### FRIDAY 4<sup>TH</sup> JULY 2025 ISSUE 36







### Dear Families,

We're thrilled to share the attached document in this week's newsletter capturing a very proud moment for Peareswood, a visit from the Secretary of State for Education, the Rt Hon Bridget Phillipson MP, accompanied by colleagues from the Department for Education and our local MP, Daniel Francis. Our pupils impressed all visitors by sharing their digital learning journey, and the visit was beautifully captured in a video by Lee Parkinson MBE, which you can find on our school's Facebook page. Please do take a moment to have a look, it really celebrates the incredible work of our children happening here at Peareswood. A special mention to the mums who represented the school brilliantly in their race!

It's been a very busy week. Year 6 pupils had their secondary transition day on Tuesday and made us very proud. Wednesday saw our Nursery Transition Day for the children joining in September, they had a lovely time exploring and meeting new friends. On Friday, our wholeschool transition day was a great success. Children spent the morning with their new teachers in their new classrooms, helping to build familiarity and confidence ahead of September.

We're also excited for this evening's Year 6 disco - a wonderful way to celebrate their time at Peareswood and create more happy memories.

Looking ahead to next week:

- **Monday:** You will receive information about our new online school reports and how to access them.
- Tuesday: Year 2 and Year 5 will take part in Fire Safety Workshops.
- **Wednesday:** Year 2 pupils will enjoy a trip to Woodlands Farm, and Reception will host a **Teddy Bear's Picnic** to welcome children who will be starting in September.
- **Thursday:** We look forward to welcoming professionals from another trust to showcase our digital approach and its positive impact on our children's learning.
- **Friday:** The excitement continues as we begin the highlight of our school calendar— *Peareswood's Got talent!* Class auditions will take place, and we can't wait to see our children shine.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support.

Mrs Ferla and the PWP Team.





#### **Upcoming Events** Tuesday Wednesday Friday Monday Thursday 7th 8th 9th 10th 11th **Reception Teddy** Peareswood's Year 2 and Year Bear's Picnic got talent class **5 Fire Safety** auditions. Workshops. Year 2 school trip.



### **ATTENDANCE**

Current Attendance - 91.3%

Nursery AM- 96.7%Nursery PM- 62.5%Poplar- 86%Lime- 88.2%Bay-88.6%H/Chestnut- 90%Box- 92.7%Bamboo- 94.8%Ash- 89.2%Cypress- 91.8%Palm- 97.6%Acacia- 97.1%Holly- 85.6%Myrtle- 93.6%

**Green**=met the minimum attendance rate





This free guide examines
Apple's IPad - a popular
device for children - and
explores key concerns such
as screen overuse, privacy
risks and inappropriate
content.

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.



Eucalyptus-87.1%



Willow - 95.5%













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# WELL DONE!



Class	Peareswood Champion
Nursery AM/PM	Yaseen/Neriah
Lime	Mandira
Poplar	Airinpreet
H/Chestnut	Sarah
Вау	Ianis
Bamboo	Lyra
Вох	Mabel
Cypress	John-Henry
Ash	Elsie
Acacia	Alizabell
Palm	Phoebe
Holly	Rita
Myrtle	Frankie
Willow	Fareedah
Eucalyptus	Kalila

We are.



### **SCHOOL VALUES**

The value this term is Creativity.

**EYFS-** Nursery have been making jam sandwiches and looking at all the steps they need to make it and what equipment they will use.

**KS1-** Year 1 have been learning about the pirate William Kidd and where he buried his treasure.

**KS2-** Year 3 have been learning about the Spanish region of Catalonia and why it is a popular destination.

### The Secretary of State for Education Visits Us!



Last Friday, Peareswood Primary School was proud to welcome the Rt Hon Bridget Phillipson MP, Secretary of State for Education, for a special visit, joined by colleagues from the Department for Education.

Our local MP Daniel Francis also joined us, offering a unique opportunity for our school to highlight the innovation, inclusion, and ambition that drives the digital learning journey at our school and across Woodland Academy Trust.

Adding to the excitement, we were delighted to also have Lee Parkinson MBE (Mr P ICT)—who was recently awarded an MBE for his services to education-join the visit and spend time talking to staff and pupils.

Our children were at the heart of the visit, proudly sharing their EdTech learning experiences.

We certainly won't forget the visit! A proud moment for our school.



### Watch the video to see our school featured!

Lee Parkinson MBE filmed spending the day with the Education Secretary and their visit to our school.

You can watch the video on our Facebook page post about it. Click the below link or scan the QR code in the picture.



## Watch the video



We feature towards the end!



ict\_mrp @ @peareswood\_primary absolute pleasure, was really impressed with what you're doing with tech, was great to see



Teachers Miss King and Miss Sharp, Rt Hon Bridget Phillipson Secretary of State for Education, Year 5 and 6 pupils, Lee (Mr P) Parkinson MBE, Headteacher Mrs Ferla, MP Daniel Francis, Director of Education Julie Carson and Peareswood Computing Lead Mr Deacon.