



Drayton Green Primary School

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Whole school attendance = 91.7%

The class with the highest attendance is: Nursery with 100% Fantastic!

It has been a busy week here at Drayton Green. We ran our phonics workshop, which was well attended and the parents there asked lots of great questions about the new scheme.

We have continued to work on our new curriculum and the children are enthusiastic about the different topics and the breadth of knowledge they are gaining within each subject.

Next week is Children's Mental Health week. It is a focussed week for schools around the country to have important discussions with the children about how they can look after their mental health, what to do if they have a problem and help with strategies for when they have big feelings or worries.

To start off our Mental Health focus we all watched the Disney film Inside out 2, a film about emotions and feelings. We will be doing more activities about it next week, including a dress up day on Friday where children can dress in a colour to represent an emotion from the film.



Certificate winners

Well done to the following children who were awarded a certificate in assembly this week or last week for their efforts with their work, behaviour and attitudes.

Reception – Arya, Christina, Hasan, Maryam, Saleh

Year 1 – Avani, Dominik, Hana, Kehlani, Maryam O, Mohammed, Naila, Nasrullahi, Omar, Saif

Year 2 – Amara, Ayman, Dana, Daniela, Hadiah, Hiyyan, Kamila, Logan, Rahman, Taher

Year 3 – Aliya, Amelia, Arnur, Asya, Lana, Lukas, Noah, Patrick F, Saja, Zione

Year 4 – Abdulbasid, Almubin, Aiden, Asmaa, Chloe, Fatma, Hooriya, Jomiloju, Julian, Karim

Year 5 – Adem, Hassan, Ibrahim, Ilyas, Joshua, Kafi, Malak, Moeed, Muhammad

Year 6 – Abrar, Ameer, Aron, Danyil, Haider, Huwaidah, Khadija, Nylah, Safa, Sarah

New website

We are excited to share with you that our new website is live! We will be updating the website regularly with important and useful information for parents and carers. We will also be adding photos of the wonderful work the children are doing and useful links for further support on the year group pages.

Please have a look at our new website;

www.draytongreen.ealing.sch.uk

Phonics workshops for parents

Thank you to all of the parents and carers that attended the Read Write Inc. workshops on Thursday, we hope you found them useful!

Phonics is a vital tool for helping children learn to read and write, which helps them in every lesson across the whole curriculum. If you were unable to attend the workshops or have any further questions, please look at the phonics page on our new website or ask the class teachers for more information.



Dates to remember

Friday 7th February – Emotion/colour dress up day for Children's Mental Health awareness.

Children should dress in a colour to reflect an emotion from the film Inside Out.

Please donate to the charity directly via <https://gofund.me/541284c7>

Attendance and punctuality

School starts at 8:45 each day. We operate a soft start where children can go to their classrooms from 8:35 but they must be in class, ready to learn at 8:45.

Children who arrive after 8:50 **must** sign in at the front office. It is very important that children are signed in at the office to ensure the children's safety, particularly in the event of a fire drill.

If a child arrives significantly late they will be marked as **U** on the register.

If a child is marked U or O (unauthorized absence) 10 times over a 10 week period it can result in a fine of £160.

The gate times are;

Gate	Time
Drayton Grove gate (school front office)	8:35 – 8:50
Nursery gate	8:35 – 8:50
Drayton Green gate (back of school entrance)	8:35 – 8:50

Polite reminder

We take pride in looking after our school and the surrounding area. Please can you remember to place any litter that you have on the way to or from school in a bin or take it home with you. There has been a lot of litter dropped recently on Drayton Green and we all need to play our part in keeping it a clean and enjoyable space for our children and local residents.

Thank you for your help in keeping our environment clean and tidy!

Exciting things coming up!

We are so proud of our children at Drayton Green and many children always try their best in all areas! To celebrate this and highlight some of our superstars we will be holding a special party at the end of each term.

The children will only be able to attend the party if they receive an invite.

The party is to celebrate any children who have made great improvements in their attitudes to their work, their behaviour towards others, improved their attendance or punctuality (been on time every day) as well as celebrating those children who consistently try their best and are amazing role models to others.

Every child has the opportunity to attend every party but only a few will be invited each half term so encourage your child to come to school every day, on time and to put their best efforts into their work and behaviour to be able to join in the fun!