# NEWSLETTER

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### **Headteacher Message**

Your child will have recently brought home their new academic planner for the year. The planner is designed to help improve communication between home and school for the benefit of your child. It's a way of recording daily progress, homework and reading and can also be used to pass on messages to and from school. This may be particularly useful for working parents that may not get many opportunities to speak to class teachers face to face.

At the beginning of the planner there are a number of documents to be signed and returned. If you have not managed to do this then please do so at your earliest convenience. The planner includes



Anita Edwards Executive Headteacher

lots of information to keep you informed of procedures and policies in school. This includes our new 10 school values and the behaviour system that your children follow. There are images of children in The Dean Trust school uniforms, and relevant information is provided, so that you have a clear understanding of the uniform expectations of the trust. We hope you find this a useful reminder. Please support your child by returning the planners to school daily and signing the diary pages to show your child has read their book. You should aim to do this every day if you can. Just 10 minutes of daily reading makes a world of difference! There are lots of helpful pages in the back of the planner with useful reminders to support the children with their homework. If you have any questions about using the planners, please don't hesitate to contact your class teacher. Many thanks.

| Attendance<br>Week Ending 9.11.18 |       |
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| R                                 | 94.5% |
| Year 1                            | 96.3% |
| Year 2                            | 92.0% |
| Year 3                            | 98.9% |
| Year 4                            | 96.9% |
| Year 5                            | 97.9% |
| Year 6                            | 98.2% |
| Whole<br>School                   | 96.5% |
| (weekly)                          | 90.5% |
| Whole                             |       |
| School                            | 96.5% |
| (Sept to date)                    |       |
| Target 96.2%                      |       |





#### Partington Central Academy v Forestgate

This week our school football team hosted Forest Gate
Academy for our first game of the season.
A closely fought game ended 3-0 for PCA with goals
from Jake Martyn, Kayden Czornyj and Cobbey
Gorton, although the goalposts were the real losers on
the night - getting hit five times by our team!
Well done boys!

Congratulations to all the children for conducting themselves well and showing good sportsmanship. Thank you to the staff involved for taking the time to organise this for the children.

## Terrific Time Keepers

The winners this week are REB, 1AV, 4CW, 4CT 5AF & 6CB.

What an achievement! Well Done!

## DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Anti-Bullying Week (Choose Respect)

Monday 12<sup>th</sup> to Friday 16<sup>th</sup> November

**Odd Socks** 

Monday 12<sup>th</sup> November

Remembrance Assembly

Tuesday 13th November

Cyber-Bullying

Thursday 15th November

Children in Need

Friday 16<sup>th</sup> November

Christmas Fair

Wednesday 12th

December 3.15pm-5pm

**EYFS Nativity Play** 

Friday 14th December at

9.15am and 2.15pm

**Christmas Dinner &** 

**Christmas Jumper Day** 

Friday 14th December

KS1 Nativity Play

Tuesday 18th December

at 9.15am and 2.15pm

School Closure for

Christmas

Thursday 20th December

at 1.15pm

### Year 1 - Knowsley Safari Park Trip

Well done to our Y1 children for representing the school so well on their recent trip to Knowsley Safari Park. The children learnt about the 5 main groups of animals, watched the amazing Sea Lion show and had to use their 'finger binoculars' to spot different animals from the coach windows.







#### **Good Luck**

We'd like to wish
Miss Bunney a fond
farewell and all the very
best as she leaves us
today to take her
maternity leave.
She'll be greatly missed
but we'll look forward to
seeing her bundle of joy
in a few months time!

#### **Serious Concern**

We have recently been notified that some children have been lying in the road as part of a game when they are playing out. We are seriously concerned that some of our pupils may be involved and will be hurt. Please could you take a few moments to speak to your children to make sure they are keeping themselves safe and are not taking part in this dangerous activity.

Many Thanks



On Friday 16<sup>th</sup> November it is Children in Need.

Children can come to school in spotty tops &/or face paints (including headbands, hair accessories) to support this charity.

# We request donations of £1 which will all be donated to Children in Need.

KS2 children will also have the opportunity to take part in a talent show during the day to celebrate the wonderful talents of our children.

Thank you for your support.

Recruitment Day - On Saturday 10<sup>th</sup> November our senior leadership team will be attending The Dean Trust Recruitment Day. This has become a hugely successful annual event for the trust which provides us with the opportunity to meet potential new candidates who are keen to join the trust and work in our schools.



On Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> November our Key Stage 2 children will have a Remembrance assembly to show their respect to our armed forces and celebrate 100 years since the end of WW1.

#### **Year 6 Screen-Printing Workshop**

. One of Year 6's Art objectives is to use print, so we have arranged for an Artist to come into school, and lead a workshop on Screen Printing.

This will incorporate the work we have studied by Paul Nash.

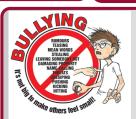
It will take place on **Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> November** and will be led by an Artist from Z-arts in Hulme, an establishment that we have made great connections with, in delivering creative arts to Year 6 pupils.

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## **OUR STARS OF THE WEEK**



REB — Oscar Tatton & Georgia Starkey
REC — Dylan King & Coby Holland
IKO — Dexter Darren English & Makydi Rore
1AV — Lola Taylor-Perkins & Trimaine Simpson
2SJ — Ashton Stott & Grace Harrison
2HW — Tyler Barratt & Amelia Grace Clews
3SI — Daisy May Taylor & Jackson Smith
3NW — Kourosh Golampour & Hayden Massey
4CT — Leigh Sowden & Marwa Laaroussi
4CW — Max Burnside & Hayden Fray
5AF — Lewis Haynes & Leah Ruchat
5LA — Megan Starkey & Joshua Cullen
6LP — Jayden Parsonage & Jessica Mottershead
6CB — Sonia Jackson & Ellie Pluples



The week beginning 12<sup>th</sup> November we are celebrating Anti-Bullying Week.

The Theme is 'Choose Respect'.
Children will undertake different activities to promote friendship, respect and preventing bullying.



On **Thursday 15<sup>th</sup> November**we are focusing on
cyber-bullying here at Partington
Central Academy.