# **Poplar Farm Weekly Newsletter**

# Monday 13 September 2021

We enjoyed a fabulous first week back at the school. The children have settled back into school life brilliantly, and have really enjoyed all the aspects of school they had missed, due to being in bubbles last year...playing across year groups; singing together; assemblies. Our new staff also had a great first week with us and have loved getting to know our delightful children at Poplar Farm School.

Last week, children were nominated before voting took place for The School Council, Eco-Warriors and Librarians. The full list of children on these councils can be found on our website: <u>https://www.poplarfarmsch-cit.co.uk/web/our\_school\_community/525227</u>

#### Mrs Hodson

Head Teacher

#### Attendance

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

The whole school attendance for last week was 96.8%, which means the attendance for the year to date is 96.8%.

We are aiming for our whole school attendance to be over 97%, and we hope you support us in meeting this target.

## Friends of Poplar (FoP) - Summer Fair

The postponed FoP Summer Fair takes place on Friday after school, on the school field. We hope you can join us.

There will be the opportunity to eat, drink and enjoy a number of games and stalls, to help raise money for school.

As the event is outside, please bring a picnic blanket / chairs for you to use while you enjoy a pizza, a drink and an ice-cream!

We look forward to seeing you there !!!

## **Rights Respecting School Award**

This year at Poplar Farm School, we are starting our journey to become a Rights Respecting School. We hope this work will enable our children to develop their self-esteem and value themselves.

Your children might have come home last week talking about their Class Charter, and the articles they have chosen to focus on as Rights Holders, supported by the Duty Bearers (school staff).

More information about the award can be found on our website page, and we hope to add Class Charter photos later this week. <u>https://www.popla</u> <u>cit.co.uk/web/rights\_respecting\_school/500550</u>



# <u>Diary Dates</u>

*Monday 13 September -* Roald Dahl story day

Wednesday 15 September -International day of democracy Friday 17 September - 3.15pm FoP Summer Fair

*Monday 20 September* - National recycle week

*Tuesday 21 September* -Photographer in school for individual photos *Tuesday 21 September* - International day of peace

*Friday 24 September* - Dogs Trust workshops for whole school

*Monday 27 September* - Bike to school week

*Friday 1 October* - National smile day *Friday 1 October* - National Day for China

*Friday 1 October* - Independence Day for Nigeria

*Monday 4 October* - World animal day

*Tuesday 5 October* - World teachers' day

*Thursday 7 October* - 9am Family Learning 'Let's get crafty' workshop for parents

Thursday 14 October - Family Learning 'Fonnix or Phonics' workshop for parents Friday 15 October - Global handwashing day Friday 15 October - 2pm Open afternoon for parents



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## The Poplar Promise

We are: Problem solvers; Open minded & curious; Positive & independent; Loved & nurtured; Accepting of all; Resilient.