

PAGET NEWS

7th JULY 2023



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0121 464 3902 or 07493838732



Twitter: @PagetPrimary

Child Line

Children if you need to talk to anyone please ring or email www.childline.co.uk

No problem



Concerned About a Child's Safety?

Contact Birmingham CASS on 0121 303 1888. If you feel a child is at risk of immediate, significant harm then call 999 OR contact a DSL in school: Mrs. Nussey, Mrs. Thomas, Mrs. Spiers, Mrs. Ewbank or Mr. Merriman.



HEAD TEACHER'S WELCOME

Firstly, I would like to apologise for the lateness of getting last week's newsletter out to you. I was away with year Six on the residential visit to Edale and the WIFI stopped working and so things were unfortunately delayed.

Secondly, I will inform you of some staffing changes for September. Sadly, we will say goodbye to several members of staff at the end of this term. Miss Briarwood (Y6 teacher) leaves us to take up a promotion in another school. Miss Wakefield (Y3 teacher) also leaves us to take up a post closer to home. Miss Munir (Reception teacher currently on maternity leave) will also not be returning in September. Mrs Charzenko, lunchtime supervisor, has taken the decision to retire at the end of this term. I would like to thank all of them for their valuable contributions to Team Paget during the time that they have worked here and hope that you will join me in wishing them all the very best for the future. We will welcome two new teachers to Paget. Both experienced teachers from other Erdington schools, Mrs Burns and Miss Wheeler. I hope that you will give them a warm Team Paget welcome.

Continuing with staffing, further in this newsletter is a list of which teaching staff are in which year group in September. You will receive a letter shortly, outlining which class your child will be in from September. As usual, the classes have been mixed and so your child may be with different children in the new term. Teachers have missed the classes based upon a range of reasons and have thought long and hard about this. As every year, these are fixed from this point so please do not ask for things to be changed as the answer will be no.

From September the government has released new requirements for school with regards to the length of the school week. As a result, we need to make our school day slightly longer. I have worked out what these new times will be and they will go to governors for ratification next week. Once these have been approved with governors, I will of course share these with you.

Have a good weekend everyone and take care,
Vicky Nussey

LEARNERS OF THE WEEK

NURSERY: The whole class

RECEPTION: Harlie, Eleni, Jason & Emil

YEAR ONE: Yahya, Matilda, Ronnie & Gabe

YEAR TWO: Muhammad, Gibrilla, Max & David

YEAR THREE: Deen, Esmaili, Fatima C & Naiya

YEAR FOUR: Leesha, Gracie, Ameera & Musa

YEAR FIVE: Courtney, Elyisa, Liam CP & Ollie

YEAR SIX: Migel, Ali, Tony & Levi

PANTHERS: James & Musa

HOUSEPOINTS

THIS WEEK'S TOTALS:

THIS WEEK'S WINNING CLASS:

EY & KS1: 2D

KS2: 3N

THIS WEEK'S WINNING

HOUSE:

EY & KS1: Venus

KS2: Saturn

BEST ATTENDANCE

Class 6B with 94.1%

Focus on Reading: KS2

Hello everyone.

Two weeks to go... where has this year gone? Thank you for your continued support with reading. Over the summer, please keep encouraging your children to read. Next week, each child will be given a 'Reading Bingo' sheet for them to complete over the summer. Certificates for completion will be handed out in September. Please share your photos on twitter using #getpagetreading

Miss V.Nevitt - KS2 English Lead



Twitter Competition

Over the summer holidays we would really love to see your children and yourselves reading books. Can you find a strange and unique place to read? Upload your photos to Twitter and use #getpagetreading.

Winners will be announced in September!

Happy reading!


Our current texts for English

Year 3	Our Tower - Joseph Coelho
Year 4	The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe - C S Lewis
Year 5	High Rise Mystery - Sharna Jackson
Year 6	Night Mail - W H Auden



Books shouldn't be daunting, they should be funny, exciting and wonderful; and learning to be a reader gives a terrific advantage."

- Roald Dahl



Poetry Corner

On the Ning Nang Nang
 Where the Cows go Bong!
 and the monkeys all say BOOI
 There's a Nang Nang Ning
 Where the trees go Ping!
 And the teapots jibber jabber joo.
 On the Nang Ning Nang
 All the mice go Clang
 And you just can't catch 'em when they dol
 So it's Ning Nang Nang
 The cows go Bong!
 Nang Nang Ning
 The trees go Ping!
 Nong Ning Nang
 The mice go Clang!
 What a noisy place to belong
 is the Ning Nang Ning Nang Nong!!

