



WPSPS INCREDIBLE NEWS



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The children had a good week in school this week and enjoyed their learning.

We hope you enjoyed the longer Bank Holiday weekend and managed some family time together. 😊

Weekly Attendance

Our school TEAM have worked hard this week to achieve a good standard:

As a TEAM we have managed to achieve 93.3%

The top TEAMS who will receive their £5 rewards were:

Team CH with 96.7%

Team LL with 95.2%

Well done to the two Teams! You have £5 each to go towards your end of year treat!

School events this week

Nicola Adams Study in Assembly

This last week we took our inspiration from Nicola Adams, an Olympic boxer. Nicola has shown great enthusiasm and resilience over the years to achieve her goals. The children enjoyed learning about her, her life, what drove her and the amazing charity work she has done since being famous.

Boys Football against King's Oak

A BIG well done to the Y4/5 boys who took part in our home match against King's Oak boys. They tried so very hard to defend themselves and to keep going, showing great resilience. A BIG well done to King's Oak who managed to succeed and win!

Nursery News

As you will be aware, we have been trialling a limited number of 30 hours places in our nursery during this last Autumn term. This has proved to be very popular and has been a great success so we will be continuing with the current arrangements going forward. It is lovely to have our very own full time Nursery class and the children appear to be loving their time in school. I am positive this will be getting the children off to a great start with Miss McGinnes! It is also really supporting Park Street following the COVID pandemic as we have seen a rise in numbers once again, which is fantastic news.

Our Nursery position caters for children from the term after their third birthday until their Reception year. If any families have a child who is two years old, you can apply for a nursery place the school term following their second birthday and will be added to the waiting list. If you are interested in a 30 hours place for the next academic year (from September 2024) please contact Miss McGinnes for further information, to have a tour of the setting or to add your child's name to our 30 hours waiting list. Please also spread the word within the local community - we are always happy to show people around and answer any questions. We still also offer our morning or afternoon places for 15 hours per week for all families.

Park Street Shout-outs!

I LOVE having children sent to me for all the right reasons! Our staff enjoy showing off their amazing children who achieve well because of their hard-working attitudes. I also LOVE having information sent from parents to celebrate successes outside of school – these are also very important! This week we celebrate:

- **Finley in Team EO** –

I just wanted to share with you all that Finley Shirt in Team EO has been rehearsing for weeks, ready for taking part in 3 shows as a Munchkin in the Wizard of Oz at Take 2 Academy Theatre, Birdwell.



He has really enjoyed himself and his family are all so very proud of his achievements.

Good luck Finley! We can't wait to see you performing in Park Street's Got Talent!



- **Mason in Team DB** – for his outstanding learning about rainforests! Mason has worked independently to produce some very good work all about rainforests, the different layers and the different animals which we might find in the rainforests! Well done Mason – lovely to see that learning ready smile, as always!
- **Park Street Asset 'staff shout out'** – this week, Mrs Mason and her pupil voice crew chose Mrs Allen for always being so happy and smiley!
- **Park Street Asset 'child shout out'** – this week, Mrs Mason and her pupil voice crew chose George in Team AC, for his winning smile and also for his hard-working attitude as a Reading Leader. Mrs Mason passes George at 1pm every day on the corridor and he is always working hard at supporting others with their reading skills. What a SUPERSTAR!
- **SLT's staff 'shout out'** – Miss Hodgson, for always working so hard to provide for the boys and girls at Park Street! She is loved by all children, parents and staff alike for her sunny disposition and hardworking attitude. Thank you Miss Hodgson!

School Notices

TESCO 'Stronger Starts' Project

Just a reminder that you and the local community are able to vote for Park Street at the local TESCOs, with blue tokens! PLEASE PLEASE PLEASE spread the word and get any blue tokens in Park Street's box! Any money raised and achieved will go towards resources for the children at play / lunch to support their physical and mental fitness.

Letters

In the vestibule to the main entrance of school, the usual, common letters which parents require are stocked up once again, for you to take as and when needed eg leave of absence forms etc.

INSET Days

The remaining dates for INSET days this academic year are:

Friday 24th May 2024

Monday 22nd July 2024

Safeguarding

The Designated Safeguarding Leads (DSLs) in school are as follows:

Mrs C Lawson (Headteacher) and Mrs L Longden (Deputy Headteacher) – DSLs

Mrs C Mason (PSA) and Miss C McGinnes (AHT EYFS/KS1 and Reading Lead) – Deputy DSLs

Supported by Mrs E Oliver (Safeguarding Link Governor and Chair of Governors)

Staff who are trained to DSL standard, who you could talk to if you have any concerns:

Mrs C Turner (School Business Manager)

Mr A Fidment (AHT Inclusion)

Mrs L Fitchett (HLTA, Art Therapist, DSL for trips)

Mr R Smith (Sports Coach and DSL for sports trips)

Mrs E Green (Business Support and Attendance Lead)

Should you have any concerns regarding the welfare of any of Park Street's children, please do not hesitate in speaking to a member of the team above. Safeguarding is our priority!

School Matters and Support



Mrs Mason is our school's Parent Support Advisor. Should you need any support with parenting, behaviour at home, clothing, food, money, bereavement or housing, for example, please do give her a call at school or see her on the drive daily!



Mr Fidment is our school's Assistant Head for SEND and Inclusion. Should you need any support and advice, or just want to touch base with Mr Fidment, he is on the playground each Monday morning drop off time and can be reached by emailing WPSSendco@ecmtrust.co.uk

Should you have any questions, queries or concerns, then your child's class teacher should be your first port of call.

Following this, you should consult a member of the Senior Leadership in School:

Mrs C Turner – School Business and H&S

Mr A Fidment – AHT for Inclusion, Behaviour and Transition

Miss C McGinnes – AHT for Reading, EYFS and KS1

Mrs L Longden – Curriculum and Pupil Premium

Mrs C Lawson – all school matters, safeguarding (including Child Protection and LAC), staffing and teaching and learning.



PLEASE NOTE: Mr Fidment is class based in Year 6 and as such any SEND emails will be prioritised throughout the week and if non-urgent will be responded to in his management time, which is usually on a Thursday and Friday. Anything urgent would require a phone call to be made to school FAO Mr Fidment (urgent).