

Pensans Post

Summer term 04/05/2018



Dear Parents and Carers,

As you know we use REAL projects at Pensans as a tool to make learning engaging and meaningful for your children. These projects are planned well in preceding term so we will begin planning for September right now!

We believe that your children benefit enormously through engagement with the community and the experts in our locality and beyond. If you have any ideas for projects or links to experts or organisations that would enhance the learning at Pensans please contact the school by Monday 14th May and let us know.

Enjoy the Bank Holiday sunshine that is forecast!

Angela Clay

Next week's Virtue

You are practicing

Understanding

when you...

- Concentrate and pay close attention
- Reflect on the meaning of things
- See the whole picture
- Resist distractions
- Put yourself in other people's shoes
- Forgive others and yourself when you make mistakes

Affirmation

I have an understanding mind. I see the truth about things. I have an understanding heart. I have empathy for other people's feelings.



Phase 2 children have been voting about who they want to donate the Children in Africa money they raised to.

They have decided that they want to give Salva Du's charity "Water for Sudan" £708 pounds, which will give 100 people in a village clean drinking water. They wanted to split the rest between Jackie Rice's charity in Ghana and Angela Peake's charity ACE. They both came in and spoke to the children about the work they do.

We would like to present these cheques during two assemblies. One will be on Wednesday 9th May when Jackie Rice will be coming in and one on Wednesday 16th May when Angela Peake will be coming in. Both will be in at 2.30pm.

We would like to invite all parents and families to attend either, or both, of these and see the money the children worked so hard to raise be finally handed over. We look forward to seeing you then!

Phase 2 team.





Is your child's class attendance on track? Our Spring attendance target is 97%. At 95.33% attendance we are just below our target.

Class	Weekly %	Rank
Butterflies	92.63%	9
Orange	89.75%	10
Green	96.93%	4
Lime	97.78%	2
Violet	96.14%	6
Amber	94.23%	7
Magenta	98.41%	1
Emerald	97.01%	3
Indigo	93.55%	8
Turquoise	96.89%	5
Whole School	95.33%	



Are you following us on Twitter?

Keep up-to-date with all of the exciting things that are going on @pensansschool.



School Dinners

School menus are on our school website and on the noticeboard by the school reception. There is also a handy guide to tell you which week is which. Week commencing 01/05/2018 is week 2.

Thanks to everyone who helped raise money for Pensans by bringing in a bag of unwanted clothes etc this week. We raised an amazing **£116**. We will be having another bag2school collection in the Autumn term!



Here are this weeks Mathletes:

Lime - Luke

Orange - Charlie

Green - Skyla

Amber - Cephia

Emerald - Jonathan

Turquoise - Jacob



Computer and video games have a Pan-European Game Information (PEGI) rating printed on the front of the case. If your child is at Pensans, any game they play or watch should have a green PEGI. Please be aware that playing games out of their age range is a child protection issue and be aware of what they are playing. Even if your child is only watching an older family member playing a game with a 12, 16 or 18 rating, they still are being exposed to unsuitable material.

Stars of the week



Butterflies	Whole Class	For fantastic listening, enthusiasm, manners and behaviour on our trip to National Maritime Museum.
Orange	Freya	For always being so kind, helpful and respectful around the school. A star every week!
Lime	Rylan	For his fantastic behaviour this week - keep it up!
Green	McKenzie	For his amazing learning attitude this week in all areas!
Violet	Angela	For her focus and determination during music lessons.
Amber	Madeleine	For showing great enthusiasm in all her learning this week!
Magenta	Seth and Josh	For their courage and perseverance in our Thursday swimming lesson, you are doing Magenta class proud!
Emerald	Jake	For enthusiasm in his storywriting and self-confidence to step in at the last minute to put together a 'courtesy' assembly. Keep it up Jake!
Turquoise	Bethany	For having a really positive attitude to her learning all week and recognising when to use the 5Bs.
Indigo	Tia	For your constant positive attitude towards learning and others, your peacefulness and helpfulness in class and kindness and friendliness to others!



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