

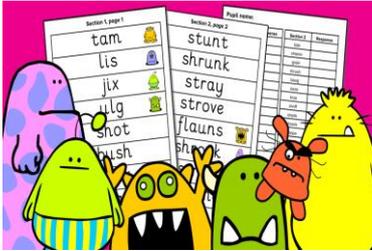


# THE PINEHURST PRESS

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A weekly newsletter to share the news of Pinehurst Primary School

## Teaching and Learning



Celebrating the Foundations of Lifelong Learning



### Phonics and Times Tables

At Pinehurst Primary School, we believe that strong foundations in reading, writing and mathematics are the cornerstones of lifelong learning. The development of these basic skills supports not only academic success but also builds the confidence and resilience our children need to thrive in all areas of life.

This week, we are incredibly proud of our Year 1 pupils—and some children in Year 2—who have taken part in the national Phonics Screening Check. Their enthusiasm and determination to apply their phonics knowledge is commendable.

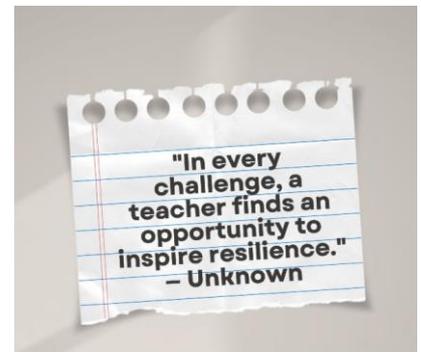
We also celebrate our brilliant Year 4 children who have completed the Multiplication Times Tables Check this week. Mastering times tables is a key mathematical skill, and we are impressed by the focus and effort shown by all.

While these assessments are just one part of each child's journey and do not capture the full picture of who they are, we take this opportunity to praise the confidence and positive attitude they have shown in approaching new challenges. These are lifelong habits that will support their growth, success, and love of learning well beyond the classroom.

Well done to all involved!

### Weekly Attendance and Minutes Late

Year Group	Class	Attendance %	Minutes Late
R	Ash	90.2%	116
R	Oak	94.3%	215
1	Elm	93.3%	63 😊
1	Cherry	93.9%	237
2	Fir	95.2%	153
2	Yew	91.9%	145
3	Cedar	94.6%	144
3	Hazel	92.2%	155
4	Chestnut	94.8%	188
4	Holly	91.7%	172
5	Maple	94.4%	147
5	Sycamore	95.2%	275
6	Birch	87%	117
6	Willow	98.5% 😊	185
Whole School		93.4%	



97+% Attendance Target

What is your attendance?



Attend today, succeed tomorrow

School Contact Number for Emergencies 07858 739336

# Well DONE!

Well done to our Year 1 children who have completed their Phonics Screening Check this week.



Thank you for your support today.

## ROAD SAFETY

**THINK**

about where you should cross.

**STOP**

in a safe place at the side of the road.

**USE YOUR EYES & EARS**

to see and hear any approaching vehicles.

**WAIT**

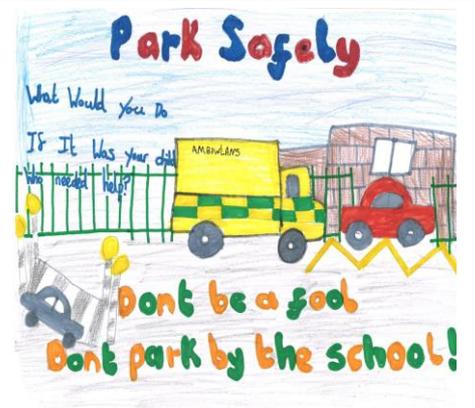
until all the vehicles have passed.

**LOOK AND LISTEN**

again to make sure all is clear.

**CROSS**

the road. Keep looking and listening.



Please can we remind parents and carers to park away from school and walk the last 5 minutes if at all possible. This helps to keep the roads immediately around school safer and clear of parked cars and traffic. Thank you for your support.



Please remember to send your child into school with a sun hat and apply sunscreen if we are lucky enough to have some warmer weather.



World Music Day is on 21<sup>st</sup> June

From Beethoven to Taylor Swift, there's music for everyone. Revisit your old favourites or discover new artists from different cultures on World Music Day.

### My Multiplication Chart 1-12

x	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
1	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10	11	12
2	2	4	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	24
3	3	6	9	12	15	18	21	24	27	30	33	36
4	4	8	12	16	20	24	28	32	36	40	44	48
5	5	10	15	20	25	30	35	40	45	50	55	60
6	6	12	18	24	30	36	42	48	54	60	66	72
7	7	14	21	28	35	42	49	56	63	70	77	84
8	8	16	24	32	40	48	56	64	72	80	88	96
9	9	18	27	36	45	54	63	72	81	90	99	108
10	10	20	30	40	50	60	70	80	90	100	110	120
11	11	22	33	44	55	66	77	88	99	110	121	132
12	12	24	36	48	60	72	84	96	108	120	132	144

Well done to our Year 4 children who have completed their Multiplication Times Tables Check this week.



Week beginning Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> June will be Health and Wellbeing at Pinehurst.

The children will be in engaging in activities to promote their life long health.

There will be a focus on physical, mental and emotional health in this very special week.

Further details to follow.

Reception to Year 6 break up for Summer Friday 18<sup>th</sup> July at 1.40pm

Year 6 will be dismissed after their Leaver's Assembly

Nursery finish for Summer on Thursday 17<sup>th</sup> July



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