



# THE PINEHURST PRESS

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A weekly newsletter to share the news of Pinehurst Primary School, member of Cheshire Academies Trust

## Teaching and Learning



Pinehurst Primary School, we know that every school day counts. Good attendance is essential for children to achieve their full potential, both academically and socially. Each lesson builds on the last, so frequent absences can make it harder for children to keep up with their learning and feel confident in the classroom.

Attending school every day helps children develop important routines, build strong friendships, and feel a sense of belonging within the school community. It also supports their wellbeing, as regular attendance provides stability and opportunities to take part in a wide range of enriching activities.

Even missing a small number of days can add up over time. For example, just one day off each fortnight can mean a child misses several weeks of learning across the school year. Being in school consistently gives children the best chance to succeed and enjoy all that school life has to offer.

We understand that there are times when children may be unwell and need to stay at home, but we encourage families to prioritise attendance wherever possible. By working together, we can ensure every child has the opportunity to thrive, grow in confidence, and reach their full potential.

Thank you for your continued support in making attendance a priority at Pinehurst Primary School.

FREE SCHOOL MEALS



Apply online for Free School Meals

If you think you may be eligible visit [liverpool.gov.uk/benefits/free-school-meals](http://liverpool.gov.uk/benefits/free-school-meals) or call 0151 233 3009 or speak to Mr Cain in the School Office

## Weekly Attendance and Minutes Late

Year Group	Class	Attendance %	Minutes Late
R	Ash	96.73%	65
R	Oak	86.11% 😞	36 😊
1	Elm	97.91%	126
1	Cherry	98.02% 😊	180
2	Fir	95.56%	552 😞
2	Yew	96.55%	61
3	Cedar	93.75%	75
3	Hazel	95.14%	97
4	Chestnut	94.62%	136
4	Holly	95.79%	190
5	Maple	90.12%	201
5	Sycamore	90.77%	54
6	Birch	90.04%	414
6	Willow	92.83%	103
Whole School		94%	

### quote of the week



School Contact Number 07858 739336 for Emergencies



Language of the week

Say Hello in Kannada

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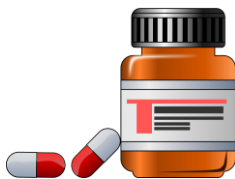


This week, our school proudly celebrated Earth Day UK with a special non-uniform day, where pupils and staff wore green to show their support for the environment. It was wonderful to see the whole school community come together with such enthusiasm and creativity.

We also raised valuable funds through donations, which will go towards our Eco Council initiatives. These contributions will help support projects that promote sustainability and care for our planet within our school.

Earth Day UK, observed annually on April 22nd, is part of a global movement to raise awareness of environmental issues and inspire positive action. Across the country, people take part in activities such as tree planting, community clean-ups, and learning about ways to protect our world. This year's theme highlights the importance of renewable energy and encourages us all to think about how we can make more sustainable choices.

A big thank you to everyone who took part and contributed — together, we are making a difference!



MEDICINES ...

If your child requires medicine in school, please visit the school office to complete the necessary forms. Please do not send medicine in with your child or in their bag. Thank you for your cooperation and understanding.

# MOMENTS MATTER, ATTENDANCE COUNTS.

Attendance Top Tip

Keep it Positive: Show enthusiasm for school to help your child feel positive about attending. Talk to them about their day and the things they enjoy most at school. Look ahead to diary dates and events they can look forward to in the school calendar.



All children need to be supervised on the playground upon collection. A reminder that the play equipment – climbing frame, Trim Trail, EYFS outdoors are all out of bounds at the end of the day. We also kindly ask that children do not ride bikes or scooters around the playground at the end of the day due to the school site being extremely busy at this time. Thank you for your help in keeping everyone safe at the end of the school day.



EMERGENCY CONTACT

A reminder that we require 3 up to date emergency contacts and telephone numbers. If you need to update your numbers or contacts please call the school office.