By Spike Milligan

Focus on Reading: KS2 (Continued)

The ability to read fluently and with comprehension (understanding) is the most fundamental skill that children will learn. Children will first need to 'learn to read' in order to be able to 'read to learn'.

1 Discuss the text ('book talk')

New book: Look at cover. What is it about? Who is the author? What is the title? What type of book is it?

Partially read book: What have you liked so far? In 5 sentences, explain to me what has happened. Who is the main character? etc.

3 Question for understanding

Ask a question or two (don't make it a chore!)
See some example question stems below.

4 Discuss the text ('book talk')

👍 What did you like about it? Why?

👎 Was there anything you disliked? Why?

❓ Were there any parts that confused you?

🔄 Did it remind you of anything else you read?

2 Listen to your child read

You can:

- Praise and encourage often
- Check understanding of unfamiliar words and explicitly teach new vocabulary.
- Encourage them to re-read words and sentences to improve accuracy and expression.
- Model reading with expression and ask your child to copy.
- Ask questions to check for understanding.

They can:

- Sound out unfamiliar words in chunks and then blend them.
- Use pictures as clues to unfamiliar words, or infer more information about the text.

FLUENCY CHECKLIST:

✓ **ACCURACY:** I read the words correctly

✓ **RATE:** I read not too fast and not too slow

✓ **EXPRESSION:** I read with feeling, and I didn't sound like a robot

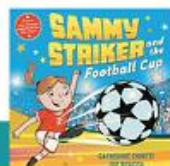
✓ **PUNCTUATION:** I follow most or all of the punctuation marks as I read the text

Recently Released



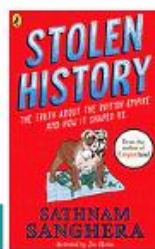
★ The Reader Teacher Fiction Book of the Month

Fablehouse
by E. L. Norry



★ The Reader Teacher Picture Book of the Month

Sammy Striker and the Football Cup
by Catherine Emmett and Joe Berger



★ The Reader Teacher Non-Fiction Book of the Month

Stolen History: The Truth About the British Empire and How It Shaped Us
by Sathnam Sanghera and Jen Khatun



Until the Road Ends
by Phil Earle



Vivi Conway and the Sword of Legend
by Lizzie Huxley-Jones

#MonthlyMustReads

SPOTLIGHT ON CURRICULUM: LANGUAGES - FRENCH

Dear Parents and Carers,

Salut et bienvenue dans notre mise à jour estivale sur tout ce qui concerne le français à l'école - (Hi and welcome to our summer update on all things French in school.). The children have been really enjoying their French lessons and engaging with speaking, reading and writing more in French

Here is some work from our children in key stage 2, which captures what your child is learning and some of the key vocabulary. Can the children tell you which topic this work relates to and what the writing says?



As always some French fun! Who can find all the words? Ask your child to help you and house points to anyone who completes a quiz and returns to me by the end of term.

Ma famille

Across

- grand-mother
- mother
- brother
- uncle
- father
- son
- brother-in-law

Down

- mother
- brother
- grand-father
- uncle
- son
- brother-in-law
- uncle

Word Bank

Père	mère	frère	beau-frère
grand-père	grand-mère	oncle	tante

un short	un bonnet
une casquette	des gants
un maillot de bain	une jupe
une crème solaire	des collants
un cardigan	des bottes
un chapeau	une chemise
un manteau	des lunettes de soleil
des chaussettes	une serviette de bain
un pantalon	un T-shirt
un sweat	un short de bain
une robe	une écharpe
des chaussures	des sandales
un pull	

Les animaux

Word Bank

papillon	caméléon	serpent	léopard
écureuil	cheval	chien	manchiot
lapin	flamme	grenouille	chat
poisson	zebra	hippopotame	giraffe
lion	éléphant	oiseau	singe

Puis-je vous souhaiter à tous des vacances d'été amusantes et heureuses. Les enfants de 2e année se souviennent que vous apprendrez le français l'année prochaine - (May I wish you all a fun and happy summer holidays. Year 2 children remember you will be learning French next year). Miss Robinson

SPORTS REPORT: GIRLS FOOTBALL

Girls Football World Cup with KESSP

The girls started off with a very nail-biting match, which ended with a 0-0 draw.

