



# PRINCE OF WALES PRIMARY SCHOOL



NEWSBULLETIN 24<sup>th</sup> November 2017

*Listening Excellence Attitude Respect Negotiate Enjoy Responsible Support*



YOU HELPED RAISE

**£519.58**

**THANK YOU!**

SEND coffee morning Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> January 9 to 10 am. Find out about the different ways your child is supported at school.

For the Winter/Spring Enfield School Meals Newsletter, please click on the link below

<http://www.princeofwales.enfield.sch.uk/our-school/school-lunches/>

**FREE bike marking in Velocity Way**  
**Saturday 24 November 2017 from 12:00pm – 2:00pm**



Our Value for this month is **Freedom and Individual Liberty**. These pupils modelled the value this week:

Symone 1K, Georgi 1Ti, Fatima 1T, Wesley 2T, Madison 2A, Kajus 2Th, Oskar 3Fe, Hifa 3F, Efe 3S, Samuel 4M, Nehir 4F, Ali 4R, Rianna 5G, Filip 5T, Efo 5W, Tia 6T, Fabiano 6B, Kaira 6H

## Attendance this week

1K 90.00%	2A 92.00%	3F 94.14%	4F 93.93%	5G 95.71%	6B 96.00%
1T 93.48%	2T 96.55%	3Fe 95.36%	4M 97.24%	5T 98.57%	6H 95.86%
1Ti 87.08%	<b>2Th 98.57%</b>	3S 93.10%	4R 97.67%	<b>5W 99.26%</b>	6T 96.00%

Well done to **2Th** & **5W** for best attendance this week.  
Overall attendance since September: **96.09%**

Remember to come to school every day and on time.

95% is the minimum expectation.  
90% and below is not acceptable (unless there is an identified medical issue).  
90% means missing half a day per week or 20 days of missed learning!

## Dates for your diary

Wednesday 29<sup>th</sup> November

Friday 1<sup>st</sup> December

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Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> December

Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> December

Thursday 14<sup>th</sup> December

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Friday 15<sup>th</sup> December

Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December

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Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> December

**Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> December**

**Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> December**

Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January 2018

Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> January 2018

**Monday 12<sup>th</sup> - 16<sup>th</sup> February**

Monday 26<sup>th</sup> February 2018

Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> February 2018

Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> February 2018

Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> March

**Friday 30<sup>th</sup> March – Monday 16<sup>th</sup> April**

**Monday 16<sup>th</sup> April 2018**

**Monday 7<sup>th</sup> May**

**Friday 25<sup>th</sup> May 2018**

**Monday 28<sup>th</sup> May – Friday 1<sup>st</sup> June**

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> July 2018

Year 4, 5 and 6 Addition and Subtraction workshop 9am-2pm

Christmas fair 3pm-6pm

Year 5 Barbican

Year 1, 2 and 3 Multiplication and Division workshop 9am-2pm

Year 4, 5 and 6 Multiplication and Division workshop 9am-2pm

Reception Christmas Singing concert 9.30am

KS1 Nativity play

Nursery Christmas singing concert – (AM) 11.00am - (PM) 3.00pm

Nursery finish for Christmas holidays

Christmas dinner and wear a Christmas jumper day

**Finish at 1.30pm** for the Christmas holidays

**Inset day – school closed**

**Christmas holiday – school closed**

Start of spring term

SEND coffee morning 9am

**Half term**

3F to visit the British Museum

3S to visit the British Museum

3Fe to visit the British Museum

Individual photos

**Easter Holidays – school closed**

**Inset day – school closed**

**Bank holiday – school closed**

**Inset day – school closed**

**Half term – school closed**

Finish at 1.30pm for the summer holidays

**Don't forget our Christmas Jumper day on Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> December**



## Maths Workshops for Parents – Community Room

**29/11/17 Addition and Subtraction workshop for years 4, 5 and 6 at 9am and 2pm**

**6/12/17 Multiplication and Division workshop for year 1, 2 and 3 at 9am and 2pm**

**13/12/17 Multiplication and Division workshop for year 4, 5 and 6 at 9am and 2pm**

If your Child was born between 1<sup>st</sup> September 2014 and 31<sup>st</sup> August 2015, you can now apply online for a place in Nursery using the link below:

<https://www.eadmissions.org.uk/eAdmissions/app>

The deadline is Monday 15<sup>th</sup> January 2018

## Win a Kindle Fire and case!

Parents and pupils who complete the on-line school meals survey will be entered into a prize draw. The winning pupil will be awarded a Kindle Fire and case at a school assembly – complete the short survey today by going to

[www.myschoollunch.co.uk/enfield](http://www.myschoollunch.co.uk/enfield) and clicking on 'Win a Kindle Fire!'

## School Garden Volunteers needed:

We need a few handy and able adults to work alongside our gardeners, premises staff and Wetlands Trust to create and complete a 'skinny wetland' on **5<sup>th</sup> and 6<sup>th</sup> December from 9am to 3pm**. This task will involve lifting and digging. Refreshments and school lunch included. Please let our school office know if you are interested.

Thank you.



