# Poplar Farm Weekly Newsletter

# Monday 9 May 2022

Thank you to everyone who joined us for Parents' Evenings last week. We hope you found the appointments informative. The consultation forms will be emailed to you later this week. Article 29 - Goals of education

Thank you to everyone who donated old 'blue' uniform items for the donation to Develop Africa. I am delighted to inform you that The Develop Africa team in Sierra Leone received the 2 large boxes from Poplar Farm School on Tuesday 3 May. The photos below show the boxes arriving in Freetown. The school clothing, book bags and PE bags will soon be distributed to students in Freetown, and we look forward to sharing more photos soon.

Article 3 - Best interests of the child



**Mrs Hodson** Head Teacher

## Attendance

Last week, Class 3A had the highest attendance with 100%. Well done!

The whole school attendance for the week was 96.5%, which means the attendance for the year to date has increased to 94.4%.

Thank you for your continued support, we are pleased to see attendance continuing to rise.

Article 28 - Right to an education



#### Lateness

Following the information on the newsletter last week about lateness, I am happy to inform you that last week we saw a huge increase for children arriving in school on time at 8.45am.

We had 8 instances of children arriving to late before the registers closed, and 2 instances after the registers closed.

I hope this trend continues, with more children arriving at school on time.

Article 28 - Right to an education

### Usborne Book Fair

Thank you to everyone who ordered books from the Usborne Book Fair last week. There were some fabulous books to choose from, and I'm sure the children will be excited when they arrive!

As a result of your support, school has a whopping £795 to spend on books for school.

This is fantastic, and will really help us to enhance our topic books and classroom books.

Thank you again!

Article 29 - Goals of education



## **Diary Dates**

*Monday 9 May* - Mental health awareness week

*Monday 9 May* - Coeliac awareness week

*Monday 9 May* - Y2 cricket session *Wednesday 11 May* - Class and group photos in school

*Thursday 12 May* - National limerick day

Monday 16 May - Water saving week Monday 16 May - Walk to school week

Monday 16 May - Y2 SATs week Monday 16 May - National children's day

Monday 16 May - Y3 cricket session

**Monday 23 May** - National conversation week

Monday 23 May - EYFS cricket session Friday 27 May - FoP Jubilee Event Friday 27 May - Last day of term 5

Thursday 2 June - Italy, Republic Day

*Monday 6 June* - Term 6 begins *Monday 6 June* - Y1 phonics screening check week

*Monday 13 June* - 7.30pm FoP meeting

*Friday 17 June* - No energy day in school

*Thursday 23 June* - PopFest *Friday 24 June* - PopFest



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