

Whoever you are, be happy, be safe, be kind, stay sensible, love learning.

Keep caring!'



## The Perryfields Post

#### Dear Parents and Carers

Next week we have one of our Open Afternoons. This is another opportunity to look at your children's fabulous work together. It is always wonderful to see the progress from the front of a book to the back. The children love to share and talk about their learning and all of the exciting things they have done. On Tuesday, please allow the staff to see out all the children safely and then once all of the children have been sent out safely, please come back into the class and look at the work in their trays. Tuesday 21st May 3:05pm—3:45pm.

This week we have had a visit from our School Improvement Lead within our Chelmsford Learning Partnership Academy Trust. This entailed speaking with our PE, Writing and PSHE lead teachers. They also got to speak with a wide selection of the children about these subjects with their books and the feedback was extremely positive. The children were extremely polite, thoughtful, confident and could clearly articulate their skills and knowledge of these subjects. They were great ambassadors for the school and we are extremely proud of them.

## The Big Question



As you are aware our Core Value this half term is SELF-BELIEF. We have been talking about self-esteem and what it means to have confidence in ourselves. We discussed how we are all different which is positive and that we are all special with different skills and talents that we should be proud of. The Big Question to discuss further at home is '<u>What things do you think you could have more confidence in and why? Discuss.</u>

## Non-uniform Day—Friday 24th May

For our summer inflatables day we are holding a coloured rainbow hamper raffle (tickets are available on PTA events). Please can you bring in a donation to celebrate non-uniform day. The donation needs to be the colour of your child's class:

## Ruby—red, Topaz—blue, Emerald—green, Sapphire—orange, Diamond— yellow and Pearl—purple.

Donations can include but are not limited to : candles, drinks, sweets, stationary, toys, hair accessories, toiletries, chocolate, games, crafts, books etc. Please NO NUTS. <u>Please can donations be brought into school on</u> <u>Thursday 23rd and Friday 24th May next week</u>—thank you.

#### Perryfields Infant School

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#### Dates for your diary...

- 21st May—Open Afternoon 3:05-3:30pm
- 23rd May—Last Thursday Club 3.05-3.45pm
- 24th May—Last Day
- 24th May—Non-Uniform Day
- HALF-TERM
- 3rd June—INSET day (staff training no pupils)
- 4th June—Back to school
- 7th June—KS1 swimming starts
- 7th June—Summer Fayre inflatables 3.00-5.30pm
- 11th June—EYFS Call of the Wild trip
- 17th—21st June— National Sports Week
- 18th June—Sports Day PM at 1:30pm
- 25th—New intake Induction
- 27th June—Reserve Sports Day
- 28th June—Sponsored Olympic Walk
- 2nd July—New Intake Induction
- 11th July—Move Around Day

## Year 1 Tríp—Barleylands Farm

Last week the Year 1 children had their school trip to Barleylands Farm. The trip linked to their learning on healthy eating and everyone had a fun time. The work from the trip has been fantastic with a recount of the trip, letters to the farm and computer work on the trip. A big thank you to all the parents for contributing to the trip to make this possible and for all the parents who helped on the trip—FAB!

#### Dates continued.....

- 12th July—Last KS1 swimming
- 23rd July—Last Day—half day school closes at 1:15pm (no Peardrops)

# FRIDAY TH JUNE INFLATABLES DAY ICKETS ARE NOW ON SALE ON THE PTA SITE https://www.pta-events.co.uk/ friendsofperryfieldinfants/

## Save the Date—7th June

This year our really popular summer inflatables day will be on <u>Friday</u> <u>7th June 3:00pm—5:30pm. TICKETS ARE NOW AVAILABLE ON</u> <u>PTA EVENTS.</u> If you are able to help on the day or to help set up some stalls beforehand or tidy away please let the FIPS team know on

friendsofperryfieldinfants@hotmail.com or contact the school office.

Have a great weekend.

Amanda Reid

Mrs Farmer's Attendance Award -Pearl Class – 98.57%