

PRINCE OF WALES PRIMARY SCHOOL

Newsletter
22nd September 2023

Dear Parents/Carers, Governors and Friends,

Parent Forum

At this week's Parent Forum, parents gave us their views of the school, being new to the school and their decisions to enrol their children at PoW as well as school uniform and PE kit. The six parents that attended expressed being very happy with our school and mentioned the good reputation our school has in the community. Making friends when new to the school was in some cases an initial challenge and we explained our buddy system for children new to a class. It was good to hear that all children did settle and made friends.

All the parents were in favour of the school uniform but the PE kit was discussed as children sometimes forget to bring it which results in missing out on vital learning and physical activity. Our senior leadership team will further explore how we can ensure that all children participate and how to maximise PE time in each class.

School Meals - please book in advance

Thanks to the Mayor of London initiative, many more children are eating a nutritious school dinner. This adds pressure to our kitchen team to ensure enough portions are prepared. Parents/carers are expected to pre-order these via Parentpay which is easy to do using our step-by-step guide: Online-Menu-Choice-Selection.pdf (princeofwales.enfield.sch.uk).

Parent Consultations – Tuesday 10th and Thursday 12th October 2023

On <u>Tuesday 10th and Thursday 12th October</u> from 3.30pm to 6.00pm face to face parent consultations will be held for parents to hear about their child's/children's progress and attitude to learning. Appointments will be for approximately 5 minutes.

Parents will need to book their appointments online via the Schoolcloud booking system. This allows you to choose your own appointment times with teachers and you will receive an email confirming your appointments.

Appointments can be made from today Monday 26th September and will close on Friday 6th October at 23.59pm.

Visit https://powenfield.schoolcloud.co.uk to book your appointments. A short guide on how to add appointments is included in a separate communication to parents/carers or contact the school office for further support.

Please use only the entrances via the playground to get into school. Be aware that the field gate will automatically open at 3.10pm and close at 4.00pm. After this time, please enter school via the Salisbury Road entrance to the playground. You will not be able to get from one side of the school to another, through the building. All access is via the playground doors at the top of the steps. There is no parking for parents on the school grounds, please be considerate to the residence on Salisbury Road when parking.

On both parent consultation days, catering company Stir will also arrange the opportunity for parents/carers to **sample the new menu**

and will be available to answer questions you may have about diet, nutrition and allergies.

Mr Jan M Bless Headteacher

Attendance for week beginning 18th September 2023

Ash 92.92%	1B 93.93%	2A 92.28%	3F 95.71%	4A 98.15%	5G 92.22%	6C 90.00%
Birch 92.67%	1G 94.62%	2C 96.43%	3G 92.25%	4L 91.48%	5H 94.81%	6D 95.00%
Oak 99.13%	1S 92.40%	2F 95.56%	3H 93.70%	4T 94.40%	5W 92.50%	6F 96.96%

Well done to Oak, 2C, 2F, 3F, 4A, 6D and 6F with attendance 95% and above.

Overall attendance since September 2023: 92.67%

SCHOOL YEAR 2023 - 2024						
DATE	YEAR	EVENT ON YOUR				
Wed 20 th Sept all		Parent Forum at 9am in the Community Room				
Wed 27 th Sept 1 and 2		Math Calculation Café KS1 am				
Wed 4 th October	All EYFS and Y1 5H & 5G	Harvest Festival Phonics Café am Visit to Cemevi – Alevi place of worship				
Thu 5 th October	4 2c	Visit to Shri Swaminarayan Mandir – Hindu Temple Visit to The Monument				
Fri 6 th October	5W & Half of 5G	Visit to Cemevi – Alevi place of worship				
Tue 10 th and Thu 12 th October	all	Parents Evening 3:30pm – 6pm & food tasting				
Mon 16 th October	4	Trip to Herts Young Mariners Base				
Tue 17 th October	2 tbc	Visit to The Monument				
Wed 18 th October	3 to 6 Y2 Class TBC	KS2 Maths Café Visit to The Monument				
Thu 19 th October 5		Trip to London Transport Museum				
6 th November 25 th March all all		Photos for Individuals and Siblings				
		Class Photos				

