




Summer 2 Primley Wood Primary School Nishkam Newsletter

Good attendance and punctuality equal success!

This Half term's whole school attendance was 96%. Our attendance target for the year is 97%. Please help your child to achieve success by ensuring that they come to school every day.

	Robins	Nightingales	Kingfishers	Falcons
	94%	95%	93%	95%
Kestrels	Merlins	Tawny Owls	Sparrowhawks	Redkites
99%	96%	95%	95%	95%

Our class attendance champions for the highest attendance this half term are Kestrels.

A huge well done to our pupils and staff who have achieved 100% attendance since September.
Remember to wear your 100% Gold badge with pride in September.

Robins	Nightingales	Kingfishers	Falcons	Kestrels
Prince	Jensi	Zoe	Jo-Ann	Gursifat
Amrit S	Isabella			Layla
				Rantej
Merlins	Tawny Owls	Sparrowhawks	Red Kites	
Harleen	Jasmeet	Parker	Aadvik	
Ria	Dhriti	Elodie	Mason	
Aditi			Agastya	
Elisa				



Our Summer 2 Child of Achievement Certificates were awarded
to:



Wrens – Jesvin

Robins – Archie

Nightingales – Jensi

Kingfishers - Leah

Falcons – Gurj

Kestrels - Caitlyn

Merlins – Ria

Sparrowhawks – Louise

Tawny Owls – Avirup

Red Kites - Mason

Upcoming Key Dates **Green events – parents are welcome**

Thursday 4 th Sept	Back to School for all pupils
Every Wednesday	Nursery Stay and Play sessions every Wednesday (weekly times (am and pm) will be confirmed by the Nursery team.
8 th Sept	Meet the Nursery Teacher and Information about the year ahead, 3.20pm in the classroom
8 th Sept	Meet the Year 6 Red Kites Teacher and Information about the year ahead, 3.20pm in the classroom
9 th Sept	Meet the Reception Teacher and Information about the year ahead, 3.20pm in the classroom
9 th Sept	Meet the Y5 Sparrowhawks Teacher and Information about the year ahead, 3.20pm in the classroom
10 th Sept	Meet the Year 1 Nightingales Teacher and Information about the year ahead, 3.20pm in the classroom
10 th Sept	Meet the Year 4 Kestrels Teacher and Information about the year ahead, 3.20pm in the classroom
11 th Sept	Meet the Year 2 Kingfishers Teacher and Information about the year ahead, 3.20pm in the classroom
11 th Sept	Meet the Year 3 Falcons Teacher and Information about the year ahead, 3.20pm in the classroom
12 th Sept	Meet the Year 5/6 Ospreys Teacher and Information about the year ahead, 3.20pm in the classroom
12 th Sept	Reception Parents Coffee Morning and Phonics Workshop 9.00am in the hall
15 th Sept	DEAR Sessions for Reception, Year 1 and Y5 Sparrowhawks in classrooms - 2.45pm
16 th Sept	DEAR Sessions for Nursery, Y3 Falcons and Y4 Kestrels in classrooms - 2.45pm
17 th Sept	DEAR Sessions for Y2 Kingfishers, Y5/6 Ospreys and Y6 Red Kites in classrooms - 2.45pm
22 nd Sept	Year 6 SATS information meeting 2.45pm in the hall
26 th Sept	MacMillan Coffee Morning Fundraiser in the school hall at 9.00am
29 th Sept	Phonics Workshop for Year 1 Parents at 9.00am in the hall
30 th Sept	Reception Class Live Phonics Lesson at 9.00am in classrooms
1 st October	Whole school launch day for Black History Month
1 st October onwards	Please bring in donations of food for our local food banks (dried foods such as pasta, rice, tinned food etc.)
6 th October	Whole school Harvest Assembly - (Nursery and Reception parents Invited)
7 th October	Multiplication Check Workshop for Y4 parents in Y4 Classroom - 2.45pm
8 th October	Open Morning 9.30 - 11.00am for prospective pupils
9 th October	Phonics Live Lesson for Parents in the Year 1 classroom at 9.00am - followed by a Phonics screening workshop at 9:30
9 th October	Open Evening 5.00pm - 6.00pm for prospective pupils
14 th October	Parents evening 3.30pm -5.30pm online booking system available on 1 st October
15 th October	Parents evening 3.30pm -5.30pm online booking system available on 1 st October
16 th October	Whole School assembly – Black History Month
16 th October	Last day of half term – school breaks up for two weeks
17 th October	Staff training day - school closed to pupils

