



# THE PINEHURST PRESS

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A weekly newsletter to share the news of Pinehurst Primary School

Teaching and  Learning

Questions?  
Comments?

## Academisation Consultation Continues

The Governing Body of Pinehurst Primary School is currently seeking the views and opinions of all members of our school community regarding the proposed academisation of the school.

We are committed to an open and transparent consultation process and are proactively engaging with parents, carers, staff, and other stakeholders. This is an important stage in our journey, and your voice matters. We want to hear your thoughts, answer your questions, and ensure that the decisions made reflect the views and best interests of our whole school community.

**The consultation is open until 4.00pm on Tuesday 3rd June.**

To share your views and ask questions please email us at: [consultation@pinehurst-primary.co.uk](mailto:consultation@pinehurst-primary.co.uk)  
Every response received will help inform the Governing Body's decision-making process as we consider the next steps for Pinehurst Primary School.

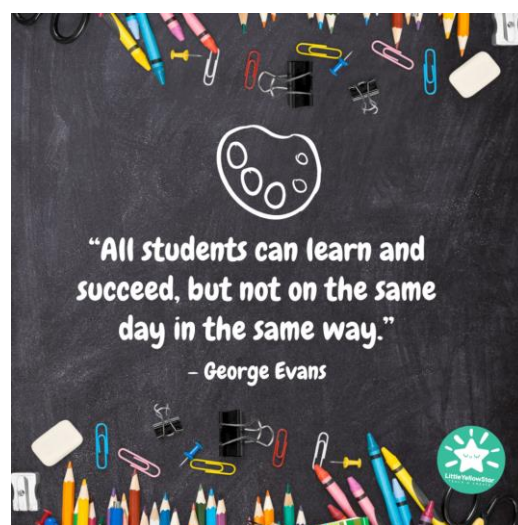
Thank you for taking the time to be part of this important conversation.

Mrs June Simm  
Chair of Governors

Ms Nicola Horton  
Vice Chair of Governors

## Weekly Attendance and Minutes Late

Year Group	Class	Attendance %	Minutes Late
R	Ash	75.1% 😞	278
R	Oak	86.8%	132
1	Elm	96.4%	175
1	Cherry	93.9%	350
2	Fir	96.8% 😊	120
2	Yew	94.4%	306
3	Cedar	90%	152
3	Hazel	90.4%	179
4	Chestnut	91.9%	27 😊
4	Holly	88.5%	439 😞
5	Maple	94.4%	62
5	Sycamore	95.9%	277
6	Birch	96.2%	158
6	Willow	92.2%	92
Whole School		91.6%	



Remember that our target every day is to have 97% attendance or above!

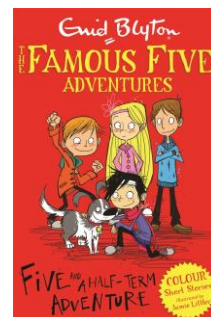
School Contact Number for Emergencies 07858 739336



We break up today for Whit Half Term.

Children return to school on **TUESDAY 3<sup>rd</sup> June.**

Have a great Half Term Week – fingers crossed for sunshine!



Don't forget to tweet us any #Halftermadventures you get up to include the HASHTAG and our handle @PinehurstP.

# Year 1 Phonics Screening



Coming up... Wk.beg:9<sup>th</sup> June

**MOMENTS  
MATTER,  
ATTENDANCE  
COUNTS.**

Attendance Top Tip

If your child struggles due to issues at school, make sure you talk with the school as quickly as possible. Work together with the school to find solutions, agree on joint actions, and, if support services are offered, be ready to accept their help.



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
AM		EYFS			LPC LA
PM	Year 1 & Year2	Year 5 & Year 6		Year 3 & Year 6 Swimming	Year 4

A reminder that pupils should wear PINEHURST PE KIT ONLY on their allocated PE day. This is a yellow t-shirt, blue shorts/joggers/leggings and trainers or pumps. A school jumper or cardigan can be worn if it is a cooler day.

# Pinehurst Primary School Activities

## Summer Half Term 2

### Monday

Year 2 Computing Club 3.15 - 4.15 (Miss Sweeney)  
Year 5 DT Club 3.30 - 4.15 (Miss Monaghan)  
Year 3 Dance 3.30 - 4.15 (Miss Haslem)  
Year 4 Football 3.30 - 4.15 (Miss Caskey & Mr Farrell)



### Tuesday

Year 6 Young Marketeers 3.30 - 4.15 (Mrs Henderson)  
Year 6 Basketball 3.30 - 4.15 (Mr Cain)  
Year 4 TTRS Club 3.30 - 4.00 (Miss Leary)  
Year 1 Multi-Skills 3.30 - 4.15 (Coach Lois)



### Wednesday

Cookery & Spanish in school pm  
Year 6 Cookery Club 3.30-4.30 (Mrs Wright)  
Staff Meeting



### Thursday

Spanish in school pm  
Year 6 / Top Up Swimming pm at Everton Park  
Year 3-5 Chatterbox Club 3.30 - 4.15 (Mrs Cook)  
Year 3-6 Eco-Warriors Club 3.30 - 4.15 (Mrs Henderson)  
Year 1 Phonics Club 3.30 - 4.00 (Mrs Kirby)  
Year 6 Writing Club 3.30 - 4.15 (Mr Farrell)  
Year 2 Tag Rugby 3.30 - 4.15 (Miss Mitchell)



# Term Dates



## Looking ahead to ... 2025/2026

### Autumn Term 2025

**Starts:** Monday 1<sup>st</sup> September  
**INSET:** Monday 1<sup>st</sup> September  
**INSET:** Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> September  
**Pupils Return:** Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> September  
**Half term:** Monday 27<sup>th</sup> October to Friday 31<sup>st</sup> October  
**Pupils Return:** Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> November  
**Ends:** Friday 19<sup>th</sup> December  
**Christmas break:** Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> December to Friday 2<sup>nd</sup> January

### Spring Term 2026

**Starts:** Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January  
**INSET:** Monday 5<sup>th</sup> January  
**Half term:** Monday 16<sup>th</sup> to Friday 20<sup>th</sup> February  
**Pupils Return:** Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February  
**Ends:** Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March  
**Easter break:** Monday 30<sup>th</sup> March to Friday 10<sup>th</sup> April

### Summer Term 2026

**Starts:** Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April  
**May day:** Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May  
**Half term:** Monday 25<sup>th</sup> May to Friday 29<sup>th</sup> May  
**INSET:** Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June  
**Pupils Return:** Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> June  
**Term ends for Pupils:** Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July  
**INSET:** Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July  
**Ends:** Monday 20<sup>th</sup> July