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ATTENDANCE WEEK ENDING 20/04/2018



CLASS	ATTENDANCE
Finsbury Park	****100.0%****
Highbury & Islington	97.8%
Kings Cross	93.5%
Oxford Circus	91.7%
Victoria	98.6%
Covent Garden	91.1%
Piccadilly Circus	98.9%
Seven Sisters	94.0%
Crouch Hill	95.4%
Liverpool Street	98.4%
Stratford	97.6%
Holloway Road	92.1%
Caledonian Road	97.5%
Hoxton	****100.0%****
Shoreditch	95.2%

*****PAPERLESS NEWSLETTER*****

We are delighted that many of you are now reading the Newsletter on the School App. From next week we won't be sending paper copies of the Newsletter home with your child. If you would still like a paper copy, there will be a few available in Reception. Please use the app for school information, including the School Calendar. If you need any help with downloading the app or have any queries, please see the school office.

IMPROVING PUPIL ATTENDANCE

Good attendance means being in school at least 96% of the time.

- 365 days in the calendar year
- 175 non-school days (all this for shopping, holidays and appointments)



Traffic Light Percentages

- Red:** Below 90% = serious impact on education and reduces life chances
- Amber:** 90-95% = less chance of success
- Green:** 96% and above – best chance of success

****CLASS NEWS****

Nursery

This week we have been reading "The Old Lady Who Swallowed a Fly", the children have enjoyed re-telling the story and using the props. We have been learning about the different minibeasts in our outdoor environment and we even made some using boxes and cartons.

Reception

This week we have had great fun racing snails, examining them, writing poems about them and learning how to protect them. In Maths, we have been measuring time and distance. Please have a look at the photos on Tapestry. If you are still having difficulty with the app, please see your child's teacher.

Year 1

This week we received a message from Captain Cruel telling us that a villainous scoundrel had stolen his treasure chest and he needed our help to look for it. We read his map carefully and found the treasure in the forest garden. We have been busy writing a letter to Captain Cruel telling him the good news. Next week we will be learning about the life of pirates.

Year 2

What a busy week we have had! Year 2 have been busy practising the column method for addition, using 2 digit numbers. We have been reading the story "Super Daisy" and have learnt to retell it – ask us all about it. Next week we will be changing the story into our own super hero stories, we look forward to hearing your ideas.

Year 3

This week we have been working hard on multiplication and division to solve two-step problems. We need to keep learning our times tables to make problem solving easier! We have created some cave art as part of our Stone Age topic, and also worked on reading comprehensions to answer questions about this topic. A busy week! We are back to swimming next Thursday, please remember to bring full kits, including swimming caps.

Year 4

In Maths, we have been learning how to convert units of measure before we go on to solve problems next week, which include measure and money. In Literacy, we have been exploring a story set in Pakistan called "Sugarcane Juice". In Topic, we have also done some writing inspired by the first painting in our Writing through Art series entitled "A View of Old London Bridge from the West" as well as attempting to design our own bridge. Reminder that Crouch Hill are having their Assembly next Wednesday at 9.10 a.m. Please try to come along!

Year 5

What a busy week we have had with some of our most avid readers attending the Reading Road Maps Awards and other children taking part in a Tri-Golf Tournament. All of the children have worked hard adding, subtracting and multiplying fractions. In English, we have been enjoying creating "anti" fairy tales, taking inspiration from Jeremy Strong. Please take time to listen to your child read every day to help them improve and reach their reading potential!

Year 6

We are still working really hard in Year 6 – please continue to encourage your child to do some English and Maths practice every night. Please also ensure that they get to bed at a reasonable time so they are well rested for each day, as it is a very busy time for them at the moment. Thank you for your support with this.

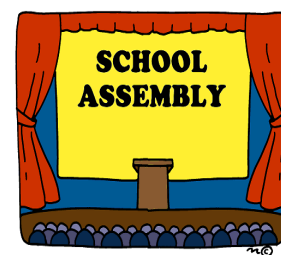
WORKSHOPS - 9.15 A.M. in THE MEETING ROOM (ground floor)



Tuesday 1 st May	Vision Tell us what you like best about Pooles Park and the things we can do to improve.	Laura Corrick Greg Crawford Mohamed Farah
Tuesday 8 th May	Sex and Relationships Education for Y2, 4 and 6 parents Come and find out about what your child will be learning and what resources we use.	Laura Corrick Mohamed Farah

CLASS ASSEMBLIES

Wednesday 2 nd May	Crouch Hill
Wednesday 9 th May	Victoria
Wednesday 16 th May	Holloway Road
Wednesday 23 rd May	Stratford



HALF TERM - MONDAY 28TH MAY - FRIDAY 1ST JUNE

Wednesday 20 th June	Crouch Hill
Wednesday 27 th June	Seven Sisters
Wednesday 4 th July	Caledonian Road
Wednesday 11 th July	Liverpool Street