The girls weren't very happy with the result but continued to battle on, full of ideas and confidence for the next game.

The next game we picked up the standard and scored a cracking goal, well done Elysia. Our team was great and tried our hardest throughout the game. Final score was 1-0.

During the third match we again came away with a 0-0 result. A lot of pressure was put on both goalkeepers, but it was a point for both teams.

In our last match against Mrs Spiers' old school, James Watt, it was a very good game and very close but ended in another 0-0.

Sadly, we didn't make it through to the next round and we were all very disappointed, but all our girls showed good sportsmanship and kept a smile on their faces.

Our squad included, Sophie, Lexi, Scarlet, Taylor-May, Elysia-Grace, Lily, Ameera.

Written by Sophie with a little help from rest of squad.



SPORTS REPORT: BOYS FOOTBALL

Paget's Years 4&5 boys take on an the All Erdington 6aside tournament at Yardley 5s.

The Football year is closing in on Football! Paget Years 4&5 took part in the summer cup at Yardley 5s.

First up in the 6aside tournament was The Rosary. Paget started furiously winning 3-0.

Onto the next game, Paget narrowly lost 1-0 to Short Heath. The third game of the group stages and Paget strolled past the Abbey winning 3-0. Paget's fourth game was against St Bernies, tired legs cost the boys 2 early goals.

Onto the fifth game and Paget came up against a resilient Hillstone who held Paget off with their keeper making some fantastic saves right up until the last minute when a brilliant long-range effort went into the net. Our final game was on the horizon and was against Saint Peters and Pauls. A nail-biting game until Peter and Pauls scored from close range right at the death.

Paget's fate was decided on goal difference, and we only missed out on the final by 1 goal.

Credit to the Year 4&5 boys who battled in all 5 games.



INFORMATION AND REMINDERS

Important information for Year 6 Parents

We are soon approaching the end of term when we will be saying goodbye to our wonderful Year 6.

- The leavers production 'End of an era' will be on **Thursday 20th July at 5:15pm**. Doors will open at **5pm**.
- You will need to purchase tickets (in the form of a programme) from the office.
- They will cost £1 each and will be on sale from Tuesday July 4th.
- As we are limited for space in the hall, we can only offer **2 tickets per child**, this includes small children who need a seat. Small children and babies can sit on their parent's laps.
- On the day of the leaver's production, the children will be staying at school from the end of the school day. They will have the opportunity to play against the staff in a rounders contest and be treated to pizza and ice-cream - supplied by our lovely kitchen staff.
- Parents you will not need to collect your children on Thursday 20th July at 3.20pm. Please arrive by 5pm onwards for the production.

Signing shirts and books - the children will be allowed to get shirts signed on the last day only please (**Friday 21st July only**). They can, however, bring a book/notepad in during the whole of the last week to collect messages from pupils and staff.



NURSERY SEPTEMBER 2023

We still have Nursery places available for September 2023. If your child turns 4 between 1st September 2023 and 31st August 2024, they are eligible for 15 hours free in our Nursery all day Monday, Tuesday and half day Wednesday. Contact the school office if you would like to register your child for a place.

STAFFING ALLOCATION SEPTEMBER 2023

Year Group	Teachers	TAs
Nursery	Mrs Twells	Mrs Harrison
Reception	Miss Johnston Mrs Moseley	Mrs Connolly
Year One	Mrs Waring (Styles) (4 days) & Mrs Ali-Gobern (1 day) Miss Phillips	Mrs Evans
Year Two	Mrs Devi Miss Wheeler	Mrs Yaseen
Year Three	Mrs Sandford Mr Collas	Miss Tone
Year Four	Mrs Connaughton Mr Harris	Miss Steer
Year Five	Mr Ellis Mrs Burns	Mrs Nasim
Year Six	Miss Robinson Mr Bagshaw	Mrs Denny
Panthers	Miss Francis Mrs Lovell (UQT)	Mrs Holmes Mrs Mullan Mrs Parry Miss Haigh
Non-Class Based	Mrs Thomas, Mrs Ewbank, Miss Nevitt & Mrs Davies	Miss Hewitt & Miss Forbes

SPOTLIGHT ON SAFEGUARDING: DOMESTIC ABUSE

ENOUGH

Abuse takes many forms. It can be emotional, physical, sexual or financial. It can be words or actions. At home or in the street. It can be inflicted by a partner, ex-partner, family member, colleague, friend or stranger. It can be in person, through technology and online.