Dear Parents and Carers,

And just like that, the year is over! I cannot believe that we have come to the end of another academic year; the year has flown by, and we have so many wonderful things to be proud of. It has been a year of so many exciting events for pupils and another year of success. We celebrated Primley Wood's highest ever results from Early Years all the way to Year 6. In Early Years we achieved 76% GLD (above the national average), in Year 1, we achieved 88% phonics pass rate (above the national average), in Year 4, we achieved our highest multiplication check result, in Year 6, we had our highest ever combined results in reading, writing and maths (again above the national average). This is testament to our hard-working staff team and to our wonderful pupils who are relishing learning opportunities and developing key virtues. It is also testament to our parents for supporting your child's learning. It has been delightful to see so many parents coming into live lessons and workshops over the year to learn how to support your child. As well as achieving well, we have had an abundance of personal development opportunities for our pupils from poetry recitals, bake offs to talent shows!

This year was also met with a wonderful Ofsted inspection that highlighted several fantastic things about our school. We also celebrate the development of our virtues-led curriculum whereby key virtues such as kindness, compassion and forgiveness are becoming instilled into our pupils. Next year, we hope to build on these successes.

We kindly ask that over the summer as you prepare for the new academic year, that you really adhere to the uniform standards. Research has shown that when children wear smart uniform every day - it raises the standards of learning and behaviour. Equally important is that your child regularly attends school. Having carefully analysed our results from this year, there is a positive correlation between those children who attend regularly and those who have achieved well. Please support us in ensuring that your child achieves success by bringing your child to school every day and on time.

We would like to wish our Year 6 pupils who move on to secondary school the best of luck and happiness in their future. We are incredibly proud of their perseverance and resilience shown this year and the strides of progress they have made. We really enjoyed watching their end of year performance and there wasn't a dry eye in the room during their graduation ceremony. We look forward to hearing about their future success in the future. A special thank you to the Year 6 parents for your support and partnership - we will also miss you all.

We wish all our pupils, parents and carers a wonderful summer and thank you for a fantastic year.

We look forward to welcoming you all back on Thursday 4th September.

Sit back, relax and please enjoy our summer 2 newsletter.

Kindest regards,

Mrs Seetle Kaur
Headteacher of Primely Wood Primary Nishkam

Read all about us...

Nursery

In our final term of Nursery, we've had a wonderful time exploring our exciting topic, *Cool Creatures*! The children have been busy learning about a wide range of animals, from wild safari creatures like elephants and lions to fascinating sea animals such as turtles and whales. Through stories, role play, art, and sensory activities, the children showed such enthusiasm and curiosity, asking brilliant questions and sharing what they knew. It's been a joy to see their love for animals shine through every activity.



In maths, the children have been busy developing their early number skills. We've been practicing counting with care, recognising numbers in our environment, and using subitising to quickly see how many without counting each item. The children have also enjoyed exploring colours and shapes, building patterns, sorting objects, and creating pictures using 2D shapes.



These playful activities have helped build the children's confidence and understanding of important mathematical concepts in a meaningful way.



We've also been working hard on developing both our gross and fine motor skills. From balancing, running, and throwing in preparation for Sports Day, to practicing pencil control and mark-making to get ready for name writing, the children have been focused and resilient. We have been threading, cutting, painting, and enjoying lots of outdoor play which has helped strengthen those little muscles and build coordination, focus, and confidence.



One of our key stories this term was *The Ugly Duckling*, which the children absolutely loved. We explored the themes of kindness, belonging, and growing up through story time, role play, and creative activities. The children painted their own ducklings, built nests using natural materials, and acted out the story with puppets. We also had some lovely class discussions about feelings and friendship, using the story to reflect on how we treat others and how everyone is special in their own way.



Well done, Nursery! You've all worked so hard this year and grown in so many ways — we are so proud of every one of you. Your excitement for learning, your kindness to one another, and your willingness to try new things have made this nursery extra special. Have a fantastic summer and good luck to all as you embark on the next chapter of your learning journey.

