



# NEWSLETTER

[www.partingtoncentralacademy.co.uk](http://www.partingtoncentralacademy.co.uk)

**1<sup>st</sup> November 2019**

## Headteacher Message

I would like to extend a warm welcome back to all our families after the half term break. This week the children have quickly slipped back into their school routines and we have enjoyed a very positive start to the new term. Lateness has much improved over the previous two weeks meaning much fewer lessons are being interrupted in the morning. Thank you to all parents for adjusting their morning routines accordingly. Doors will continue to open at 8.35am and close at 8.45am so lessons can start on time. Anyone arriving after this should enter school through the main reception entrance.

We have a busy few weeks ahead with National Anti-bullying Week, Road Safety Week and Children In Need. Please check the weekly newsletter for diary dates to keep up to date with the latest information. You will also have received your class topic letter this week (via SchoolPing) informing you of extra information specific to your child's class.

**Anita Edwards – Executive Headteacher**



Anita Edwards  
Executive Headteacher



Katy Higginson  
Head of School

Attendance Week Ending 1.11.19	
R	92.2%
Year 1	97.8%
Year 2	98.0%
Year 3	98.5%
Year 4	96.5%
Year 5	97.9%
Year 6	96.2%
Whole School (weekly)	96.6%
Whole School (Sept to date)	96.2%
<b>Target 97%</b>	

## Enrichment Clubs

We have an extensive Enrichment Programme here at PCA with activities to suit all year groups and abilities.

**These clubs are FREE and run every Spring, Summer and Autumn each year and change every half term!**

Letters are sent out a few weeks before and Parents are requested to sign up their children. If successful, the children are notified. For details of the timetable visit our website.

**Can we ask parents to be clear as to what your child has signed up to please.**

We have had countless telephone calls and a number of irate parents in the office because they haven't realised that the clubs have changed.



We are no longer accepting cash here at Partington Central Academy and as such have asked **ALL parents** to only use our e-payment method to pay for dinner money/school trips/workshops and nursery fees. This can be done online using a very secure website called ParentPay. Can you please ensure your account is activated by **Friday 8<sup>th</sup> November**. Thank you.

## Terrific Time Keepers

The winners this week are RKK, 1EN, 1GJ, 2HW, 3GC, 4CT, 5AF, 5LA & 6LP!

What an achievement! Well Done!

Remember - Be on time at twenty to nine!



## Dates for your diary

**6<sup>th</sup> November '19**  
Year 1 PE Festival at Broadoak School  
**7<sup>th</sup> November '19**  
Year 2 Dunham Massey Trip  
**11<sup>th</sup>–15<sup>th</sup> Nov '19**  
Anti-Bullying Week  
**12<sup>th</sup> November '19**  
Odd Socks Day  
**13<sup>th</sup> November '19**  
Year 2 PE Festival at Broadoak School  
**15<sup>th</sup> November '19**  
Children in Need  
**18<sup>th</sup> – 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov '19**  
Road Safety Week  
**25<sup>th</sup> – 29<sup>th</sup> Nov '19**  
Assessment Week  
**29<sup>th</sup> November '19**  
Elf v Santa  
**12<sup>th</sup> December '19**  
Christmas Fair  
**13<sup>th</sup> December '19**  
Christmas Jumper Day/Christmas Dinner  
**w/b 16<sup>th</sup> Dec '19**  
Progress Report

Visit our website for more Christmas dates!

## Robinwood 2019

A huge thank you to all the staff who attended Robinwood this week. It is always good to have such committed staff who go 'above and beyond' so that the children access a range of experiences. Thank you to the children for representing PCA so brilliantly and demonstrating positivity and resilience when faced with challenging activities.

Well done!

We'll be putting lots more photos on our website too!



**11-15 November '19**  
Anti-Bullying Week

The theme is  
**'Change starts with us!'**

### Late Pick-ups

Can we please remind parents that children need to be picked up from school on time at 3.05pm.

If you are late picking up children they will go to our After-school Club at a charge of £4.10 per hour/per child!

If your child is in Nursery then it is £5.00/half hour – as these children are not old enough to be in our After School Club and a teacher will have to remain with them.

**Whilst this may seem unacceptable to parents, safeguarding the children is our priority.**

### OUR STARS OF THE WEEK

- RKK – Lillie Cochrane & Lucy Fearnley
- REC – Korey-Joe Drummond & Florence Bryan
- IGJ – Samantha Hassham & Leo Caswell
- 1EN – Dylan King & Israa Laaroussi
- 2SJ – Coben Kemp & Amelia McCabe
- 2HW – Robin Kakaye & Junior Smith
- 3SI – Ruby Southwell & Macey Gilmore
- 3GC – Maleko Pantry Gordon & Jayden Foley-Brown
- 4CT – Cruz Oakes & Leo James
- 4CW – Ella-Brooke Willis & Kourosh Golampour
- 6CB – Megan Starkey & Logan Renshaw
- 6LP – Harees Leeming & Darryl Taylor-Hurst

### Change of Date

We're holding  
**ODD SOCKS DAY**  
for Anti-Bullying Week  
again this year

Tuesday 12<sup>th</sup> November