Alevi Celebration of ASURE

This year, the month of Muharrem began in July and ended in August. On Wednesday, we celebrated Asure in our Alevi assembly. We listened to the Saz and some children had the opportunity to join the Semah dance! Children thoroughly enjoyed learning about Alevism and were able to ask lots of questions that were answered by Israfil Erbil, former Chair of the British Alevi federation. **Hak Asurelerinizi Kabul Etsin.**





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This month we focus on all LEARNERS VALUES



These pupils received a certificate this week:

Callum 1B, Tioluwanimi 1G, Abigail 1S, Zainab 2A, Samuel 2C, Skyla 2F, Lena 3F, Era 3G, Ethan 3H, Aaliya 4A, Amelia 4L, Madiha 4T, Phoebe 5G, Esra 5H, Kaiden 5W, Angello 6C, Kye 6D, Nora 6F



Ready, Respectful, Safe









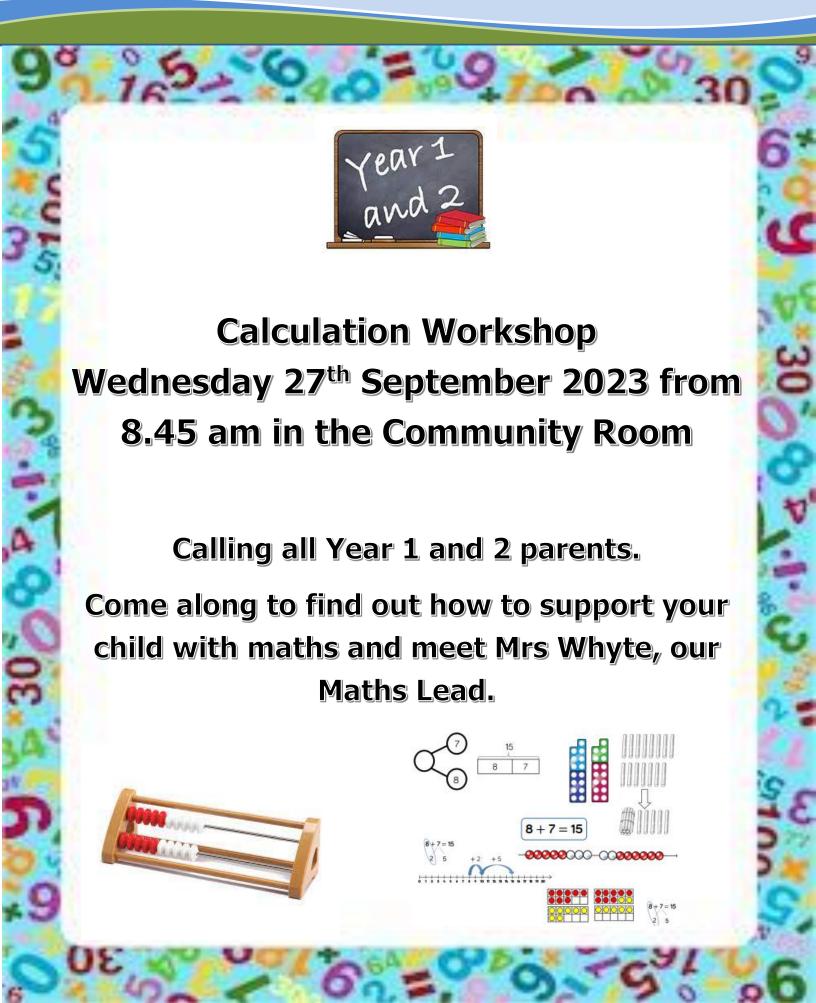












The Incredible Years Parenting Programme 4-11 years





Develop a positive parenting tool kit

- Support your child to manage their feelings, and deal with difficulties
- Better awareness to manage your own emotional responses
- Help your child to listen to and cooperate with instructions
- ☐ Foster a more secure relationship and strengthen trust
- Build your child's self esteem
- Experience more joyful parenting

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Join a supportive weekly group to share this 12 week programme

Taking place at Bush Hill Park Primary School

Starting: FRIDAY 20th October 2023

To register your interest, and to receive a follow up call, please visit your child's school to ask for a registration form

Limited spaces are available

Delivered by accredited Incredible Years' Practitioners from Enfield Primary Behaviour Support Service **SWERRL** Team

Strengthening Wellbeing, Emotional health, Relationships and Readiness for Learning

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Free school meals

So no child goes hungry

From September 2023, all state primary school children in London will be eligible for free school meals for the next school year, saving families hundreds of pounds.*

Search 'Free school meals London' to find out more.







