



Pinders Primary School – Weekly Newsletter

Dear Parent / Carer

A Happy New Year to you for 2025

A very snowy start to the week but with some gritting and a few adaptations to entrances and exits we were able to safely open. I am sure there will be more wintry weather ahead and we will aim to give as much notice as possible if school is affected by adverse weather conditions.

Spring Term 1 is a six-week term with a few dates for your diaries, please see below

Year 3 assembly 9am	11 th February School hall about 20 minutes
Year 2 assembly 2.45pm	11 th February
Year 6 Extra Parents Meetings	Tuesday 28 th January Appointments needed
EYFS, KS1 Spring Disco (Lions, Tigers, Year 1 and 2)	Wednesday 12th February 3.15-4.45pm. Tickets required.
KS2 (Year 3, 4, 5 and 6) spring disco	Thursday 13th February 3.15-4.45pm. Tickets required.

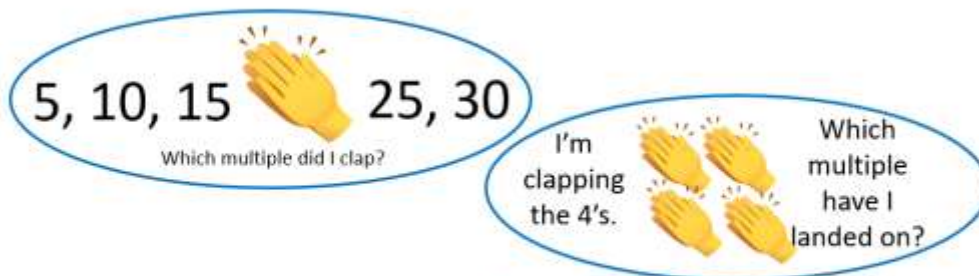


Diamond Dash

It has been fabulous to award so many certificates already for diamond dash, please keep working on times tables with your child.

This week's activity idea;

Clapping Games



Speak a **sequence** and then **clap on a number** and ask your child which number you **skipped/clapped**.

Pick a times table, **clap a number of times** and ask your child which number you were on.

Looking forward to a successful Spring term for all.

Keep safe and well

Headteacher
Mrs Kemplay

Stars of the Week



Every week one child from each class is nominated as Star of the Week in recognition of their hard work, achievement and progress. Our stars of the week this week are:



Year	Attendance	Star	
Nursery AM	94.78	Dhruv	For being kind and sharing resources with his friends.
Nursery PM		Eidan	For settling back into nursery and growing in confidence.
Lions	87.22	Zille	For setting an excellent example to others
Tigers	93.48	Korbie	For having an enthusiastic attitude to writing and challenging himself further.
Year 1	92.37	Miracle	For always being safe, respectful and ready to learn!
Year 1/2	91.73	Rafa	For trying hard to work more independently
Year 2	86.94	Amy	For using her words to communicate.
Year 3	87.07	Elena	For being a great role model for Pinders Primary.
Year 3/4	89.72	Matyas	For improved engagement and attitude to learning across the week.
Year 4	95.86	Alisdair	For outstanding vocabulary choices in his writing about The Wild Robot.
Year 5	90.55	Aamina	For brilliant reasoning, in history, learning about Egyptian pharaohs.
Year 5/6	88.84	The whole class	For a fantastic start to the year in the new year.
Year 6	93	Yousuf	For always putting 110% in

Parent Coffee Morning
With Mrs Peaker and Mrs Stokes



Every Tuesday starting 7th January 2025 8.40am-10am



Future in Mind Consultant Lorraine Martin
will be attending on 21st and 28th January.