

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> October 2023

**'Road to Wembley' football tournament**



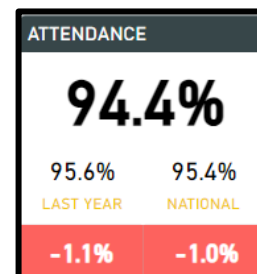
It was great to see a selection of our UKS2 pupils excited to take part in the city-wide 'Road to Wembley' football tournament at Goal Football on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> October 2023.

The selected pupils were great representatives of Park View Primary Academy and while they may not have progressed to the next round, they did not disappoint in showing off their amazing talent! I think we may have some future professional footballers!

**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. Here is our current attendance:

ATTENDANCE AND ABSENCE BY YEAR GROUP							
	1	2	3	4	5	6	Academy
Present	92.9%	94.7%	93.1%	96.3%	95.2%	94.4%	94.4%



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.



**Learning at home**

Some parents have recently attended workshops where we have shared how to support children at home with their learning.



**Phonics** – here is a QR code that will help you support your child as they learn the letter sounds (GPCs). This code links to our website where there are helpful videos.

**Reading** – Pupils have a reading book and a reading record. We aim for home reading 3 Xs a week which should be recorded in the reading record.



Key Stage 2 pupils also use Reading Plus where they access more books and reading activities using their PVPA



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**Spelling and Times Tables** – KS2 pupils use the Emile Education App on their tablets. Spelling activities are set by the class teacher linked to the class work from that week. Here, times tables can be practised through games, challenges and battles.



**After school sports clubs**

We are delighted to announce that we will continue this half-term’s clubs into the Autumn 2 half-term. If your child has already been attending this half-term, they may continue to do so after the holidays. If your child has not yet attended and are interested in taking part in one of our clubs, then please contact the office. Club details are listed here:

Day	Club	Year Groups
Monday	Basketball	3, 4, 5, 6
Tuesday	Dodgeball	1, 2
Wednesday	Cricket	3, 4, 5, 6
Thursday	Football	1, 2

All clubs run from **3:15 - 4:15 p.m.**



**Important Dates**

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

**Monday 13<sup>th</sup> November** – Y6 Dodgeball Tournament

**Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> November** – Delta’s Imagination Gaming (selected Y5 pupils)

**Friday 17<sup>th</sup> November** – Children In Need – Own Clothes Day

**Monday 20<sup>th</sup> November** – Y5 Houses of Parliament Visit

**Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> November** – Inclusion Tenpin Bowling (selected pupils)

**22<sup>nd</sup> and 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	8 11 18 25	2 9 16 23 30	8 13 20 27	4 11 18 25
Tuesday	1 6 13 20 26	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	1 8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27
Thursday	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28
Friday	4 11 18 25 1	8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24 1	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 1	8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31

2024	January	February	March	April	May	June
Monday	8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	4 11 18 25	8 15 22 29	13 20 27	3 10 17 24
Tuesday	9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25
Wednesday	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24 1	8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26
Thursday	4 11 18 25 1	8 15 22 29	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25 2	9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27
Friday	5 12 19 26 2	9 16 23 30	8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26 3	10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28
Saturday	6 13 20 27 3	10 17 24 31	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27 4	11 18 25 1	8 15 22 29
Sunday	7 14 21 28 4	11 18 25 2	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28 5	12 19 26 2	9 16 23 30

2024	July	August
Monday	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26
Tuesday	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27
Wednesday	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28
Thursday	4 11 18 25 1	8 15 22 29
Friday	5 12 19 26 2	9 16 23 30 3
Saturday	6 13 20 27 3	10 17 24 31 7
Sunday	7 14 21 28 4	11 18 25 1 8

195 day school year (25 of these are training days)

Bank Holiday  
 Holiday  
 INSET Academy Closed  
 Autumn term = 75 days  
 Spring term = 54 days  
 Summer term = 66 days

Total = 195

