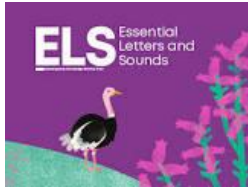


Friday 6<sup>th</sup> October 2023

**Supporting your child with phonics and early reading**

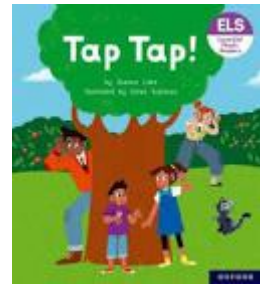


We use ELS as our phonics programme to support children in learning to read. We understand how tricky phonics can be so we want to hold an open morning and parent/carer event to help you in supporting your child with reading.

We invite **Reception parents/carers** to an open classroom and parent workshop on the morning of **Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> October 2023 10-11 a.m.**

**Y1 parents/carers** are invited to an open classroom and parent workshop on the morning of **Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October 2023 9-10 a.m.**

It's a great opportunity to see what your children are learning and we hope you will join us.



**Attendance**

At Park View Primary Academy we expect children to achieve an attendance target of **96%** and above. We monitor the attendance of all children very closely and support parents and carers to ensure that children come to school regularly and on time.

ATTENDANCE AND ABSENCE BY YEAR GROUP							
	1	2	3	4	5	6	Academy
Present	93.9%	94.6%	92.2%	97.3%	95.4%	92.9%	94.4%

<b>94.4%</b>		
96.1% NATIONAL	95.8% REGIONAL	95.1% LA
-1.7%	-1.3%	-0.7%



Coughs and colds: **Should I keep my child off school?** The NHS has provided some useful information around when/when not to send your child to school. It can be found here by scanning the QR code.



**Breakfast Club – here to help!**



**REMINDER:** Park View runs an 'Open Door' breakfast club to support our families. If this is something that would help you and your family, please just come to the Family Link Centre on the days you need to use it. It is open to children from Reception to Y6.



**Opening:** 8 a.m Monday-Friday

**Cost:** 50p per child, per day

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**School lunches – price increase**



A review of school meal prices has been undertaken by the catering company that provides our school meals. From **Monday 30<sup>th</sup> October 2023**, the price will now be **£2.20 per meal** for pupils.

**Nursery Harvest Collection**



Our Nursery pupils have been learning about how they can help their local community. They are collecting tinned and packaged food such as biscuits, cereals, dried pasta, snack bars and tinned soup and vegetables. If any families with older children would like to support this, they can bring the items to their class where they will be collected and distributed to a local foodbank.

**After school sports clubs**

It has been great to see the start to our new after school sports clubs. Our pupil leadership team have been a valuable support in getting these set up having discussed what clubs their classes would like to see offered. So far this half term we have offered Dodgeball, Basketball, Cricket and Football. We are hoping that these will regularly change to ensure we offer a variety of opportunities to entice a wide range of pupils to attend.



**Important Dates**

**Monday 9th October – SCHOOL PHOTOS** – individual and family

**Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> October (10-11a.m)** - **Reception phonics** - open classroom and parent workshop

**Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> October (9-10a.m)** - **Y1 phonics** - open classroom and parent workshop

**Monday 6<sup>th</sup> November – SCHOOL CLOSED** – staff training day

**22nd/23<sup>rd</sup> November** – Parents’ Evenings

You can find next year’s **term dates** on our school website: [www.pvpa.org.uk](http://www.pvpa.org.uk)

2023	August	September	October	November	December	
Monday	31 7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25	
Tuesday	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26	
Wednesday	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25	8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27	
Thursday	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26	9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28	
Friday	4 11 18 25	8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27	10 17 24 31	8 15 22 29	
Saturday	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25	2 9 16 23 30	
Sunday	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24 31	8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31	
2024	January	February	March	April	May	June
Monday	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	4 11 18 25	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25	3 10 17 24
Tuesday	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27	5 12 19 26	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26	4 11 18 25
Wednesday	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	6 13 20 27	8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27	5 12 19 26
Thursday	4 11 18 25	8 15 22 29	7 14 21 28	9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28	6 13 20 27
Friday	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30	8 15 22 29	10 17 24 31	8 15 22 29	7 14 21 28
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2024	July	August	195 day school year (5 of these are training days)			
Monday	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26				
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