Reception

Wow, what a jam-packed half term it's been! We've had sports day races, talent contest showstoppers, and a super sunny summer fayre—and that's just what's happened outside of the classroom!

In class, we've been exploring all sorts of amazing animals. We've looked at how chicks hatch, how butterflies grow wings, and how frogs hop through their life cycle. Lots of curious questions and wide eyes along the way.

Our literacy focus was *The Very Hungry Caterpillar*, and we went all in! We acted it out, interviewed the characters, and made story maps to help tell the tale. Then the real fun began—everyone gave it their own twist! We had all sorts of new characters munching everything from marshmallows to mangoes. The children wrote their own versions and performed them like pros!

In Maths, we've been spotting patterns, putting numbers in order, sharing, grouping, and talking about where things are using positional language. All sorts of practical activities and games made it lots of fun.



And in PE, the children have been full of energy and enthusiasm as they developed their gymnastics skills and explored movement to music. From balancing and rolling to stretching and jumping,

they've built confidence and coordination while mastering a variety of gymnastic moves. Whether flowing like ribbons or stomping like dinosaurs, their creativity truly came alive during dance sessions—turning beats into brilliant routines.



And as we wrap up this unforgettable half term, we're also getting ready for a brand-new adventure, Year One! The children have had the chance to visit their new classroom and meet their lovely new teacher, which has sparked lots of excitement. They got to explore some of the activities they'll be doing next year and had fun chatting with their teacher about what Year One will be like.

There's been a real buzz about starting the next chapter, and we couldn't be prouder of how confident and ready they're all feeling. It's hard to believe how far they've come since their very first day of Reception, what an incredible journey! We've loved every moment with them and can't wait to see all the amazing things they'll achieve next year.



Year 1

What a busy and fantastic final half-term we had in Year 1!

It began with the Phonics Screening Check, and the children were INCREDIBLE! We had lots of high scores and now we are ready to read more challenging texts in Year 2.

In English our text was *The Snail and the Whale*. We wrote a letter and a diary entry using lots of adjectives and a range of punctuation. Our stamina and handwriting continue to improve, and we produced some excellently published pieces. Lots of us are getting a real flair for writing and enjoy showing off our virtue of creativity.

In Maths we have explored lots of different topics, such as position and direction, money and time. We now know the difference between left and right and we have learned how to use coins and notes to pay for various items. These skills will help us in the wider world!



Our science lessons have been super exciting and have helped us develop sticky knowledge in the subject. We have measured the width of trees and the length of animal prints, and we also made our own animal homes out of sticks and leaves. We have developed our understanding of the importance of fair testing and have discussed how to improve our experiments next time.



In our Geography lessons we explored the context of the UK by learning the names of the seven continents (with help from a catchy song!) and developed our understanding of where we are in the world. We have had a big focus on identifying human and physical features in the environment, which involved fieldwork on our school grounds.

We then looked at the country of China, specifically the city of Shanghai. We learnt about the culture and landscape of China and compared it to the UK.



Our Sports Day took place on Friday 27th June and Year 1 showed how amazing they are, in both their athletic ability and sportsmanship. We all had a great time taking part and kept our smiles on all morning. It was hard to keep track of all the stickers we got!

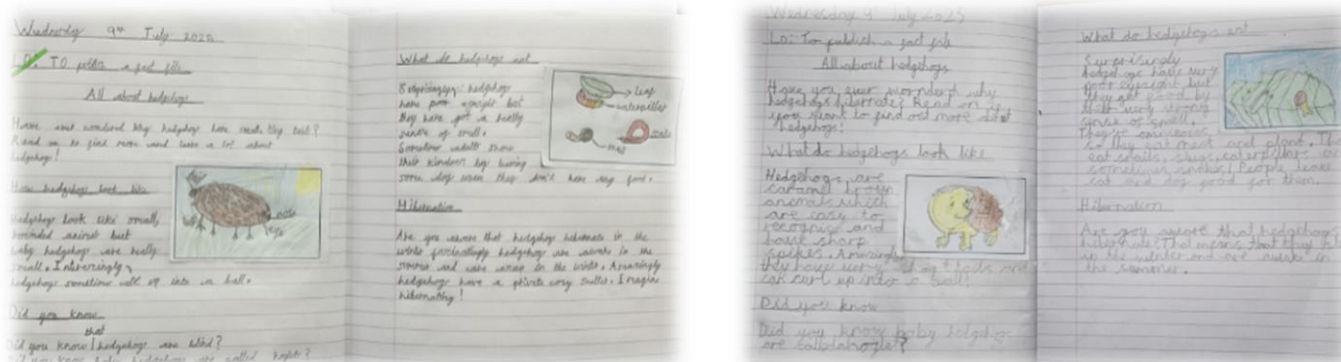
Primley Wood's Got Talent came around in July and lots of us were so excited to take part! After our class auditions, we sent two acts through to the final show – a group of gymnasts and a group of dancers. The children worked hard and made some wonderful performances. Nightingales definitely have got talent!