## Times tables Champions this week – WELL DONE!

**MULTIPLICATION TABLE**

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2	2	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	24
3	3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27	30	33	36
4	4	8	12	16	20	24	28	32	36	40	44	48
5	5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60
6	6	12	18	24	30	36	42	48	54	60	66	72
7	7	14	21	28	35	42	49	56	63	70	77	84
8	8	16	24	32	40	48	56	64	72	80	88	96
9	9	18	27	36	45	54	63	72	81	90	99	108
10	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	110	120
11	11	22	33	44	55	66	77	88	99	110	121	132
12	12	24	36	48	60	72	84	96	108	120	132	144

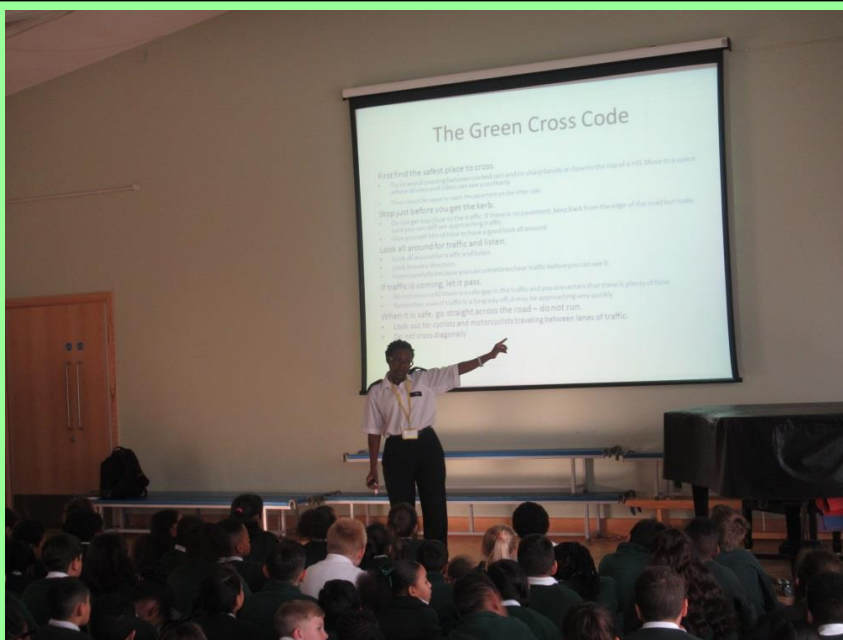


Well done! To 5G you are in the lead for the most pupils to know all their times tables

5G 96%  
5W 78%  
5T 79%



**Congratulations to the following pupils for knowing all their times tables,**  
Bilal 4R, Abdirahman 3Fe, Elvan 5G, Troiquon 5G, Dora 5G, Onur 5G, Elif 5T



### Road Safety Talk

PC Doris came to speak to our pupils about Road Safety on Monday.

By the end of the assembly all our year 4 and 5 pupils knew more about The Green Cross Code than they did at the start. PC Doris also spoke to years 4 and 5 about keeping themselves safe when travelling in a car or on a bus.

We all agreed this was a very important message and timely reminder now the nights are darker much earlier.

Elias 4F: You have to look left and right when crossing the road

Aariz 4F: I learnt that first you have to think, stop, look, listen before you cross the road.

Jia-Li 4M: Before you cross the road you have to check for vehicles.

Sofia 4M: I learnt that when you are on a bus you must hold on to a pole if there are no seats and not use the stairs when the bus is moving.

Checkout the **road safety song** by **clicking** on the link

<https://youtube/2PN-X4niEQQ>

## Universal Credit

Universal Credit (UC) is a means tested benefit for working age people. It is administered by the Department for Work and Pensions (DWP) and replaces the following six benefits:

- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Income Support
- Child Tax Credit
- Working Tax Credit
- Housing Benefit

For more information about Universal Credit, visit [GOV.UK](https://gov.uk).

### How does Universal Credit affect me in Enfield?

Universal Credit live service has been available since July 2015 for single working age people to claim when they first become unemployed. This will gradually be replaced by the Universal Credit full service. If you receive Universal Credit on the live service you will be advised when to claim under the full service.

Universal Credit full service will be available in Enfield from 1 November 2017 for households with less than three children, if there is a relevant change in circumstances. For more information on these changes, visit [GOV.UK](https://gov.uk). The roll out will be gradual and depends on what Jobcentre Plus area you live in. The timetable is as follows:

Jobcentre Plus office	Postcodes	Date from
Enfield	EN1, EN2 and N9 8_ _	1 November 2017
Enfield	EN3	24 January 2018
Palmers Green	N11, N13 and N14	28 February 2018
Edmonton	N9 and N18	28 February 2018

### How will I know I need to claim Universal Credit?

If you try to claim one of the six means tested benefits Universal Credit replaces, and you are eligible, you will be advised to claim Universal Credit.

The DWP may advise you to claim Universal Credit if they are aware of a change in your current DWP benefits.

### Getting ready for Universal Credit

Universal Credit is administered online. You must have an account into which your payments can be made.