Whatever form it takes, abuse is never justified. Any behaviour that demeans, frightens or distresses is abuse. It has to stop. Knowing what abuse is helps us all recognise it when it happens.

We can all do something to keep women and girls safe. You can learn more here: <https://enough.campaign.gov.uk/>



NEED SUPPORT?

If you are experiencing abuse and need support, please speak to a DSL at school or contact one of the support agencies below.

National Domestic Abuse Helpline – 0808 2000 247 –

www.nationaldahelpline.org.uk/ (run by Refuge)

The Men's Advice Line, for male domestic abuse survivors – 0808 801 0327 (run by Respect)

The Mix, free information and support for under 25s in the UK – 0808 808 4994

National LGBT+ Domestic Abuse Helpline – 0800 999 5428 (run by Galop)

Samaritans (24/7 service) – 116 123

SPOTLIGHT ON VALUES: DETERMINATION

The value of determination is apt and timely as we look ahead to Sports Week.

I am sure we will see lots of children using this value, as they drop their egg in the egg and spoon race, or lose the bean bag in the bean bag race and from the older ones as they take on the long distance running challenge.

We certainly saw lots of determination from Year Six pupils last week on the Year Six residential when they were rock climbing, canoeing and walking on their night hike.

Determination is when you try again and again to succeed in what you are trying to achieve or do. To be determined, you must try your best and never give up. If you don't succeed at first in what you are doing, try it over and over again until you get it perfect and how you want it.

If your friend is trying to achieve something, but can't quite get it right, you could help them by saying how they could improve or tell them to keep trying again and again.

If you are not determined in life, you might not be able to do many things, because you would just give up. So, if you are determined in what you do, you will go quite far in life.



DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

7th - 14th July - Sports Week - **Timetable below:**

Date	Time	Year Group
Friday 7 th July	9.30	Y6
	1.30	Y5
Monday 10 th July	9.30	Y2
	1.30	Y4
Tuesday 11 th July	9.30	Reception
	1.30	Y1
Wednesday 12 th July	9.30	Nursery
	11.15	Panthers
	1.30	Y3

Week commencing 17th July - no extra-curricular clubs this week

Thursday 20th July - Y6 Leavers Production *

Friday 21st July - Term ends for children - children's last day in school

Monday 25th July and Tuesday 25th July - Teacher Training Days - School closed to children

Monday 4th and Tuesday 5th September - School Closed to children - teacher training days

Wednesday 6th September - Children in Years 1-6 return to school
Reception and Nursery you will receive a letter with your child's start date.

Half Term: Monday 30 October 2023 to Friday 3 November 2023

Term Ends: Friday 22 December 2023

Spring Term 2024

- Term Starts: Monday 8 January 2024
- Half Term: Monday 12 February 2024 to Friday 16 February 2024
- Term Ends: Friday 22 March 2024

Summer Term 2024

- Term Starts: Monday 8 April 2024
- Half Term: Monday 27 May 2024 to Friday 31 May 2024
- Term Ends: Friday 19 July 2024

(Please note there are teacher days for next academic year yet to be agreed with ATLP)

This section will be regularly updated once new dates are known and confirmed.

**Indicates newly added or changed items*



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Creating an inclusion movement!

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ARE YOU A PARENT/CARER (OR GRANDPARENT) OF A CHILD WITH SEND? DO YOU SOMETIMES FEEL OVERWHELMED WITH THINGS BEING UNFAIR? ARE YOU PASSIONATE ABOUT INCLUSION AND BEING PART OF POSITIVE CHANGE?

MANY HANDS MAKE LIGHT WORK

- We would like to invite you to a short meeting to find out more about who we are, what the project is about, and how you can help spread the word in small ways (and if you have time larger ways too!).
- The meeting is for any parents/carers, grandparents or any other support networks and organisations in your area who want to know more and be part of positive change. At the session you can join with or without your camera on, and feel free to share your experiences and ideas in the chat if you wish!

BOOK HERE



TUESDAY 11 JULY
at 7.00- 8.30pm

