



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



Supporting Successful Transitions



At this time of year, we begin preparing children for their next stage of learning. Successful transitions are important in ensuring that children continue to feel happy, confident and secure, enabling them to maintain the excellent progress they have made throughout the year.

At Pinehurst, we are committed to making every transition as smooth and positive as possible. Our aims are to ensure that:

- Children make a happy and successful transition from home to school and from one year group to the next.
- Children are supported to develop independence, resilience and confidence so that they can cope positively with change.
- Children have a clear understanding of the expectations, routines and opportunities that lie ahead in their new class.
 - Any relevant information from outside agencies is shared appropriately and acted upon, particularly for children who may be considered vulnerable.
 - Parents are encouraged and supported as valued partners in their child's education.
- Families are provided with guidance and information to help their child prepare for school and each new phase of their learning journey.

Over the coming weeks, children will take part in a range of transition activities designed to help them become familiar with their new learning environment, staff and routines. We look forward to working together to ensure every child feels confident and excited about the year ahead.

Our Transition Day is on Wednesday 1st July this year. Children will spend time in their new classes.

Weekly Attendance and Minutes Late

Year Group	Class	Attendance %	Minutes Late
R	Oak	88.24%	44
R	Ash	89.47%	72
1	Elm	86.19%	180
1	Cherry	88.1%	198
2	Fir	83.7%	524
2	Yew	85.87%	151
3	Cedar	85.99%	40
3	Hazel	79.63%	125
4	Chestnut	80.21%	113
4	Holly	90.97%	239
5	Maple	80%	225
5	Sycamore	76.3%	119
6	Birch	78.93%	250
6	Willow	87.46%	208
Whole School		84.09%	

quote of the week

"You are braver than you believe, stronger than you seem, and smarter than you think."

A.A. MILNE, "WINNIE THE POOH"

TODAY

Importance of School Attendance

Why does attendance matter?

- You fall behind in work and lessons.
- You have lower motivation to be here at all.
- Your enjoyment of learning is less.
- You have less chance of achieving GCSEs.
- You're more likely to show poor behaviour
- You miss out on the social life of school and extra curricular opportunities and experiences.
- It effects your ability to have or keep friendships



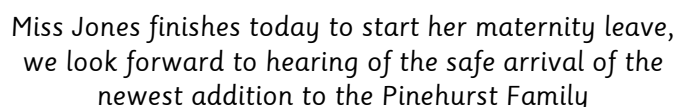
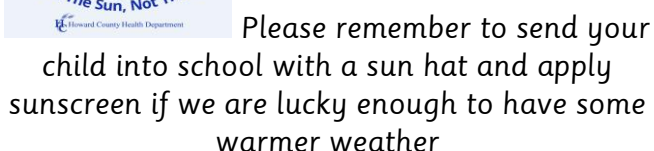
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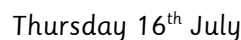
Transition day is coming up on
Wednesday 1st July

Children will enjoy spending some time in their new classroom with the staff they will be working with next year.

Children in Years 1-6 will enter through the main gate and go to their new classroom. Reception children will be collected from their current classroom.

Nursery children will be visiting Reception.

Children will be collected from their current gate at their usual time but will be dismissed by their new teacher, thank you for your patience at home time.



Year 6 Leavers' Disco 5.00-6.30pm

Y6 children are invited to attend after school for an event in the school hall.

Friday 17th July

Year 6 Leavers' Service 9.30am

Y6 Parents / Carers are invited to a service in the school hall for our Y6 pupils only.

A maximum of 2 parents/carers may attend.

This is also the final day of term and Year 6 will be invited to bring a separate shirt to school for signing.

Year 6 will be dismissed after the service.

Friday 17th July Early Dismissal for Summer

Please collect your children at the time below
from the allocated gate

We will be saying Good Bye and Good Luck to

Miss McBride

Miss Patterson

Miss Charmley

Ms Welsh

Mrs Watson

We wish them all well as they embark on new chapters in their lives and thank them for being part of the Pinehurst Family.



Class Moves

From	To
Oak	Elm and Cherry
Ash	Elm and Cherry
Elm	Cherry and Fir
Cherry	Cherry and Fir
Fir	Hazel
Yew	Cedar
Hazel	Chestnut
Cedar	Holly
Chestnut	Maple
Holly	Sycamore
Sycamore	Willow
Maple	Birch



Classes 2026-2027

Year	Class	Staff
Nursery 1	Little Pine Cones	Miss Mangan Mrs Carline
Nursery 2	Little Acorns	Mrs Kirby Miss Gilmore Miss Connor
Reception	Oak	Mrs Burke Miss Canning Miss Jones
	Ash	Ms Cook Ms Sneesby
1	Elm	Miss Caskey Miss Wade Miss Jones
1 and 2	Cherry	Mrs Whitehead Ms Stevens Miss Jones
2	Fir	Miss Fry Mrs Turner
3	Cedar	Miss Mitchell Miss Kearney
	Hazel	Ms MacDiarmid Ms Jones
4	Holly	Miss Leary Miss Buccieri Mr Quattrochi
	Chestnut	Miss Goodwin Miss Buccieri Mr Quattrochi
5	Maple	Miss Monaghan Miss Pearsall Miss Rutland
	Sycamore	Mr Garcia Mrs Zeverona
6	Willow	Mr Timms Mrs Platt
	Birch	Miss Sweeney Mrs Ivanova