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# THE PINEHURST PRESS

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A weekly newsletter to share the news of Pinehurst Primary School

Teaching and  Learning



**The National Curriculum for History aims to ensure that all pupils:**

- know and understand the history of these islands as a coherent, chronological narrative, from the earliest times to the present day: how people's lives have shaped this nation and how Britain has influenced and been influenced by the wider world.
- know and understand significant aspects of the history of the wider world: the nature of ancient civilisations; the expansion and dissolution of empires; characteristic features of past non-European societies; achievements and follies of mankind.
  - gain and deploy a historically grounded understanding of abstract terms such as 'empire', 'civilisation', 'parliament' and 'peasantry'.
- understand historical concepts such as continuity and change, cause and consequence, similarity, difference and significance, and use them to make connections, draw contrasts, analyse trends, frame historically-valid questions and create their own structured accounts, including written narratives and analyses.
- understand the methods of historical enquiry, including how evidence is used rigorously to make historical claims, and discern how and why contrasting arguments and interpretations of the past have been constructed .
- gain historical perspective by placing their growing knowledge into different contexts, understanding the connections between local, regional, national and international history; between cultural, economic, military.

**Leading History at Pinehurst Miss Jones and Mrs Alleyne**



A reminder of our 'Off Site' Emergency Contact number and Safeguarding email address

07858 739336

[safeguarding@pinehurst-primary.co.uk](mailto:safeguarding@pinehurst-primary.co.uk)



'My dear friends, this is your hour. This is not victory of a party or of any class. It's a victory of the great British nation as a whole. We were the first, in this ancient island, to draw the sword against tyranny.'

**WINSTON CHURCHILL**



Don't forget to follow us on Twitter

[@PinehurstP](https://twitter.com/PinehurstP)

We now have 1032 followers!



How are you spending VE Day Bank Holiday? Tweet us your pictures so we can see how you are taking part in the 75<sup>th</sup> Anniversary Celebration.

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#VEDay75

## Celebration Certificates have been arriving on doormats



Here are just a few.

Who will get one this week?



We would like to say a 'BIG THANK YOU' to Mr Daly for all he has done to promote sport, health and well-being in his time at Pinehurst.

Mr Daly is leaving us next week to embark on a new adventure.

We would all like to say 'Good Bye' and 'Good Luck' Mr Daly.

## Spotlight on Home Learning

Keep up the great work.

WELL DONE EVERYONE!



Another busy week!

Keep tweeting and emailing your class teacher your fantastic home learning.

## ‘Well done everyone from Miss Morris’

What an amazing job you are all (children, parents, carers, families, staff, governors) doing at this very strange time!

We realise ‘home-schooling’ can be a challenge, but we hope that what we are able to offer is helping just a little.

We are not all in the ‘same boat’, but we are in the ‘same storm’ and we are helping each other wherever we can.

Our ‘Keeping Connected Calls’, website, twitter, class email addresses and out of school contact number are all in place to help and support in all in the ‘Pinehurst Family’.

We wanted to offer you reassurance that we are continuing to take advice from the Department for Education and Liverpool Local Authority – as we have all the way through these unprecedented times.

We realise that when a plan for schools reopening is announced it is unlikely all of you will be able to return on our first day.

Some of you and / or your children may have medical conditions to consider, and you must continue to do exactly what YOU need to do for your family. All we ask is that you stay in touch with us. Please read the website, our Twitter feed and any messages we send you via text or post. Contact us if you are at all worried.

We may have to phase pupils back into school for a number of reasons. This includes not having a full staff immediately – many have their own families and/or medical conditions. We may need to stagger the times pupils coming into school arrive and leave. We will need to ensure the environment is right for all of our pupils and staff so that it remains clean and any social distancing guidelines can be followed. All of this is being planned at the moment, so please don’t worry about anything. You will be informed, through the usual channels when all is set and we are ready to begin our first phase of opening.

Please feel reassured that there will be a detailed plan for school reopening and you will be informed. Please do not worry about what you hear on the television, in the newspapers or from other schools. We will let you know when we are ready and how opening will begin.

Please don’t forget that we are here to help you in any way that we can.

Thank you for all of your ongoing support. We miss you all!

Take care, keep safe, stay well.

Miss Morris ☺

