



Dear Families,

As we come to the end of this half term, we want to take a moment to reflect on the wonderful achievements of our pupils. Their enthusiasm, resilience, and hard work continue to make us incredibly proud. A huge thank you to our dedicated team members who provided the Year 6 revision club over the break- this extra support will no doubt help our pupils build confidence and thrive in their learning.

Looking ahead to next term, our focus will be on our school value of Ambition. We believe that fostering ambition in our pupils- encouraging them to set goals, challenge themselves, and strive for their best - is fundamental to their success. This value is embedded in everything we do, and we look forward to seeing our pupils embrace it in their learning and personal growth.

We are also excited to begin the new half term with Topic Launch Days, where pupils will dive into their new areas of learning. These days provide an opportunity for curiosity, exploration, and engagement, allowing pupils to shape their learning journey by thinking about what they would like to discover by the end of term.

As always, we encourage you to stay up to date with school events by checking the school calendar on our website and following our social media platforms, where we share updates, achievements and key information.

Wishing you all a restful and enjoyable half term. We look forward to welcoming our families back on Monday 24th February and embarking on another exciting term together.

Yours sincerely

Mrs Ferla and the PWP Team

Upcoming Events

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
24th Year 1 early morning phonics First day of term	25th Year 1 early morning phonics Launch Days	26th Year 1 early morning phonics	27th Reception early morning phonics	28th Reception early morning phonics

ELSIE



Elsie's favourite part of the day is joining in with phonics lessons.

ATTENDANCE

Current Attendance- 90.5%

Nursery AM- 85%	Nursery PM- 91%
Poplar- 82.5%	Lime- 92.2%
Bay- 91.5%	H/Chestnut- 91.2%
Box- 93.3%	Bamboo- 95%
Ash-88.3%	Cypress- 84.1%
Palm- 90%	Acacia- 92.2%
Holly- 92.5%	Myrtle- 98%
Eucalyptus- 86.6%	Willow - 92%

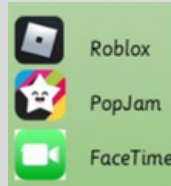
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This free guide breaks down the ways that scammers utilise 'fake news' and other tactics to manipulate their victims, as well as how best to protect young people from these concerns.

Parents please remind your children about the use of social media. There are strict restrictions on social media. Please make sure you are checking your children's phone regularly.

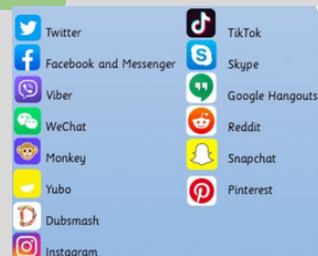
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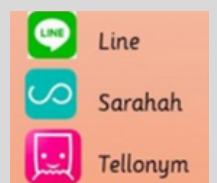
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Congratulations!
We hope you enjoyed your well deserved Hot Chocolate!



We wanted to say a massive THANK YOU to all of our Year 1 families, friends and children who have worked so hard to raise awareness of our Sponsored Dance and contributed towards this. We have raised a staggering £760! This money will be going towards some exciting opportunities for the children in Year 1 and they are so proud of their part in raising this money. They wanted to say a big thank you for all your donations.



WELL DONE!

Class	Peareswood Champion
Nursery AM/PM	Aris/Peter
Lime	David
Poplar	Phoenix
H/Chestnut	Prisha
Bay	Emily
Bamboo	Ellie
Box	Lottie
Cypress	Kasper
Ash	Torie-Lea
Acacia	Lacey
Palm	Paige
Holly	Ella
Myrtle	Darcie
Willow	Abi
Eucalyptus	Jamie



Ready

Respectful



Safe

SCHOOL VALUES

Our school value this term is Collaboration.

All year groups have enjoyed Pride Time this week, working collaboratively with their adults to share their learning and complete a task together. It has been a very creative week!

Year 1 had a brilliant time on their trip to the Bus Garage, working together to spot some human and physical features along the journey and ask the driver some questions.

Everyone worked together during Safer Internet Day to understand why it is important to stay safe online and how we can help each other do this.

The driver and team at the garage said that the children were a credit to our school - very fun, inquisitive and well behaved! Well done to Year 1 for representing Peareswood so well on your first school trip.

Apple Workshops

Here is a link to Apple workshops that are happening in Bluewater this half term. They will count towards your Children's University stamps. They will also have these workshops in other Apple stores.

<https://www.apple.com/uk/today/calendar/bluewater/?topics=kids-and-families&showHero=true&sn=R113>



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• Advisory Service for Autism

Parent/Carer Drop in session

An opportunity to speak to members of the Autism Advisory team for information and advice. For families pre or post diagnosis

🕒 Wed 26th February 2025, 10 AM - 12 PM

Crayford Community Centre
175 Townhall Square
DA1 4FN

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