human processes, and of the formation and use of landscapes and environments. Geographical knowledge, understanding and skills provide the frameworks and approaches that explain how the Earth's features at different scales are shaped, interconnected and change over time.

Leading Geography at Pinehurst Miss Gilmore

Weekly Attendance and Minutes Late



Year Group	Class	Attendance %	Minutes Late
R	Ash	89.00%	187
R	Oak	94.00%	303
1	Cherry	97.39%	132
1	Elm	92.73%	69
2	Fir	96.00%	235
2	Yew	96.40%	264
3	Cedar	91.48%	387 ☹
3	Hazel	90.71%	599 ☹
4	Chestnut	97.59%	169
4	Holly	92.14%	278
5	Maple	96.36%	222
5	Sycamore	96.00%	163
6	Birch	92.00%	51
6	Willow	96.92%	422 ☹
Whole School		93.25%	3481 ☹

quote of the week

'Develop a passion for learning. If you do, you will never cease to grow.'





Flying the Flag for International Club

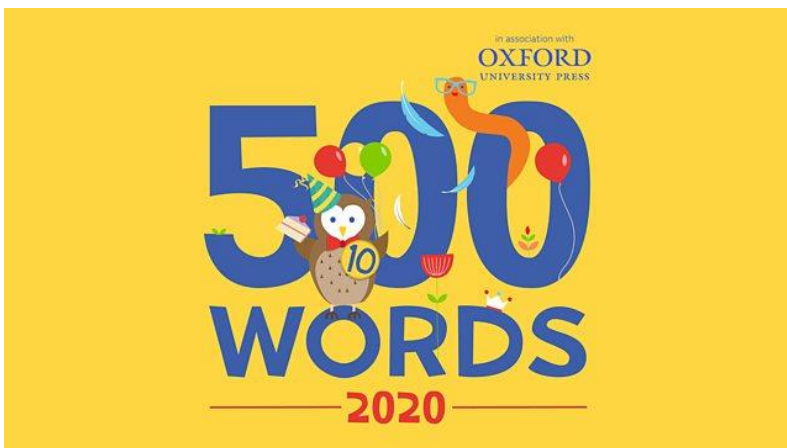
Every Tuesday evening Ms Cook and Miss Gilmore are hosting International Club for Year 3 and 4. Here is a flavour of what they have been learning all about.

Each week we focus on a different country, that our children at Pinehurst have links with. We find out about the geography, food, climate, culture and language. It helps us to understand and respect others and have fun too! This week we are finding out about Czech. Nemůžeme čekat!



Inside Out Day is on Thursday 6th February during Children's Mental Health Week.

Inside Out Day calls for children and adults alike to wear an item of clothing 'Inside Out' as a way of making us all stop and think about how someone may look OK on the outside 😊 but inside they may be feeling sad or worried ☹️. It is a day to remind us to always be kind and think of others as no one knows how another person may be feeling.



500 Words is the UK's most successful short story-writing competition for children between the ages of 5 and 13.

Since the competition launched 934,296 stories have been entered in the competition.

It was launched back in 2011, after Chris Evans had a dream.

He dreamt of getting children excited about reading and writing. All children: no matter what their ability, experience, or background.

2019 attracted over 110,000 entries children to the short story competition, and since it launched, the competition has received over 912,986 short stories.

It's super simple. All entrants must pen an original story, no more than 500 words in length, and submit it online. It can be about ANYTHING you want – space-ships, grannies, insects, time travel. The list is endless!

GET WRITING YOUR STORY!



Year 5 have worked with the LFC Foundation to learn all about First Aid.

Number Day : Friday 7th February

Come to school in a number inspired outfit with a donation of 50p to the NSPCC.

Behaviour and Class Dojos

How have you shown that you are Ready, Respectful and Safe this week?



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