SAFE £475 PER CHILD represents a THIS YEAR BY

SWITCHING TO FREE MEALS!!



"I received free school meals myself, so I know from personal experience the difference they can make to children who are at risk of going hungry - and to parents who are struggling to make ends meet.

That's why I'm stepping in to provide this critical lifeline to London's families during such tough economic times."

Sadiq Khan, Mayor of London

Your Mayor is investing £135m to tackle the cost-of-living

It is vital that families still complete their school or borough's short registration form for Government Free School Meals. This will ensure you'll receive other benefits you may be entitled to, like food vouchers during the holidays. It could also bring the school an extra £1,300 in teacher development, and support for children who need it most. Ask your school for more info or visit your

support over the holidays and weekends via the Mayor's











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Partnership Coordinator to ETSP

Showcase your creativity with a new and exciting opportunity that will make a difference to children's lives.

Enfield Town Schools' Partnership (ETSP) is committed to delivering relevant and engaging programmes and initiatives for children and young people to help them thrive, especially those facing additional challenges in their lives.

We are looking to appoint a Partnership Coordinator to lead our dynamic team to help develop and shape the future of the charity as we continue to grow.

ETSP has been established for well over 9 years. Working within our successful partnership of over 20 schools you will have the opportunity to showcase your creativity and introduce new and exciting projects which benefit children and young people. This is an exciting opportunity for a talented individual to join the charity and work with the Board of Trustees and a large network of school leaders, all who are committed to improving outcomes for the children and young people within our school communities.

The successful candidate will be able to demonstrate:

- · Excellent verbal and written communication skills
- Proven experience of effective project management
- Ability to identify potential external funding sources and match these to agreed priority work
- · A well-organised, analytical approach to their work
- Ability to build excellent working relationships and influence a wide range of stakeholders
- Ability to take notes and chair meetings

Benefits include flexible working hours, a Local Government Pension Scheme, plus a monthly well-being allowance.

If you can demonstrate these skills and talent, but may not yet have the full experience required, we will still consider your application. We can only accept applications from candidates who are located in, and eligible to work within, the UK. We encourage anyone interested in the role to apply before the deadline.

Job Title: Partnership Coordinator

Salary: £30,036 - £32,424 (FTE) (depending on experience) [Pro rata salary depending on hours]

Based: Enfield, North London

Contract: 1 year, fixed term contract (from the date of appointment) with a high level of flexible working

arrangements, plus an option to renew contract

Hours: Term time plus one week during the Summer holidays (40 weeks/year)

20 - 26 hours/week within Monday to Friday (flexible on days and times)

Our core working hours are 9.30am - 3.00pm

How to apply: For more information and to apply please visit our website etsplondon.org/careers

Application deadline: Friday 6th October 2023 by 12.00 noon

Interviews: Interviews to commence the week beginning 9th October 2023

The charity is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. The successful candidate will be subject to an enhanced DBS check and satisfactory references.

If you have any queries about this position, please get in touch via info@etsplondon.org





New ESOL courses for Sept 2023.

ESOL Skills Check & Enrolment Venue: Keys Meadow Primary School Monday 18th and 25th September

Our courses are free if you are:

- A UK resident who has been here for <u>3years or</u> seeking asylum (have been here for 6 months).
- In receipt of benefits and/or on a low income earning less than £23,000 per year.

You must be 19+ years or over

Please bring with you:

- Proof of I.D: passport or I.D card, or full driving licence, or home office letter.
- Proof of address: e.g. bank statement or council tax bill
- Proof of income: salary slips/evidence of benefit letter/ evidence of benefit
- 4. National Insurance number

For further course information, Email: temovon@wea.ac.uk or call/text: 07717868847



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