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Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> October 2025



### Head Teacher Message



Just a quick reminder that parents evening is taking place next week- Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> (nursery only) Wednesday 8<sup>th</sup> October (N – yr 6) and Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> October (yr R – 6).

Please remember to check your emails for information on how to book appointments. We are looking forward to sharing your child's successes and progress next week.

Thank you for your kind contributions for our harvest festival celebration. The last day for your donations is Monday 6<sup>th</sup> October - thank you for your support!

We are hurtling towards the end of half term already - the next two weeks are going to be busy, with workshops, sporting tournaments, class assemblies and to finish it off, one spooky spectacular monster ball!

### Donations

We're seeking donations to help enhance our mud kitchen and outdoor area in EYFS.

Your support will go toward creating a fun, safe, and engaging environment where children can explore and imagine. Items such as: wooden spoons, metal pots and pans, and metal cooking utensils would be perfect.



### Sevenoaks School Lessons



We are very lucky again this year to be working with Sevenoaks School. Every Thursday, they will be joining us to do exciting sessions across many different year groups. This half term we have kicked off with chess and reading buddy sessions.

Children in year 5 and 6 have been getting top tips and techniques on their path to become chess masters! Our year 1 and 2 children are getting 1-1 reading time to support and develop their love of reading.

We have Latin, debating and drama sessions to look forward to in the coming months.



### Around the school in pictures!



### Attendance

This week's attendance figures:

Class	%	Class	%
Tower	91	Golden Gate	98
Westminster	97	Lions Gate	91
Severn	96	Manhattan	95
Clifton	95	Ikuchi	93
Jubilee	92	Anji	92
Tyne	97	Auckland	91
Amb	93	Sea Cliff	96

Whole School Attendance: 94%

### Black History Month

This week is the start of Black History Month. The theme this year is: *Standing Firm in Power and Pride.*

Over the course of the next month, each year group will be completing various activities linked to this theme.



### Upcoming Dates



**Monday 6<sup>th</sup> Oct – Harvest Festival Assembly\***  
**7<sup>th</sup>, 8<sup>th</sup> & 9<sup>th</sup> Oct – Parents' Evening\***  
**Weds 8<sup>th</sup> Oct – 2026 – 2026 Parent Tour & Year 5 Swimming**  
**Thurs 9<sup>th</sup> Oct – Year 4 Swimming**  
**Fri 10<sup>th</sup> Oct – Wear Yellow for World Mental Health Day\***  
**Monday 13<sup>th</sup> Oct – The Pioneer Academy Girls Football Competition (selected pupils)**  
**Tues 14<sup>th</sup> Oct – Year 4 Assemblies\***

\*Please see your emails for more information



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# Star of the Week

## Our stars this week are:

Emmie	Lyla Rose
Finley	Freddie
Jesse	Lilah
Leon	Georgie
Eliza	Autumn
Hannah	Jake

CONGRATULATIONS & WELL DONE!