As we come to the end of the school year, we just want to say how proud we are of every child in Year 1. They have worked their socks off and deserve a restful summer break. Good luck to everyone in Year 2 – you are going to be amazing! 😊



Year 2

Wow what an amazing final half-term we have had in Year 2! In English, we have really enjoyed reading our funny English text 'The Hodgehog'. We wrote a diary entry and a fact file using lots of adjectives, facts and a range of punctuation. We have produced some excellently published pieces.



In design and technology, the children have had buckets of fun showing their virtue of creativity.



We really enjoyed our trip to our local library, Moor Allerton, with many children being inspired and signing up for the library themselves! It was fantastic to see the children immersed in a variety of books and sharing these with each other.



In geography, we have explored the coast and the seaside, using atlases to locate different coasts. Also, we have compared what the seaside was like in the past, comparing it to what it is like now in the present. Lots of children were able to share their own experiences from the coast too, which was lovely to hear from.



Year 2 worked hard practising for sports day and had an amazing time – they loved the cycle of skills and enjoyed all of the races, particularly the egg and spoon race!



We have some very talented (and competitive) athletes!

Lastly, I want to say farewell to everyone at Primley, children, staff and parents. I have enjoyed my 2.5 years at Primley Wood so much. A huge thank you to our lovely parents for all your continued support this year. I have enjoyed teaching your wonderful children every single day. Every one of them should be so proud of how much progress they have achieved not just academically, but with resilience and responsibility too. They are ready for the next step and I'm sure they will go on to do amazing things! Thank you all, Miss Rowe.

Year 3

What a wonderful final term in Year 3! Falcon's class have been so busy with talent shows, ukelele solos, sports day and a school trip!



The children loved reading our class text *Gorilla*, which inspired some fantastic discussions and first-person narrative writing! The children's inference skills have developed so much over this year which is down to their wonderful commitment to reading every day.

In DT, we learnt all about the different features of castles, designing our own and making our own castle features out of 3D nets. The children really embraced this topic and had lots of inquisitive questions all about the function of castles.



This term has also been amazing for the children's personal development and has offered a lot more than just classroom-based work. The children showed their virtue of creativity by proudly taking part in an Art Day which showcased some of their wonderful artwork. Falcons also took part in Sports Day, which I was incredibly proud of them for. They practised in PE lessons in the run up to Sports Day and we spoke a lot about what it takes to be a good Sportsperson and why it is important to encourage our friends. Our class representatives for the Talent Show were Jo-Ann, Aadam, Shreyan and Bhavraj who all shone like the super stars that they are.



Lastly, I wanted to say a huge thank you from myself and my Y3 team for all your support over the last year. I have thoroughly enjoyed my first year here at Primley Wood and the children have been an absolute delight to teach. I am proud of every single one of them and the hard work they have put in this year. I wish them all the best for Y4 and hope they enjoy a well-deserved summer break!

Year 4 Kestrels

What an exciting and busy time we have had this half term in Kestrels. The children have engaged with and produced some wonderful work to finish off year 4.



They have immersed themselves in the book 'Krindlekrax', following a small and unsuspecting Ruskin who tries to solve the mystery of the strange beast of Lizard Street. With lots of interesting characters as well as twists and turns, Kestrels have really enjoyed using their reading skills to study the book.

