



NEWSLETTER

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30th April 2021

Headteacher Message

Our enrichment clubs are thriving and a good variety are on offer for the children throughout the school. We have a mixture of academic, creative and active clubs as well as those aimed at pupil well-being. We have also tried to make sure that there is a mixture of clubs using the outdoor environment as well as indoors. E.g. gardening club, Fraction Factory, Team Theme, drama etc. As the government guidance hasn't yet changes we are still working in year group bubbles which does place some limitations on numbers. With this in mind, if your child has been allocated a place and decides they no longer want to attend then please let us know as soon as possible so that another child in their year group can be offered the place. Enrichment clubs will run for this half term then change after the half term holidays. Thank you to all the parents that have taken the time to let us know how much their children are enjoying the activities after such long periods of restrictions and lockdowns.

This weekend we enjoy a slightly extended break with Bank Holiday Monday on 3rd May. We welcome everyone back on Tuesday 4th May.

Thank you
Miss Edwards

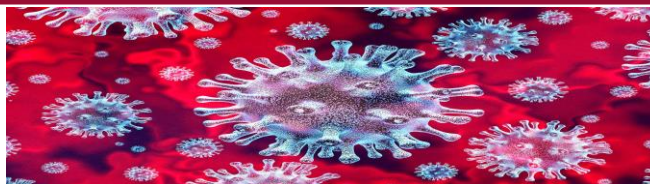


Anita Edwards
Executive Headteacher

Attendance Week Ending 30.04.2021

R	94.35%
Year 1	96.36%
Year 2	96.15%
Year 3	91.79%
Year 4	96.27%
Year 5	94.74%
Year 6	92.98%
Whole School (weekly)	90.97%
Whole School (Sept to date)	93.84%

Target 97%



What should I do if...

What should I do if my child has COVID-19 symptoms?
What should I do if I or somebody in my household has COVID-19 symptoms?

What should I do if I or somebody in my household has tested positive for COVID-19?

What should I do if my child tests positive for COVID-19?

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Visit our website at

<https://www.partingtoncentralacademy.co.uk/what-to-do-if/>

for some useful quick reference guides around reporting, self-isolation and when to return to school, in the event of a child, parent or other household member having COVID-19 symptoms or receiving a positive test result.

Terrific Time Keepers



The winning class this week is **2HW!**

Well done to everyone for being on time every day.

Dates for your diary

Monday 3rd May 2021

Bank holiday

Friday 28th May 2021

School closes – half term

Monday 7th June 2021

Return to school

Year 2 Explorer's Workshop

Last week the Year 2 children took part in a very exciting workshop to give them some background knowledge, before starting the topic of Explorers.

The children explored the life and times of two intrepid explorers, Christopher Columbus and Neil Armstrong. They embarked on a voyage from Genoa heading west across the ocean, and launched into space in Apollo 11, looking into similarities between the two men, the events of their journeys and discoveries.

The children were able to use interactive drama activities such as roleplay and tableaux to explore the topic of Explorers. As you can see from the photos, we had great fun!



Year 1 are very excited to welcome their new class pet! We have to water him daily and sit him by the window so he gets sunlight, as this will help him grow. We can't wait to observe how Dino the Grass Dragon changes over time!



We would like to wish Miss Allen a fond farewell as she leaves us today to move to Scotland. We wish her every success in her new post. On behalf of all the children, staff and parents we would like to thank her for her hard work and dedication during her time at Partington Central Academy. Good Luck!

General Info:

Y5LA = As Miss Allen is leaving us at the end of the month, Mr Dunstan will be continuing in the class and Miss Cowan will return from her maternity leave to join Y5 in the final summer term.

Uniform = Children should be in full uniform including a school jumper and school shoes. Trainers are only allowed on PE days. PE kit for the summer term is burgundy shorts, white T-shirt and school jumper. Children should not be wearing hoodies or tracksuits. Thank you.

Hair = Now that hairdressers are open again can we remind families that no extreme hair cuts are permitted. Children should not have any shaved lines in their hair. Hair should be no shorter than a number 3.