

7<sup>th</sup> October 2022



# THE PINEHURST PRESS

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A weekly newsletter to share the news of Pinehurst Primary School

Teaching and  Learning



Our RE teaching ensures that RE is responsive to the changing nature of schools and education. We aim to provide children the opportunity to develop, build and master their knowledge and understanding of their beliefs. They will show knowledge of previous learning and build and develop new skills and knowledge to show progression. We enable children to make links to their own lives and other beliefs.

We believe that it is important for all children to have access to opportunities for spiritual development and awareness and understanding of the great religious traditions.

In RE, pupils learn from religions and world views about different ways of life in local, national and global contexts. They discover, explore and consider many different answers to questions about human identity, meaning and value.

All children are given the opportunity to access the curriculum at their level and are provided with the resources required to enhance their understanding. They are given opportunities to discuss their ideas and beliefs.

Leading RE Mrs H Muirhead and Miss J Hannah

## Weekly Attendance and Minutes Late

Year Group	Class	Attendance %	Minutes Late
R	Oak	91.90%	42
R	Ash	94.55%	190
1	Elm	95.71%	118
1	Cherry	90.38%	213
2	Fir	97.86% 😊	71
2	Yew	94.48%	248
3	Cedar	94.29%	245
3	Hazel	91.11%	129
4	Chestnut	97.08%	40 😊
4	Holly	95.77%	52
5	Maple	96.00%	130
5	Sycamore	93.60%	71
6	Birch	89.29%	150
6	Willow	88.97% 😞	280 😞



Parents' Evening will be held on Wednesday 19th October from 2.45 - 5.30pm for parents of pupils from Reception Year up to Year 6.

We are trialling a return to face to face meetings for those parents / carers who would like this.

Please be aware that children will be **dismissed from school at 2.30pm** to allow for a prompt start of the Parents' Evening appointments.

Whole School Attendance ... **92.94%**

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**



## SCHOOL ADMISSIONS

### Reception Admissions 2023

Closing date 15th January 2023

(Children in Nursery must still apply)

### Secondary School Transfer for Year 7

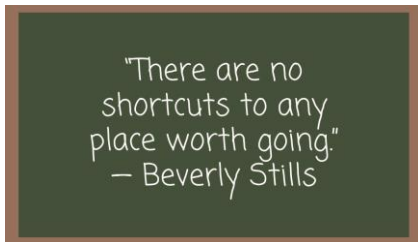
Closing Date 31<sup>st</sup> October 2022

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 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 Friday 21<sup>st</sup> October

INSET Day: Monday 31<sup>st</sup> October 2022

Children return to school Monday 1<sup>st</sup> November 2022

Children break up for Christmas Wednesday 21<sup>st</sup> December

Children return to school Wednesday 4<sup>th</sup> January 2023

Be sure to put these dates in your diary, on your calendar or in your phone.



I would like an ingredients pack for Sweet Potato and Squash Curry.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Please return by Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> October, Ingredients packs will be issued Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> October.