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



Teaching and Learning

COURAGE! COURAGE!

15-21 JUNE 2026

Refugee Week

Celebrating Refugee Week 2026: Courage

From 15–21 June 2026, schools across the country will mark Refugee Week, an annual celebration of the contributions, creativity and resilience of people seeking sanctuary. This year's theme is "Courage", encouraging us all to reflect on the bravery shown by refugees and the courage that exists within our own communities.

At Pinehurst Primary School, we are proud to be a recognised School of Sanctuary, committed to creating a culture of welcome, inclusion and belonging for everyone. As part of this commitment, it is important that we recognise and celebrate events such as Refugee Week.

Throughout the week, pupils will have opportunities to explore the theme of Courage through a range of age-appropriate activities. Through thoughtful discussion, pupils will explore themes of resilience, kindness, hope and community.

Refugee Week reminds us that courage can be found in both extraordinary and everyday actions. Whether it is starting a new life in a new country, speaking up for others, showing kindness to someone who feels alone, or welcoming a new friend, even the smallest acts can help build strong and supportive communities.

As a school, we believe that every child should feel safe, valued and welcomed. Refugee Week provides a valuable opportunity for our children to develop empathy, understanding and respect for others while celebrating our shared humanity.

We would like to thank Ms Cook, who leads on this important aspect of school life, for coordinating our Refugee Week activities and continuing to promote our School of Sanctuary values throughout the year.

Weekly Attendance and Minutes Late

Year Group	Class	Attendance %	Minutes Late
R	Oak	92.81%	116
R	Ash	91.5%	153
1	Elm	91.63%	174
1	Cherry	90.87%	312
2	Fir	89.63% 😞	456
2	Yew	97.92% 😊	233
3	Cedar	95.65%	172
3	Hazel	97.1%	134
4	Chestnut	95.14%	203
4	Holly	94.79%	113
5	Maple	91.29%	342
5	Sycamore	91.48%	249
6	Birch	94.64%	457 😞
6	Willow	91.76%	82 😊
Whole School		93.3%	

quote of the week

"Education is the foundation upon which we build our future." - Christine Gregoire

Importance of School Attendance

97+% Attendance
Target

What is your attendance?



Attend today, succeed tomorrow



School Contact Number for Emergencies 07858 739336



Language of the week

Persian / Farsi

سلام (Salām)

Diary Dates

Reception to Year 6 break up for Summer Friday
17th July

Reception to Year 5 will finish at 1.40pm

Year 6 will be dismissed after their Leaver's
Assembly

Nursery finish for Summer on Thursday 16th July



Please remember to send your child into school with a sun hat and apply sunscreen if we are lucky enough to have some warmer weather



Please can we remind parents and carers to park away from school and walk the last 5 minutes if at all possible. This helps to keep the roads immediately around school safer and clear of parked cars and traffic. Thank you for your support.



Thank you for your support today.



Well done to our Year 1 children who have completed their Phonics Screening Check this week.



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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 our Year 4 children who have completed their Multiplication Times Tables Check this week.