Kestrels have also used their imagination to write their own descriptive writing. Using the Krindlekrax as inspiration, children have designed their own monster and written a short story. They have really focused on making sure they have included similes, expanded noun phrases and speech to create some brilliant stories.



We have been looking at statistics in maths and plotting charts and graphs. This was used in our very messy science experiment to show our findings of if the viscosity of a liquid affects how quickly it flows. They have also been showing their inner artists by looking at repeating patterns. Using the inspiration of the rainforest, children have created their own abstract images to be used for patterns.



As well as classroom learning, we have had loads of exciting things going on at Primley this half term. The summer fair was a huge success, and everyone had a brilliant time (even after having to take part in soak the teacher). We were also treated to our talent show. Well done Milan and Layla for representing our class so well, you both did an amazing job. Sports was another fantastic afternoon for Kestrels. It was great seeing the determination and encouragement from the whole class.

I just want to say a gigantic well done the whole of Kestrels class. You are an amazing class, and it has been an absolute pleasure to teach you all. *Mr Rendle*

Year 4 Merlins

What a busy and exciting half term we've had in Merlins' class! We've had concerts, performances, talent shows, the summer fair, bake off and much, much more!

The children loved reading and learning about 'Krindlekrax,' the monster of the sewers in Philip Ridley's bestselling children's book. They wrote their own (frightening!) stories around the same theme. Art has been fun, drawing and making repeated patterns using different media and the children also used their artistic flair in science to make an informative leaflet about the viscosity of liquids. That was a fun and very messy science experiment!



I'm very proud of the talent in our class:

we've had sports day superstars who have run, skipped and hurdled their way to success; baking talent and delicious cakes; singing and dancing at the talent show; designing posters, games and activities for the summer fair and a guitar and ukulele performance in which 2 of our class demonstrated the amount they have learnt in just 18 months of music lessons.

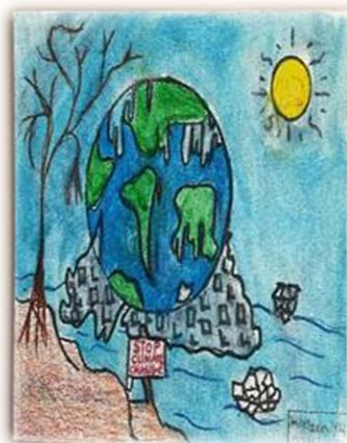


As a unique initiative, Merlins class has been really considering what it means to be good to the environment. They have cut down on wasted resources, recycled their own paper every day (thank you parents too) and advised me to print less and laminate less still. Great work Eco warriors!



I will miss teaching Merlins class – they have been amazing this year!

Thank you all.



Year 5 Tawny Owls

As we wrap up the final half term of this academic year, I am thrilled to share all the amazing achievements and activities your children have embraced with enthusiasm and curiosity.

In English, the class read the book "There's a Boy in the Girls' Bathroom," a story that opened the door to deep and meaningful conversations about compassion and friendship. It's been heartwarming to see them express their thoughts so maturely. Our Maths lessons were filled with excitement as we explored decimals and dived into the world of negative numbers. The children have shown remarkable perseverance and understanding in tackling these more challenging concepts.



Science has been particularly engaging, with our focus on 'Changes in Materials'. The children had a blast with hands-on experiments and even embarked on a science walk around the school, a fantastic way to see science in action all around us! In RE, we took our learning outdoors, creating artwork using natural materials found in our playground, this wonderful lesson with Mrs Kaur allowed the children to connect with nature and express their creativity in the fresh air.



The term has been filled with so much more than learning in the classroom and the children have participated in many activities across school. We took part in an Art Day, showcasing the children's extraordinary creations in our very own art gallery here at Primley. Sports Day was another highlight, where despite the heat, the children exhibited wonderful sportsmanship, cheering each other on with great spirit. Finally, our talent show was a memorable event with impressive performances by Pana, Miheeka, and Roz, who truly dazzled the audience.



I am incredibly proud of every child. Their growth, both academically and personally, has been a joy to witness. Being their teacher has been an absolute privilege, and I have loved every moment shared with them this year, I wish them a wonderful summer break and all the best for Year 6.