When you receive Universal Credit, you will need to think more carefully about how you will budget your money. This is because you may have previously received one payment for your rent (your housing benefit) and a separate payment for your living costs. With Universal Credit, you will be receiving just one monthly payment and you will be responsible for paying your rent from this payment.

[Find out how ready you are for Universal Credit](#)

You can do the following to help get you ready:

1. Create an email account. You can find out how to do this at [Learn My Way](#).
2. Register with [Universal Jobmatch](#). This is the DWP's job search website, which you will need to use to search for work when you receive Universal Credit.
3. Set up a bank account with your local bank or building society
4. Start putting some money aside as there may be a time when you will need it

### How Universal Credit is awarded

Universal Credit normally takes around six weeks to process from the day you apply. You will be advised when and how much you will be paid in your [Universal Credit account](#). If you are a tenant, you will also see how much of your payment is for housing costs. This is the amount calculated to help towards paying your rent.

When calculating Universal Credit the DWP will use the following information to work out how much Universal Credit you will be entitled to:

- your income
- your savings and capital
- the size and makeup of your household
- your housing costs (if you pay rent)

Universal Credit is made up of a basic 'standard allowance' and other amounts according to your circumstances. The standard allowance is the amount that is allowed in the calculation to cover all of your day-to-day living costs, including food, utilities and other essential expenses.

You may also be awarded an allowance for housing costs if you pay rent to live in your home. The amount allowed for in the calculation depends on your rent amount, the type of tenancy you have and who lives in the property with you. For further information about this, refer to [GOV.UK](#).

### **Help with making a Universal Credit claim**

If you need help making a Universal Credit claim online or managing your online account, you can visit your local Jobcentre Plus office for assistance. They have computers and staff available to help you.

If you're able to make a Universal Credit claim online and can manage the account yourself but need access to a computer and some IT support, you can visit one of our four [hub libraries](#).

### **Checking your Universal Credit award in your online account**

When you receive your award letter in your [Universal Credit account](#), you should check the details about you, your household, your income and capital and your housing costs are correct. Let the DWP know straight away if you think you have received the wrong award.

If your Universal Credit award includes housing costs to pay your rent, it may be less than the rent you're being charged. If you're struggling to make up the shortfall, you may be able to get some help from us by claiming a [Discretionary Housing Payment](#).

### **Changing your payment arrangements**

You can ask the DWP to:

- pay your Universal Credit housing costs direct to your landlord
- split the Universal Credit payments between you and your partner
- change the frequency of your Universal Credit payments

### **Claimant Commitment**

When you claim Universal Credit you will be asked to sign a Claimant Commitment, which means you enter an agreement to complete certain tasks to help you back into work. Claimant Commitments take your circumstances into account. Make sure that your work coach based at your job centre knows about all of your circumstances, especially if you have health problems or caring responsibilities that might mean that you are not always available for work.

It is really important that you understand what you need to do to continue to receive Universal Credit. If you do not keep to the commitment you have made, your Universal Credit payments may be stopped.

### **Advance payments**

If you have not got enough money whilst you are waiting for your first Universal Credit payment, speak to your Jobcentre Plus work coach or call the DWP's [Universal Credit helpline](#).

### **If your payment is stopped or reduced**

If you receive Council Tax Support, contact us and let us know what has happened. You also need to tell us how you are going to meet your day-to-day expenses whilst you are not receiving any Universal Credit. You can [let us know](#) that your Universal Credit payments have been stopped, or any other changes in your circumstances.

### **Hardship payments**

You can [apply to the DWP](#) for a hardship payment while your Universal Credit claim is being sanctioned. Any money you receive as a hardship payment must be paid back from your future Universal Credit payments.

### **Appealing a decision**

If you disagree with the amount that you have been awarded or with a decision to reduce or stop your Universal Credit, you can [ask the DWP to look at their decision again](#).

### **Budgeting**

If you are experiencing problems managing your money, you should seek advice. Rent and Council Tax are priority debts and it is important that you make sure they are paid. These organisations can provide money advice:

- [DWP](#)
- [Money Advice Service](#)
- [Citizens Advice Enfield](#)

### **Council Tax payments**

If you are experiencing difficulty with paying your Council Tax, [visit our information page](#).

### **Housing rent payments**

If your tenancy is managed by Enfield Council and you start to receive Universal Credit, your housing costs will be included in your Universal Credit payment. You will need to pay all the rent you are charged out of this payment.

If you're experiencing difficulties in paying your rent, contact us and we will do our best to help you. Call us on 020 8379 1000 and chose option 4 or [send us an email](#). Make sure you include your name, address, payment reference and a contact telephone number.



Prince of Wales Primary School

# Christmas Fair

3.00 PM  
to  
6.00 PM

Friday 1st December

at Salisbury Road  
Enfield Lock EN3 6HG

Free  
Entry

Gifts &  
Decorations!

Food & Drink!

Santa's Grotto!

Guess the weight of the cake!

And Lots more  
Activities for the family

So come  
and join in  
the fun!

Don't miss out Everyone is Welcome!