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ATTENDANCE WEEK ENDING 05/10/2018

CLASS	ATTENDANCE
Finsbury Park	99.1%
Highbury & Islington	94.6%
Oxford Circus	90.6%
Victoria	97.0%
Covent Garden	92.6%
Piccadilly Circus	99.5%
Seven Sisters	98.2%
Crouch Hill	95.7%
Liverpool Street	95.2%
Stratford	92.4%
Holloway Road	98.2%
Caledonian Road	96.3%
Hoxton	****100.0%****
Shoreditch	96.2%

HALF TERM

Reminder school finishes for the Half Term break next Friday, 19th October (at the normal time). School re-opens on Monday 29th October.



SCHOOL PHOTOS

The Photographer will be in school on Tuesday 6th November to take individual pupil photos.

****CLASS NEWS****

Nursery

This week Nursery have been learning about shapes. We have had fun feeding “shape monsters” and have played lots of games to help us identify 2D shapes. We are making progress with social skills and some children now know that they need to get a timer to wait for their turn with a toy. Thank you so much to all the parents who attended the Curriculum Morning on Tuesday. If you missed it and would like more information, please come and see Paula.

Reception

We read “Funnybones” this week and have been learning about our skeleton. We have felt our skull, spine, ribs and other bones in our body and thought about what they are for and how they help us. We explored 2D shapes, looking for them in our environment, making and matching shapes and looking at their different properties by counting the number of sides and corners they have. We have learned new sounds and are now practising to blend them to help us read words! Please remember to bring in your book bags on Monday so your children can choose two new books to take home and share with you.

Year 1

This week, the Year 1 children have been extending their writing by including who, what and where in their sentences. Next week, we will be going on our trip around Finsbury Park, so please return your permission slips if you haven’t already done so.

Year 2

We had a brilliant trip to Kidzania on Friday! The children were really well behaved and a credit to Pooles Park! They had the opportunity to try out lots of different jobs, including Firefighters, Paramedics and Radio Broadcasters. It was brilliant to see how resilient and independent they are becoming. Well done Year 2!

Year 3

We had a great school trip to the Victoria & Albert Museum of Childhood. We had a spotlight session about Punch & Judy and looked around the Holidays in the Past artifacts and toys. We also looked at the Dollhouse display, which was very impressive! Well done for excellent behaviour!

Year 4

Seven Sisters very much enjoyed performing their assembly on Wednesday about how we teach reading at Pooles Park. Well done to everyone who learnt their lines and performed like professionals and thank you for all the support from parents. Next week is the turn of Crouch Hill, so we very much look forward to welcoming Year 4 parents again. This week some of the Year 4 girls represented the school on a football trip, where they worked really hard and had a great time. In our final week at school before half term, we shall be focussing on addition in Maths and non-fiction in Literacy, as well as continuing to learn about Roman culture, including how they made mosaics and how they were entertained.

Year 5

Year 5 began their week with an exciting trip to the National Gallery, where we learnt about the stories behind paintings. In Maths, we have been looking at statistics and tables. Liverpool Street also took a trip to the Museum of London to start their Viking topic.

Year 6

Year 6 have had a great week using our new expertise in World War 2 to create our own diary entries as evacuees. In Maths, we have been looking at the four main functions and revisiting our knowledge in fractions. Meanwhile, in Topic we are continuing to build our knowledge about WW2, building towards report writing after half term.

PARENT WORKSHOPS 9.10 A.M.



DATE	WHAT'S HAPPENING? WHERE?	WHO?
Wednesday 17 th October	Flu Immunisation Promotion Come and find out about the Flu Immunisation Program, and why it is important for your child. We will also provide support on completing the consent form.	Dilys Defontaine (Immunisation Nurse)



CLASS/YEAR GROUP ASSEMBLIES 9.10 AM AUTUMN TERM 2018



DATE	CLASS/YEAR GROUP
Wednesday 17 th October	Crouch Hill
HALF TERM	HALF TERM
Wednesday 31 st October	Year 2
Wednesday 7 th November	Year 6 Remembrance Assembly
Wednesday 14 th November	Stratford
Wednesday 21 st November	Year 3
Wednesday 28 th November	Year 1
Wednesday 5 th December	Liverpool Street
Wednesday 12 th December	Year 6 WW2 Assembly