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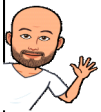
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hey.

It has been a productive week at Primrose Hill. The Assistant Head Teachers have led the school whilst I have been in Devon on a Challenge Partner Review. It was a useful experience for me, seeing a very different school. It was helpful to share ideas about what they do to improve teaching and learning and in sharing all the wonderful things we do. Next week I am going to talk to a group of Head Teachers from around the country about our integrated learning. Busy busy.....but all money for the school! **Robin**

Y2 SATS Briefing

There will be a briefing for parents and carers on **Monday 4th Feb. at 9am and 3pm** about **Y2 SATS**. If you have been to any of these before, it is still worth attending to find out what will happen for your children during the Summer Term.



Autistic Resourced Provision

Things have gone quiet around this, but please be assured that behind the scenes Camden and the architects are busy doing some work. This week we had some technicians visit the school to assess acoustics and the architects have already met with Robin several times to plan the works and refine their designs. Camden have now given this project the green light and we will be going ahead with the provision, opening in September with two Reception aged children. More on this as it happens.

Halal Discussion

The online survey has now closed. The Governing Body will be meeting before half term to discuss the feedback and determine next steps. Thank you all for contributing your views.

Curriculum

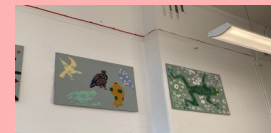
We have updated our curriculum information on the website. Alongside our explanation of how we learn at Primrose Hill are the curriculum maps for each year group. As you know, Laura has been gathering feedback on home learning and on the information you want as parents, and she has some good suggestions to implement moving forward.

Healthy School

We are once again having a look at the Healthy Schools expectations. Our aim as a school is to achieve the Gold Award (we currently hold Bronze and Silver!). In order to achieve this, we need to encourage our children to be eating **AT LEAST 5** portions of fruit and veg a day. We will be monitoring this by checking the contents of packed lunches and break time snacks. It would be amazing to see all children eating a healthy snack at play time, particularly vegetables!!!
Happy (healthy) snacking, Dean (Healthy Schools Lead).



New Display Works



Attendance

We're making a slow but steady comeback with 94.72% across the whole school.

I've been very busy making sure attendance is kept high and would just like to remind you to arrange any medical appointments OUTSIDE of school time!

EYFS: 92.28%

KS1—KS2: 95.41%

Who MIGHT win the Pizza Express trip?



Dragonflies 88.18%
Squirrels 91.99%
Heron 94.29%
Bats 94.30%
Grasshoppers 94.39%
Blackbirds 94.79%
Beetles 95.11%
Hedgehogs 95.33%
Foxes 95.34%
Woodpeckers 95.35%
Butterflies 96.11%
Kestrels 96.19%



PE Achievements



Big massive well done to the boys and girls from Year 5 who went over to Talacre sports centre, to take part in the CSSA Dodgeball mixed competition. This is designed for children to integrate with other children from different schools, hoping that this could lead to future friendships. Children are paired up with another child from their school and then team up with another 5 pairs from 5 different schools. It's always nice seeing children bonding and working together with others they have never met before!



Friends of Primrose Hill

Monday's pop up menu

Veggie or meat cottage pie with garden peas & Leek and potato soup with bread.

Chicken Hotdogs and Juice on Friday

FOPHS Dates for your diary

Shrove Tuesday 5th March pop up pancake parlour.



Thursday 28th March sponsored bounce.

Forms will be going out after half term.

Saturday 29th June Summer fair



Class Assemblies



Children love to perform for their parents and carers. Please make a note in your diaries for these important dates.

Year 2 15th Feb. at 2:30

Blackbirds 8th Feb. at 2:45

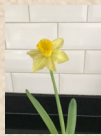
Bats 28th Mar. at 2:30

Woodpeckers 7th Feb. at 2:45

Squirrels 22nd Mar. at 2:30

Heron & Kestrels - Y6 End of Year Show tbc

Garden Corner



Ladybirds, Dragonflies, Butterflies, Beetles and Grasshoppers are doing a great job nurturing their daffodils. Keep the photos coming as your plants flower and please remember to include your child's name and class in the email.

Down in the garden it has been a cold week so we have been keeping the chickens entertained and finding out what their favourite leaves are. It turns out that they still really love radish leaves the best.



Easyfundraising.org.uk

Every penny helps! With this in mind please check out the website:

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/primhill/>

The school makes money simply by you shopping at no extra cost to you. We need as many supporters as possible so tell your friends and family. Let us see if we can be the most profitable school!

Coming up Dates:

Monday 4th Feb

9am & 3pm Y2 SATS Meeting

Thursday 7th Feb

2:30 Woodpeckers Class Assembly

Friday 8th Feb

2:30 Blackbirds Class Assembly

Monday 11th Feb

Y2 Fashion Show!

Thursday 14th Feb

Tate Photography Project with Y3

Friday 15th Feb

Y2 Class Joint Class Assembly

9:05 Y1 Writing Workshops

2:45 Y3 & 4 Writing Workshops

Friday 15th February End of Spring 1 - 3:30pm finish

18th to 22nd Feb

Half Term

Monday 25th Feb

First Day Spring 2

Curiosity Week Begins

Thursday 28th Feb

9-10am Handwriting Workshop

Monday 4th March

Ladybirds Maths Workshops AM

Thursday 7th March

World Book Day

Monday 11th March

Y4 to CLC Trip

Thursday 14th March

Y3 Trip to Neasden Temple

Friday 22nd March

2:30 Squirrels Class Assembly

Thursday 28th March

2:30 Bats Class Assembly

Thursday 21st March Consultation Day – EYFS

Closed All Day / KS1 & KS2 Closes at 1pm

Monday 25th March

National Autism Week

Monday 1st April

Y1 to London Buddhist Centre

Friday 5th April End of Spring Term—1:30pm Finish

Wednesday 24th April

First Day Summer Term