



# THE PINEHURST PRESS

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A weekly newsletter to share the news of Pinehurst Primary School

## Teaching and Learning



Music

Music is a universal language that embodies one of the highest forms of creativity. A high quality music education should engage and inspire pupils to develop a love of music and their talent as musicians, and so increase their self-confidence, creativity and sense of achievement. As pupils progress, they should develop a critical engagement with music, allowing them to compose, and to listen with discrimination to the best in the musical canon.



Leading Music at Pinehurst is Mrs Rimmer

## Weekly Attendance and Minutes Late

Year Group	Class	Attendance %	Minutes Late
R	Ash	92.80%	98
R	Oak	99.23% 😊	70
1	Cherry	90.37%	123
1	Elm	88.46%	75
2	Fir	84.62% 😞	25 😊
2	Yew	85.42%	192
3	Cedar	99.17%	61
3	Hazel	93.75%	147
4	Chestnut	94.00%	132
4	Holly	86.80%	150
5	Maple	90.71%	247 😞
5	Sycamore	97.78%	232
6	Birch	90.34%	132
6	Willow	90.34%	67
Whole School		90.90%	

### quote of the week

Nine-tenths of education is encouragement.

### Attendance Ladder

How close is your child to 100%?



**APPLE OF MY EYE**  
Learn. Create. Taste.

**PINEHURST ONLINE MONTHLY COOK-A-LONGS 2022-23**

2022 APRIL - Spanish Tortilla  
 MAY - Lemon And Raspberry Parfaits  
 JUNE - Veggie Risotto  
 JULY - Peri Peri Chicken Burger  
 AUGUST - Margherita Pizza  
 SEPTEMBER - Chunky Autumn Soup  
 OCTOBER - Sweet Potato & Squash Curry  
 NOVEMBER - Italiano Lasagne  
 DECEMBER - Winter Wonderland Log  
 JANUARY - Pasta Carbonara  
 FEBRUARY - Leek, Pea Ham Soup  
 MARCH - Blueberry & Lemon Drizzle Scones

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New Cook-A-Longs coming up ...

Next week we will be asking who would like to take part in April's Cook- a- long and ingredients packs will be issued on our return from Spring Break.



Thank you for your support last week. We raised...  
£238.92



We break up for Easter on Friday 8<sup>th</sup> April

In keeping with tradition, the children will start their Easter Holiday Spring Break during the afternoon of Friday 8<sup>th</sup> April

Please collect your children at the time below from the allocated gate

1.40pm	Reception EYFS Gate	Year 1 Main Gate	Year 2 Little Acorns Gate	
1.50pm	Year 5 EYFS Gate	Year 6 Little Acorns Gate	Year 3 Kitchen Side Gate	Year 4 Main Gate

**SOCIAL DISTANCING**



**WE ARE CURRENTLY REVIEWING OUR RISK ASSESSMENT AND MEASURES IN PLACE IN SCHOOL.**

Helpful hints and tips...

Please continue to distance from other adults and families at drop off and pick up.

One adult per child at drop off / pick up if possible please.

Once you have dropped off or collected your child please leave as quickly as possible. We need to avoid congestion at the gates and on the playground. Your cooperation with this is much appreciated.



Face coverings can be considered at drop off, pick up and are advised when visiting school.

No unnecessary items including large school bags or pencil cases in school at this time please. Please ensure that your child brings a SMALL bag on book return and issue days.

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

Please bring a named water bottle to school each day.

Alternate lunches of hot and cold options, children may bring a packed lunch if this is their preference. **We hope to be in position to offer daily choice of hot or cold lunch in the Summer term.** We will keep you updated on if this is possible.

Due to ventilation requirements, if your child is cold in school they should wear extra layers.

This may include a vest or additional layer under their polo shirt, or a school or navy fleece over their sweatshirt. We will consider scarves and fingerless gloves as the term progresses and update you.

If your child has a COVID symptom of a cough, high temperature (above 37.8 degrees) or a loss of taste or smell they must stay off school and get tested for COVID19.

**Contact details for the school office 0151 263 1300, and outside of school hours you can call or text 07858 739336.**