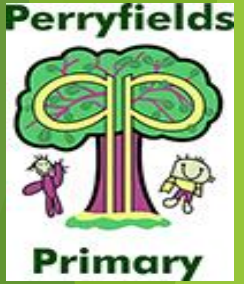


Welcome to Perryfields Primary School.

► Growing and Learning Together

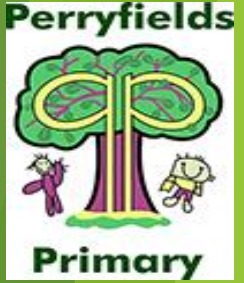
Year 3



Introduction to our Senior Leadership Team

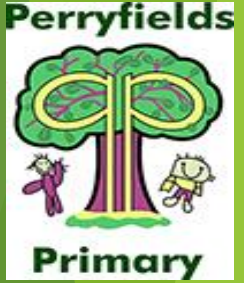
- ▶ Head teacher Mrs Jones
- ▶ Deputy Head Mr Spittle
- ▶ SENCo Mrs Jinks
- ▶ Early Years Lead Mrs Rudge
- ▶ English Lead Mrs Bates
- ▶ Maths Lead Mrs Houghton
- ▶ Support Staff Lead Miss Bedesha
- ▶ Family Link Mrs Bryan/Miss Maskell
- ▶ Please see our school website for all staff names and subject responsibilities.
- ▶ Any concerns about your child please arrange to speak to or meet your class teacher first.

Governors and PTFA



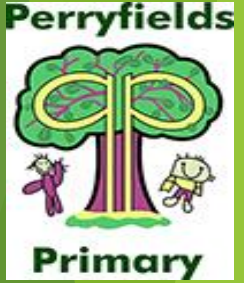
- ▶ Chair of Governors for the new academic year is Reverend Matt Nott
- ▶ Vice Chair of Governors is Jay Cowley
- ▶ Each Year group has a named link Governor.
- ▶ From September our Link Governor for Year 3 is Mrs Gill.
- ▶ Our PTFA organise a range of events to raise much need funds to improve the quality of our school environment and resources.
- ▶ We need your help and support if this group is to continue. If you are able to help in any way please help yourself to a letter at the end of this session.
Thanking you in advance.

Behaviour Recovery Programme



- ▶ Please refer to the Flow Chart outlining the process

On-line Safety



- ▶ This is a real priority - particularly as we are often faced with incidents that could potentially place children at risk.
- ▶ Previously we have offered workshops that have been poorly attended. In order to keep all our parents informed, we will be including updates in future events e.g. class assemblies.
- ▶ In the meantime please take an on-line safety leaflet for information. Please take time to watch the links as they are very informative.
- ▶ The best advice is to always be the POS (parent over shoulder) so that you are fully aware of your child's online activity. From experience most of the incidents have occurred when the child has been left to access their devices when not in the presence of a parent/carer./

Attendance and Punctuality

- ▶ During the last few years, the overall attendance of our pupils has declined.
- ▶ Our attendance target is 96% which takes into account the fact that pupils are occasionally ill.
- ▶ However, there is a growing number of pupils who are not attending school on a regular basis and have poor attendance. We need you to work with us to improve our attendance overall.
- ▶ Only 45 pupils out of 361 currently have 100% attendance (12%). This is our lowest figure ever.
- ▶ Please note that holiday leave during school term is not authorised.
- ▶ Punctuality is also very important to ensure the best possible start to the day so that no learning is missed.

Attendance Breakdown by Current Class

Current Class	No' of pupils less than 96%	Percentage of pupils less than 96%
Poppy	9	30%
Ruby	12	40%
Amber	13	43%
Marmalade	17	59%
Buttercups	12	40%
Sunflowers	14	47%
Emerald	7	23%
Willow	14	47%
Ocean	8	27%
Sky	14	45%
Sapphire	11	37%

Emerald Class

Mrs Millward



Willow Class

Miss Hollis



Support - Mrs Povey

In Year 3:

- The school day finishes at 3.25pm
- Children enter and exit school via the main playground door
- Coat pegs are downstairs
- Lunchbox storage are downstairs
- There is no set break time in the afternoon - teachers can decide whether the children require a 'brain break'.

- Children are encouraged to be more independent and responsible now that they are in Key Stage 2
- Support staff will not be checking book bags - children are encouraged to hand in homework, letters and money themselves as well as asking to change reading books when needed

- Homework will be set weekly on a Friday - Maths or English
- In addition, children will be expected to practise set spellings for a weekly test
- It is also important to practise times tables: 2x, 3x, 4x, 5x, 8x, 10x
- Please continue to listen to your child read and ask them questions about the text to improve comprehension skills

- We are planning to continue with phonics in the Autumn term for those children who need it
- Some children will be secure in all phonics phases and will be learning 'Basic Skills' in these sessions - this includes Year 3 spelling, punctuation and grammar work.
- Handwriting practice will also feature strongly in these sessions, as all children are expected to join their letters by the end of Year 3.

- Children will go swimming for half of the year: (Tuesday PM)
- Emerald - Autumn term and first half of Spring term (18.9.18)
- Willow - Second half of Spring term and Summer term

We would love some parent volunteers to help us on a rota basis. Without your support we may have to cancel this opportunity.

Themes

1 - Stone Age

(Autumn Term) (Assembly)

2 - Birmingham and Beyond

(Spring Term) (Possible Trip)

3 - Egyptians

(Summer Term) (Possible Trip) (Assembly)

Questions?

