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ATTENDANCE WEEK ENDING 27/09/2019



CLASS	ATTENDANCE
Finsbury Park	****100.0%****
Highbury & Islington	98.0%
Victoria	95.8%
Covent Garden	****100.0%****
Piccadilly Circus	99.1%
Crouch Hill	97.1%
Stratford	96.3%
Liverpool Street	98.3%
Holloway Road	94.6%
Caledonian Road	98.3%
Hoxton	90.8%
Shoreditch	94.6%

YEAR 6 PARENTS' EVENINGS

Tuesday 8th & Thursday 10th October
4.00-6.00 p.m.

Please see your child's teacher to make an appointment.

LATENESS TO SCHOOL

Please make sure your child comes to school on time every day. The gates open at 8.50 a.m. and close promptly at 9.00 a.m. If your child is late you will need to come with them to the school office to sign them in.

RECEPTION PLACE SEPTEMBER 2020

We have an Open Morning next Thursday 10th October at 9.30 a.m. for parents/carers who are looking for a Reception place for their child next September. If you know of any parents who might be interested in finding out more about Pooles Park School, please ask them to phone the office to book a place on a tour of the school.

Nursery

We have made headbands this week to help us tell the story of 'Brown Bear, Brown Bear'. We have also explored our garden to find autumn leaves with Mr. Crawford. We will be looking at their different colours next week. If you are out and about and find interesting autumnal objects, such as leaves and conkers, then please bring them in. We will also be looking at shapes and matching them to different colours and sizes. Please talk about shapes with your child and help them to name them at home.

Reception

This week we have read Titch and have been learning about measuring and comparing size and weight. The children have created their own competitions in building the tallest or longest tower using unifix cubes, encouraging each other to try their hardest and also practising sharing and taking turns with the resources. It has been fun guessing who all the baby photographs were - thank you for sending them in. If you haven't and would still like to, please feel free. Remember to bring in book bags every day and check them in for letters home.

Year 1

This week we have been focusing on using our senses, to find out what we can see, hear and smell as we walk around the school grounds and our local area. The children enjoyed walking around Finsbury Park and discussing the different buildings, shops and homes that we could see. Thank you so much to all the parents who came along and helped out! Please remember that we have PE on Thursdays, so your child needs to bring in their PE kit on this day every week.

Year 2

This week, Year 2 have been thinking about the character in our class text, Journey. We have been considering her feelings, how they change throughout the story and how we can relate that to how our feelings change throughout the day. In Maths, we have been counting in 2s, 5s and 10s from any number - some of us have even been counting backwards! Well done to Year 2 for working so hard this week. Please remember that we have PE on Wednesdays, and that your child needs trainers to join in the lesson.

Year 3/4

This week, in Literacy, we have been finishing reading George's Marvellous Medicine and have written a diary entry based on a short film. In Maths, we have been rounding numbers and investigating number patterns and in Topic, we have been learning about the places that the Romans conquered and using atlases to locate them on a map. In Science, we have been using different ways to classify animals and in Music we have been learning to sing some Abba songs. Please remember to ensure that your child continues to bring outdoor PE kits to school on Monday for all classes and swimming kits on Thursday for Liverpool Street and Crouch Hill.

Year 5

We have been investigating negative numbers in Maths and writing in role as Juliet in English. In Science, we planned an experiment on air resistance and aerodynamics. Holloway Road had a great Workshop at the Pleasance Theatre, ready for the 31st October performance.

Year 6

This week, Hoxton class have been attending Into University workshops to learn about World War 2. The children have made their own gas masks and Anderson shelters, which would have protected them during an air raid drill. Shoreditch class have been learning different methods to calculate addition and subtraction problems this week, as well as exploring the story and characters from the book "Friend or Foe" in Literacy. Please support your child by ensuring reading diaries are signed by an adult and brought in daily.