



Nelson Primary School
Inspiring Ambition, Achieving Success

Newsletter

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Attendance

Reg	Average	
Rec	95.2	Week beginning 19 th June 2017 Well done to Year 2 who has the highest attendance of 96.5 %. I have highlighted Nursery AM and Nursery PM as well as year 6 as their attendance is far too low. Please remember to send your child to school every day.
Year 1	95.5	
Year 2	96.5	
Year 3	96.3	
Year 4	96.0	
Year 5	96.3	
Year 6	92.7	
Nursery AM	87.0	
Nursery PM	91.0	
School Average	94.0	

Dear Parents/ Carers

It has been another busy week. Thankfully, the rain held off enough so that our sports' days could all take place. Year 1 also visited the beach this week and year 5 has had a visit to the observatory at Greenwich.

I look forward to seeing you all at our showcase event next Wednesday where you will have the opportunity to look around the school and meet your child's next teacher.

Fiona Cullen
Head Teacher

Term Time Leave:

Changes in the law mean that the Head Teacher no longer has discretion to allow pupils to take term time leave. If you take your child out of school for any reason you will receive a fine for £60 per child per parent. This means that the mum will be fined £60 for each child and the dad will be fined £60 for each child.

The government monitors school attendance. They look at persistent absence. If your child has attendance of 90% or less they are deemed persistent absences and we are asked to follow this up and refer to the Local Authority who could take you to court. At court the penalty is either a very large fine £1000 or imprisonment. Please avoid keeping your child off school unless they are very sick and certainly DO NOT TAKE THEM OUT OF SCHOOL WHEN THE SCHOOL IS OPEN. Please wait until the holidays

Dates for your diary

Wednesday 5th July - Showcase Evening

Thursday 13th July - Summer Production of Annie at Brampton theatre

Wednesday 19th July – Year 6 Presentation Evening

Thursday 20th July - LAST DAY OF THE SUMMER TERM

Wednesday 6th September – First day of the autumn term.



Roll of Honour

This is a special board next to Ms Cull's office. If a child does something special outside school or becomes a times table titan their photograph will be displayed for everyone to see.

Jayleen Kaur T7-3 Achived Stage 5 in Swimming

Patrycja Gonet T5-3 Times Table Titan

Najma Mazhar M2-4 Times Table Titan

Evren Islek M2-4 Times Table Titan

Abira Subasgar M1-2 Junior Times Table Titan

All pupils have taken part in sports' days this week and it has been wonderful to see the children enjoying themselves, whilst keeping fit. Thank you to all of the parents that came to support.



There have been a few near misses outside school recently, with both parents and children nearly being hit by cars. Please do not park on the yellow zig-zag lines outside of our school as this is dangerous. We want to keep people in our community safe.



Wednesday 5th July from 3.30 – 5.30pm will be our annual showcase evening. You will be able to visit all areas of the school and have the chance to look at children's work. Please note that on Wednesday the following clubs will not run because of the showcase: Multi Sports, Crafts, Board Games, Hockey and Drama. ESP will run as normal.

Mrs Alexander and Mrs Hunter had the pleasure of accompanying 6 of our children to a celebration event on Wednesday 29th June held on a boat in the docks. The children have been working together this term with Mrs Hunter to create a story in which they all feature. They each now have a published copy to take home and cherish. Congratulations to all involved.

