



# Pooles Park Primary School

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# Newsletter



13<sup>th</sup> July 2018      Pooles Park Primary School, Lennox Rd, London N4 3NW. Tel 020 7272 2655. Website: www.poolespark.com      Email admin@poolespark.islington.sch.uk

## ATTENDANCE WEEK ENDING 6<sup>th</sup> July 2018



CLASS	ATTENDANCE
Finsbury Park	****100.0%****
Highbury & Islington	97.5%
Kings Cross	92.0%
Oxford Circus	91.1%
Victoria	98.9%
Covent Garden	90.5%
Piccadilly Circus	90.9%
Seven Sisters	96.9%
Crouch Hill	94.0%
Liverpool Street	94.1%
Stratford	98.0%
Holloway Road	97.0%
Caledonian Road	95.7%
Hoxton	95.7%
Shoreditch	95.5%

## DEFIBRILLATOR FUND

We are pleased to let you know that we have now raised a fantastic £836.61. Thank you all very much for your contributions.

## SUMMER HOLIDAYS & NON-UNIFORM DAY

We break up next Thursday (19<sup>th</sup>) at 2.00 p.m. for the Summer Holidays. Children can wear their own clothes and bring in 50p or £1 to donate to our Defibrillator Fund. We now need £163.39 😊

## LOST PROPERTY

If your child has lost any item of clothing at school, please come and check outside the reception area. Any items that are not claimed will be sent for recycling.

### \*\*\*\*CLASS NEWS\*\*\*\*

#### Nursery

The children have settled into their longer days in Nursery very well. They have enjoyed eating lunch and getting used to being here in the afternoons. We hope you have all enjoyed reading your child's report. We have loved teaching your child in Nursery this year and thank you to all of the parents who came to the Graduation Ceremony this week. It was wonderful.

#### Reception

We had an amazing time at EYFS Sports Day – thank you for coming and a BIG thank you to Year 6 who organised and ran the whole thing. We have been getting the children ready for their move to Year 1 – talking about feelings etc. Our Pirate theme this week has been a great success, and a good opportunity to learn Maths and Literacy whilst having fun. Please remember to bring back any books on Monday. Thank you!

#### Year 1

Year 1 have had such an exciting week! We made pizzas on Tuesday and cooked a potato recipe on Thursday. On Friday, we had a teddy bear picnic and enjoyed having our lunch in the forest garden. We have had so much fun and can't wait to see what other exciting things we do next week!

#### Year 2

It has been a busy week in Year 2, with the 50 Golds cinema treat, the Attendance trip and the Behaviour award for children who did not have any red cards this year. We have now begun practising our end of year graduation show, which will be next Wednesday at 9.10 a.m. in the middle hall. We look forward to seeing you there.

#### Year 3

This week we have been working hard on writing autobiographies about our lives. In Maths, we have been learning how to multiply and divide by 10 and 100. In Science, we have been discussing what humans need to survive, and finishing off the topic reflecting on what we have learnt. On Friday, we enjoyed a fantastic trip to the Natural History Museum, being Dino Scientists and looking at artefacts from different historical eras.

#### Year 4

This week we have been learning about the eruption of Mt Vesuvius at Pompeii. We have written a newspaper report and collected information about the event. In Maths, we have been drawing bar charts and line graphs and in Topic we continued to explore the lives of Ancient Egyptians. Thank you for coming to hear about your child's progress on Parents' Evening. Please continue to support your child by encouraging them to read and practise their times tables.

#### Year 5

What a busy and exciting week, full of hard work and rewards! Lots of the children enjoyed a film, bowling and/or a garden party due to their excellent behaviour and attendance this year. In lessons, we have been challenging ourselves to complete past SATs papers, which are giving us an idea of what is to come in Year 6. Each child has their CGP books now, please support them in completing each task to their best ability and continue to listen to your child read.

#### Year 6

Year 6 have had a busy week rehearsing for our End of Year Performance – Varjak Paw. We are excited to perform for you next week. Please do not miss it next Tuesday 17th July at 2.00 p.m. Thank you for supporting our Enterprise Challenge last Friday - we managed to raise £235! We are looking forward to a fun, but emotional, last week of Pooles Park life.

## GOODBYE



**We are very sorry to say goodbye to:**

- Ms Lowther (Piccadilly Circus) who is moving to Newcastle
- Ms Laughton (Caledonian Road) who is moving to Peterborough
- Ms Goodman (Crouch Hill) who is moving to Peterborough
- Ms Bhalla (Shoreditch) who is moving to Harrow to further her teaching career.
- Mrs Wahi (Reception) who is taking a break from teaching
- Ms Timlin (Victoria) who is taking leave for 1 year to travel and will be back with us next year

**We thank them for all their hard work during their time at Pooles Park and wish them every success in their future careers.**

## HELLO



**We welcome the following teachers in September:**

- Ms Smith who will be teaching in Year 1
- Mr Odubanjo who will be teaching in Year 2
- Ms Paxman who will be teaching in Year 3
- Ms John who will be teaching in Year 4 and will be Year 3/4 Phase Leader
- Ms Slattery who will be teaching in Year 5
- Ms Murphy who will be teaching in Year 6

## UPCOMING EVENTS

DATE	EVENT
17 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Performance & Graduation 2.00-3.00 p.m.
18 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 2 Graduation 9.10 a.m.

**THURSDAY 19<sup>TH</sup> JULY - SCHOOL BREAKS UP AT 2.00 P.M. FOR THE SUMMER HOLIDAYS**  
**SCHOOL RE-OPENS FOR CHILDREN ON TUESDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> SEPTEMBER**

