



# PRINCE OF WALES

PRIMARY SCHOOL & CHILDREN'S CENTRE



**NEWSLETTER** 19<sup>th</sup> April 2013

*Listening Excellence Achievement Respect Negotiate Enjoy Responsible Support*

Dear Parents, Carers, Governors and Friends,

We hope you had a restful Easter Break. This Summer Term will keep us busy not least with a local Authority Review, KS1 and 2 National Curriculum Tests, HMI returning to look at improvements since his last visit and OFSTED, sporting events and many other initiatives to ensure your children learn well. This week we reminded them that this new term offers everyone a fresh start and asked them in which way they are going to be different in their learning, behaviour and general attitude to school life. The school values and rules are one way of remembering what is expected. We look forward to a successful term together.

Mr Jan M Bless  
Headteacher

## GOLDEN RULES

This week we are looking at the Golden Rules that you may have read in our new Behaviour Policy. These are used in schools up and down the country as they are very clear and easy to understand.

- ★ **We are gentle** (*We don't hurt others*)
- ★ **We are kind and helpful** (*We don't hurt people's feelings*)
- ★ **We listen** (*We don't interrupt*)
- ★ **We are honest** (*We don't cover up the truth*)
- ★ **We work hard** (*We don't waste our own or other's time*)
- ★ **We look after property** (*We don't waste or damage things*)

## PE Kits

We are surprised that some children are still not bringing their PE kit to school. PE is part of the curriculum and children must participate. If children have not got their PE kit they will miss the next play time as a sanction, unless we have a letter from their parent explaining why they are unable to participate. PE kits stay at school so that children can participate when session times are altered. Only for medical reasons, accompanied by a doctor's note, can a child be withdrawn from PE or swimming.

## Attendance this week

### KS1

1C 89.66%      2R 95.66%  
1M **\*\*98.62%\*\*** 2S 87.24%  
1N 92.85%

### KS2

3D 90.37%    4A 97.93%    5F 96.00%  
3F 95.51%    4K 93.92%    5G 89.03%  
3W 80.35%    4U 95.66%    6B **\*\*98.33%\*\***  
6H 95.00%

Well done to 1M & 6B for best attendance this week.

**School Target: 95%**

**Overall attendance since September: 94.6%**



**The School Photographer is in on Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> for individual and sibling photos.**