Year 5 Sparrowhawks

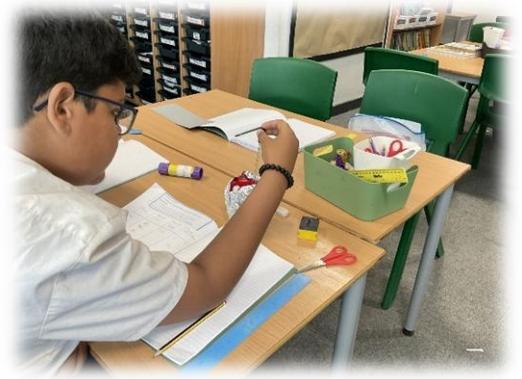
What a brilliant Summer Term it's been in Sparrowhawks Class! We've been busy, creative, and curious, with plenty of learning and laughter along the way.



In English, the children have explored the magic of rhyme and poetry, writing heartfelt and imaginative poems about moving into Year 6 - full of excitement and reflection.

Over in maths, we've been diving into decimals, negative numbers, converting units and exploring how these numbers relate to the world around us, all while strengthening our times tables through fun games and competitive challenges.

Science has been a hands-on adventure as we investigated materials with experiments galore – our young scientists have really embraced testing, observing, and drawing conclusions like pros! In geography, we've travelled far and wide (virtually, of course!) studying the world's deserts. From the Sahara to the Gobi, the children have loved discovering the unique landscapes and wildlife found in the driest places on Earth.



And of course, one of the highlights of the term was Sports Day – what an amazing day of energy and teamwork! Year 5 truly impressed us all with their skills, enthusiasm, and sportsmanship.

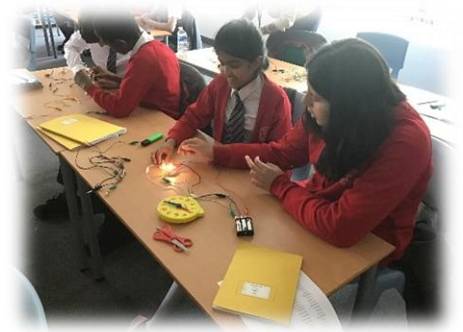
As we wrap up the year, I just want to say how much I've loved being the Sparrowhawks' teacher. It's been a joy to teach such a bright, energetic, and positive class. I'll truly miss the spirit they bring into the classroom every day – thank you, Sparrowhawks, for a fantastic year!

Year 6 Red Kites

What a whirlwind half term it has been as we waited out for our results and rehearsed for our end of year show! Alongside becoming actors, the children have still been working hard and have continued to further explore new topics and reinforce prior learning.

Lots of time was dedicated to our performance. The children took to this brilliantly and enjoyed the opportunity to act. Lots of children showed determination in learning their lines and lots of resilience by putting their all into their character-even if this did make them feel slightly silly! The children really threw themselves at this new challenge and I couldn't have been prouder of them. I hope that you enjoyed the show too if you got to see it!

Within their science lessons, the children have been learning about electrical circuits, how they work and where we can find them in everyday life. The children really enjoyed working practically throughout this topic (as you can see within the pictures).



As it is their final term in primary school ever, this term has also been filled with lots of fun! From water fights, pizza parties, discos, extra P.E to a Go Ape trip, the children have really enjoyed the last couple of weeks here at Primley. I hope they all find the same success within their high school, and I wish them the best of luck.



Phonics Screening – Celebration of results



It has been a great year for academic success at Primley Wood, and the Year 1 phonics screening results were one of those incredible achievements. This year **88%** of our Year 1 children passed the screening check by achieving a score of 32 or above out of a possible 40. This puts Primley Wood above the national average for phonics! We were so proud of how well the children performed and approached the check with such determination. Well done to all of you!

Multiplication Check – Celebration of Results

Well Done Year 4! The results of this year's Multiplication Tables Check were the best we've ever had! 46% of the children scored 25/25 and 78% of the children scored over 20/25. Absolutely brilliant! Well done!

Thank you for your effort and to your parents and carers for their perseverance in helping you to practise. Remember to keep practising. Knowing your timetables is a skill needed for life.



