



# ACADEMY NEWSLETTER

<b>Autumn Term</b>	<b>Newsletter 1</b>	<b>13/09/2019</b>
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## Message from the Principal

Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome new parents and welcome back to other parents. I hope that you all had a restful summer!

PVPA was a hive of activity over the summer; the inside was painted throughout, a new nursery classroom was created and the EYFS outside area was developed.

We have had a fantastic start to the new year; our pupils came back ready to learn and our new pupils in nursery and reception have settled in extremely well and are very much a part of PVPA already.

I hope that you all have a fantastic weekend!

**Kimberly Morton**  
**Principal**

## Best attendance for the week ending 6<sup>th</sup> September 2019

The class with the best attendance for the week above was **4N** with 100%. Congratulations to you all!

In second place was **3L** with 97.5%.

What a great start to the year!



### Open Day

On the 24<sup>th</sup> September, we are hosting an open day from 1pm - 6pm, for parents of children who could join our reception classes in September 2020.

Parents and their children can come and see our school at our reception pupils busy at work.

If you know the parents of any children who are currently 3, please tell them about the open day.

### Welcome to New Staff

We are very lucky to have five new teachers at PVPA. It feels like they have always been here and they are already part of the PVPA team.

We would like to congratulate Claire who works in our office, Claire was successfully appointed as our Office Manager.

Well done Claire!

## IMPORTANT: Annual Childhood Flu Immunisation 2019/2020

Please see attached information letter from the NHS regarding the annual childhood flu immunisation programme 2019/20 for Reception to Year 6.

If you would like your child to receive the FREE nasal vaccine on Thursday 28th November 2019, please apply online via the E-Portal (<https://tinyurl.com/y5vhpgde>) from now and the closing date of 21st November 2019. You must either consent or decline for this vaccine.

**If you need help or support in submitting your online form, nurses will be available at school on Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> September at 9am.**

Uniform Reminder	PE Kit
<p>The uniform at PVPA is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>-Blue jumper, sweatshirt or cardigan(does not need to have a logo)</li> <li>- White polo shirt or shirt</li> <li>- Grey/black shirt, shorts or trousers (not leggings)</li> <li>- Blue and white checked school dress</li> <li>- <b>Black (all black)</b> flat, sensible school shoes or trainers</li> </ul> <p><b>Please name everything.</b></p>	<p>We ask that all children bring their PE kit to school on a Monday and take it home on a Friday to be washed. Sometimes PE sessions change times/days.</p> <p>The PE kit is:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>- White T-shirt</li> <li>- Black/navy shorts or jogging bottoms (no leggings)</li> <li>- Plimsolls or trainers</li> </ul> <p><b>Please name everything.</b></p>
Parking	Reporting your Child Absent
<p>Please be considerate of local residents when parking on Raeburn Road. We have received several complaints from local residents about parking from our parents in the mornings and at home time.</p> <p>No parents are permitted to park in the staff car park or use it as a turning area. Your children's safety is important.</p>	<p>It is very important that you inform the school office if your child is going to be absent from school on EACH DAY of absence. There are three ways to do this:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Call and leave a message on 01473 320413.</li> <li>2. Leave a text message on Groupcall.</li> <li>3. Come and tell the office team.</li> </ol>
Clubs	Forms
<p>After school club letters have been sent home, places are limited so please return the form to the school office ASAP. Clubs start on Monday 16<sup>th</sup> September.</p>	<p>If you haven't already returned your child's data collection sheet or end of day dismissal list, please do so ASAP to the school office as this is important information that the school must keep up to date. <i>Please check in your child's book bag.</i></p>