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Look out for our fantastic termly Sports Newsletter—it's packed full of our endeavours!

Pimperne School Prayer

(Written by Year 6 leavers 2014)

This is our school

Let it be full of learning and laughter

Let the classrooms be filled with encouragement and joy

Let us be safe, surrounded by our friends

May God be with us, and shine upon us with love

And let us remember to respect each other

As many hearts make a family

So many hearts make a school

And many hearts make Pimperne

Amen

Our School Values

**Perseverance
Compassion
Courage
Trust**

**Forgiveness
Selflessness
Justice
Respect**

Collective Worship Theme: **Friendship**

Newsletter Summer Term 2

Week 17/7/2023



Dear All,

How can this be? The end of another year. We have had a settled year and learning is definitely finding its pace and rigour again. The impact of Covid, as expected, on our younger years still exists across their social and emotional development, yet we are seeing many make huge steps and are grateful for your support. I am so proud of the children in this school, regardless of age, they are so well behaved and polite. The school team consistently ensure that their relations and actions are respectful and this is reflected back to us in the way in which our children demonstrate our school values.

Academic progress, demonstrated in our End of Key Stage 2 Tests, once again is one to celebrate.

	<i>National</i>	WORKING BELOW NATIONAL EXPECTATIONS	WORKING AT OR ABOVE NATIONAL EXPECTATIONS	WORKING ABOVE NATIONAL EXPECTATIONS
READING	SCHOOL	3%	97%	50%
	NATIONAL	27%	73%	
WRITING	SCHOOL	13%	87%	30%
	NATIONAL	29%	71%	
MATHS	SCHOOL	7%	93%	40%
	NATIONAL	27%	73%	
EGPS	SCHOOL	3%	97%	43%
	NATIONAL	28%	72%	

We wish all the children leaving us this year the very best for the future and may they continue in demonstrating the values and positive learning attitudes that we have come to know. Our wishes for health and happiness always to both the children and the families that are also moving on. We will always hold you in mind as part of Pimperne Primary.

Over the summer break, please stay safe and take time for yourselves even a few moments can make a difference. There will be some emails coming out across the break but we try to keep this to a 'considerate' amount! Unfortunately the school is not staffed in the holidays and therefore our contact is limited.

	Redwood	Sherwood	Sagano	Longmore	
House Points from class and from activities	258	187	251	356	Winners of the House Cup LONGMORE
House Points gained from earning a Switched On leaf	70	80	60	60	Winners of the Brannigan Cup for 'Switched On'



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Do you know about...

free school meals

If your child qualifies for free school meals, they will have a **healthy meal every school day**, and can get:

- access to **free holiday clubs**
- **extra money for their school** towards more teachers and activities

You could save over **£450** a year!

It's easy to find out if you qualify - complete our confidential checker at dorsetcouncil.gov.uk/free-school-meals or phone **01305 221090**





Pupil Premium

If your child is in reception to year 2 and you receive qualifying benefits, **you could get extra £££'s for your school!**

Apply for the Pupil Premium at dorsetcouncil.gov.uk/pupil-premium

OUR SCHOOL NEEDS YOUR HELP!

Did you know that registering for Pupil Premium means that your child's school gets extra money?

Please take 5 minutes to check if you are eligible!

Schools can decide how the Pupil Premium is spent, since they are best placed to assess what additional provision should be made for the individual pupils within their responsibility.

At Pimperne Primary School we support all of our pupils. We do this by providing high quality classroom teaching which is supplemented by interventions to support vulnerable learners as and when required. The School Leadership Team and Governing Body monitor the impact of all spending and interventions including Pupil Premium. For further information please refer to the school 'Pupil Premium Policy'.

If you think you may be able to support your child's school further by completing the application due to low income or because your child is a Looked After or Cared for Child – please do! Every bit of additional funding the school receives plays a huge part in maintaining our belief in supporting every single child in our school.

Pupil Premium – most people who are in receipt of one of these are eligible for Pupil Premium Funding:

- Income Support
- Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment an Support Allowance
- Support under Part IV of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guaranteed element of Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit. This is as long as you are not entitled to Working Tax Credit and your annual gross income isn't more than £16,190
- Working Tax Credit 'run-on' payment (paid for four weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit)
- Universal Credit with an income of no more than £7,400

Summer Learning Pack

We are encouraging our children to have a go at some of these activities across the summer as it will support every child to be able to raise to the expectations of the school day in September, without feeling overwhelmed. A little a day (even 15 minutes, Monday to Friday) will help enormously.

The children are encouraged to bring this back into school to share with their team in the new academic year. Without your support, we are aware that the majority of children will regress in any new learning not yet committed to long-term memory. In school we rehearse continually and move children forward by re-visiting prior learning, especially for those children that are not yet automatic or fluent. Although this is a national consideration, we urge you to practice some of the pre-taught learning in order that your child can consolidate. The CGP books you may have purchased at the start of the year will be a great help. Please also look to use our online platforms such as 'Sumdog' and 'Times Tables Rockstars'. Some structure or routine during the 6 weeks of Summer will help children to settle back into school in September, ready for learning.

Reading - When parents read regularly with their children at home, the benefits are immense. Children make greater reading progress, they are more confident readers and, in many cases, develop a lifelong love of reading. Don't forget the Library Challenge this year - This year's Challenge, **Ready, Set, Read!** is all about games and sports. Children will join our fictional team (and their animal mascots!) as they use their skills to weave their way through a summer obstacle course. Developed in collaboration with Youth Sport Trust, the 2023 Summer Reading Challenge will celebrate play and participation, encouraging children to engage in games and sports in any way that best suits them. Ready, Set, Read! will showcase how reading can be active and engaged and can itself involve teamwork. With free rewards to collect and plenty of brilliant books to enjoy, the Challenge is the perfect summer activity to keep young minds and bodies active over the holidays. The Challenge is brought to life by the brilliant children's writer and illustrator, Loretta Schauer. To ensure all children know about Ready, Set, Read! - the library staff visited our school to tell the children all about this year's exciting challenge.