Art Gallery

This term, the whole school took part in an exciting art competition based on the theme *Earth's Changing Colour*. Each year group worked incredibly hard to create thoughtful and creative pieces, either individually or collaboratively, using a range of art techniques they have been developing throughout the year. The theme inspired meaningful discussions about how we can look after our planet and appreciate the beauty of nature. The standard of artwork was outstanding across all classes, making it a very difficult decision to choose just one winner. In the end, a huge congratulations went to Poppy in Year 2, who was our overall winner and proudly received her prize.



Sports Day

What an incredible day we had at this year's Sports Day! The sun came out (eventually), the field was buzzing with energy, and our pupils gave it their all in every race, relay, and challenge. From the first event to the last, it was a joy to see so much enthusiasm, determination, and sportsmanship on display.

A huge thank you to all the parents and carers who came along to cheer from the sidelines and take part- your support made the day truly special. The parents' race was a real highlight, filled with laughter and competitive spirit - we're still talking about it!

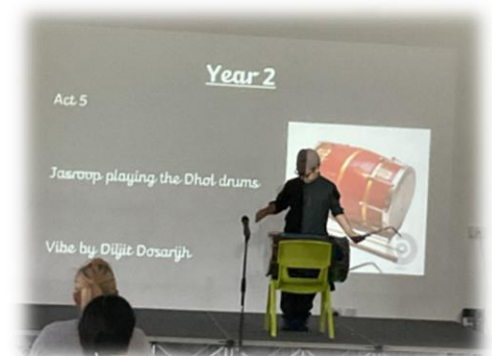
One of the most heartwarming parts of the day was the presentation of our Sportsmanship Awards, recognising the best sportsman from each class. These pupils stood out not just for their physical ability, but for their attitude, encouragement of others, and true team spirit. Well done to all our winners – and to every child who took part with a smile.

It was a day full of memorable moments, and we're already looking forward to next year. Thank you again to everyone who helped make Primley Wood Sports Day 2025 such a brilliant success!



Primley's Got Talent Show

The Primley Wood Talent Show was a huge success! It was a way for the whole school to show off their wonderful talents. Every child got the opportunity to perform to an audience and then each class chose two acts which were put forward for the final show. We had everything: *gymnastics, drums, the macarena to a magic show!* It was amazing! A huge well done to every child that auditioned and to those that showed braveness and confidence in performing for the whole school and parents! A huge thank you to Mrs. Rai, Miss Harar and Ms. Dennis for helping to put the show together and special thanks to our fabulous *mini-Ant and Dec*, Avirup and Marcus, for presenting so confidently!



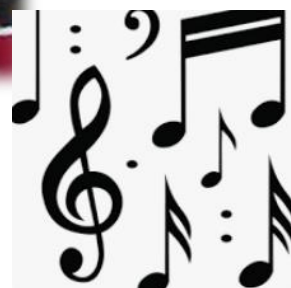
The Great Primley Wood Bake Off

At the end of term, some families got their aprons on, showcased the virtue of creativity and entered The Great Primley Wood Bake Off! We had so many incredible entries which made it so difficult to judge – Paul Hollywood would be impressed! After a lot of deliberation, the 5 winners were...



Guitar and Ukulele Concert

Thank you to Ruori from Front Row Music and to all our amazing performers. You have only been having guitar and ukulele lessons for just over a year and your concert was AMAZING! The huge turn out from parents and friends to cheer you on was also amazing – thank you to everyone who came to support them. We look forward to finding out how much Ruori can teach you next year...



Summer Fair

We are thrilled to share the wonderful time we all had at our recent Summer Fair, which took place after school last week. It was a vibrant celebration filled with joy, community spirit, and sunny weather, marking the perfect end to a fantastic year.

Firstly, a huge thank you to all the parents and children who attended and contributed to making the event a tremendous success. Your enthusiasm and support truly brought our school community together. A special thank you to Zayan and Seva's family who donated a great quantity of food and prizes.



The festivities were abundant with exciting activities and attractions; the ever-popular face painting booth and the bouncy castle and bouncy slide were a big hit, providing endless fun and laughter. The penalty shootout showcased our young sports enthusiasts' football skills, and a special thank you goes out to everyone who participated in 'Splat the Teacher', you certainly made quite the splash!



