Primrose Hill Primary School Weekly Newsletter

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Welcome Back!

A huge welcome back to everyone to a chilly start to 2022. Despite it being only 3 days for the children, we have hit the ground running. My visits to classrooms has seen engaged children, lively classrooms and that real sense of purpose that is the hallmark of learning environments at Primrose Hill.

That said, we have had a significant number of children not return after the holidays and I cannot emphasise enough how important it is that attendance at school remains a priority. We are hugely appreciative of the challenges faced at present (the last week of last term proved that), however, we would ask that non-attendance for other reasons should be minimal and only for exceptional circumstances.

Looking ahead, we have lots planned! Zoo visits, workshops for drama and writing, a visiting artist in residence, our second block of year group swimming with year 3, RE day, Safer Internet Day and these were only this half term! All of this alongside our core business—ensuring each child achieves their greatest potential. It is great to be back! **Phil**



ATTENDANCE

It was lovely to see the children return to school full of beans and ready to embrace 2022.

Unfortunately, we have seen unusually large numbers of absences this week. I would like to take this opportunity to remind everyone of the importance of ringing the office on the morning of your child's first day of absence. It is imperative that your child attends school regularly in order to achieve their best. Please contact us should you require any assistance.

FESTIVE FIESTA HAMPERS

As we were unable to have our festive fiesta we were not able to organise the hampers for the raffle prizes. This means we have extended the purchase of raffle tickets. These will be on sale before and after school between Monday 10th and Thursday 27th January. The draw will be made on Friday 28th January. Good luck!



HORSE SCULPTURE PROJECT

Last term we took part in the Camden Stables Horse Sculpture project alongside other Camden schools.

A big thank you to all the children who submitted their fabulous designs for the horse sculptures.

We recently found out that they chose the following children's designs from Primrose Hill for the final selection

Emi-Li Butterflies
Emma Butterflies
Ida Beetles
Isaure Ladybirds
Marianne Hedgehogs
Teddy Lee Blackbirds



A panel of judges met and were impressed by the creativity of the Primrose Hill students however they decided on the final design from Richard Cobden Primary school.

To recognise the amazing talent from Primrose Hill they will be sending a formal invitation to these 6 students and teachers to a very special ceremony where the horse sculpture will be unveiled; the Mayor of Camden will also be there. I hope you will join me in saying a big well done.

Maria Felstead

Art Lead

Primrose Hill Primary School



Term Dates 2021 - 2022

Autumn Term 2021

Monday 6th September to Friday 22 October 2021 (35 days)

Half-term: Monday 25 October to Friday 29 October 2021

Monday 1st November - Friday 17 December 2021 (35 days)

Christmas break: Mon 20 December 2021 to Monday 03 January 2022

Spring Term 2022

Wednesday 05 January to Friday 11 February 2022 (28 days) (New Year's Day – Saturday 01 January 2022 (Monday 03 substitute day)

Half-term: Monday 14 February to Friday 18 February 2022

Monday 21 February to Friday 01 April 2022 (30 days

Easter/Spring holiday: Monday 4 April to Monday 18 April 2022. (Including Good Friday. 15 April, and Easter Monday, 18 April)

Summer Term 2022

Wednesday 20 April to Friday 27 May 2022 (27 days) Early May Bank Holiday: Monday 2 May 2022

Half-term: Monday 30 May to Friday 3 June 2022 (Including Spring Bank Holiday 2 June, Jubilee Bank Holiday 3 June,

Monday 6th June to Friday 22 July 2022 (35 days)

INSET DAYS

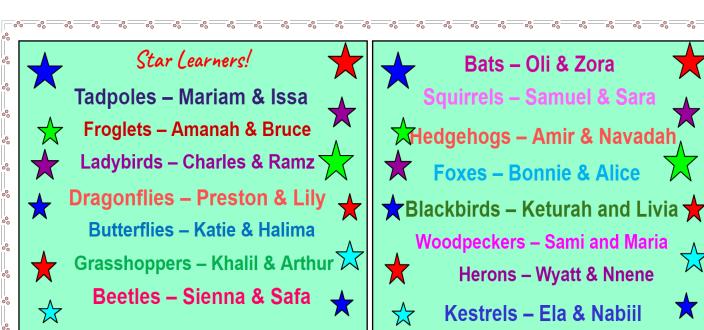
Wednesday 1st, Thursday 2nd & Friday 3rd September 2021 Tuesday 4th January 2022 Tuesday 19th April 2022

APPLYING FOR A RECEPTION CLASS PLACE FOR SEPTEMBER 2022-2023

Camden Council co-ordinates Primary Reception admissions for community, voluntary aided, free schools and academies.

- To apply for a reception class place for the 2022-2023 school year, your child must be born between 1 September 2017 and 31 August 2018.
- The deadline for applications is 15 January 2022. If you miss this date, your child is unlikely to receive an offer until after the first round of offers in April.

Find out more and apply now.







Year 2 have been learning about what people need to survive. We were stranded on a desert island and sent messages in bottles asking for supplies!





Did Boudicca invade the the Roman Empire