We were especially delighted by the impressive array of baked goods at the fair. Our talented bakers presented an assortment of delicious treats that were not only scrumptious but also a testament to their creativity and skill. The day was truly one to remember, with the school grounds filled with the sound of laughter and the warmth of the sun. It was the perfect setting to celebrate the achievements of the past year. Thank you once again to everyone who made this event possible. We raised an impressive £800 for our school which will go into our Primley Wood Pupils' Bank Account.



Year 3 Trip to Royal Armouries

We are thrilled to share the wonderful experience Year 3 had on their recent trip to the Royal Armouries. It was a day filled with excitement, learning, and plenty of fun that we're sure your children will remember for years to come!

Our day began with the whole class transforming into Roman soldiers, in which we had the incredible opportunity to learn how to march just like the soldiers of old and practiced getting into formation to protect ourselves from a Celtic attack. The children listened carefully and took on their new roles with great enthusiasm. Next, we ventured to a roundhouse where we delved into the fascinating history of Boudicca's rebellion. The children were captivated as they learned about this significant event. Discussions ignited as each child imagined which side they might have joined, the Romans or the Celts. It was wonderful to see them engage in history in such a meaningful way.



After a well-deserved lunch, we explored the Gladiator exhibit. This interactive display was not only interesting but also offered our young explorers a deeper insight into the lives of gladiators. The hands-on activities and displays truly sparked their curiosity and enhanced their understanding of this period in history. The day at the Royal Armouries was indeed amazing. The children's behaviour was exemplary, and their eagerness to learn made the trip more special. We are incredibly proud of how they represented our school.



Year 6 Results

The children in Year 6 made incredible progress this year and performed very well within their SATs testing scoring 83% in reading, 80% in their writing and 70% within their maths (40% of the class obtaining a greater depth standard) - a fantastic achievement! This is due to the children's hard work over the year, and they should enjoy a long break before they transition to high school! A huge thank you to all of the staff who did an early morning, after-school or easter booster to support our Year 6 pupils and to Mr Rhodes-Hey.

Go Ape

As a Year 6 treat, the children embarked on a trip to Go Ape! There were a few nervy moments when the climbs started to get higher, but all children gave it their all and had a great time. Whether it was clambering through the obstacles, balancing across beams situated 10 metres off the ground or zooming down a zipline, the children had a blast!



Year 6 end of primary school celebrations

The celebrations started with a wonderful performance. Our Year 6 pupils acted and sang beautifully!



The class then enjoyed an end of year disco with a special DJ, pizza, games and much more! A huge thank you to Mrs Sandeep Kaur who organised this, Miss K for delivering us delicious pizza and to all the staff who helped on the evening. Also, a special thank you to Christiana's cool mum – what a fantastic DJ!



On the final day, we had a wonderful graduation ceremony whereby pupils shared their special memories and took to the stage as they were presented with a graduation certificate.



Mr Rhodes-Hey and Mrs Kaur were in for a surprise as at the end of the ceremony they were asked to take to the stage where they were presented with a certificate and medal of their own! Although very embarrassed, they were deeply touched by this sentiment and thankful for the gratitude and appreciation shown by our pupils and parents.



Finally, at home time, we all congregated in the Key Stage 2 playground as we clapped and cheered, as our pupils walked out of the Primley Wood building for the very last time. There was sad and happy tears from all.

Spreading the magic called kindness...

A heart-felt thank you to all of our parents and carers for your support this year. Your kindness and support means the world to the staff team.

A huge congratulations to Mr Scott-Johnson and his wife Lucinda who welcomed a gorgeous baby boy to their family.

We wish Miss Eames a magical wedding day and cannot wait to see how beautiful she will look on her big day.

We send our love to Mr Rhodes-Hey and his wife as they await to welcome their new baby.

To all the staff leaving this year – we thank you for all of your hard work and time at Primley Wood and wish you lots of luck for the future.

An almighty thank you to the Primley Wood staff team on a fantastic year – our hard work is paying off. Have a well-deserved rest.

Primley Wood pupils – you make the staff team so proud. We hope you enjoy your holiday, don't forget to read, read and read!

To our Year 6 pupils – as you embark on your new journey and take the next big step, always remember we never stop caring about you and we are always here if you need us. You will all be amazing in high school and we can't wait to hear about your future success. We are so proud of you.

Have a wonderful summer all!