# Parkstone News

Parkstone Primary School takes seriously its responsibility to safeguarding all children and adults and has a rigorous procedure in place to do so. The school does not tolerate bullying and deals with all forms very seriously.



Designated Safeguarding Officer; Mr J Rogers - Safeguarding Governor: Mrs C O'Neill

### **Note from Mrs Waller**

It's been a busy start to this academic year here at Parkstone. We had our Sports morning last Friday which was great fun. Thank you for coming to school and supporting your child. Our Phonics and Reading workshops this week were well attended too.

Our new website is now live, so if you haven't visited yet please have a look. Also don't forget to follow us on Twitter to see what we have been up to! Just a reminder that our next Parent Forum meeting is on Friday 30<sup>th</sup> September at 9am. Please come along if you can.



# **Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> September**

Year 2 Sewerby Hall Trip

# Friday 30th September

Parent Forum – 9am

### Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> October

**School Photographs** 

# **Thursday 13th October**

Year 2 Trip to Hull New Theatre

# Wednesday 19th October

Year 6 Trip to Eden Camp

### Attendance

FS2/YR1 Miss Waudby FS2 Miss Stow YR1 Miss Clark YR2 Miss McCarthy YR2 Miss Nequest/Miss Dooley YR3 Miss Smalley YR3 Mrs Derrick/Mr Rogers YR4 Miss Robinson/Miss Wiggles	94.76 92.13 99.57 96.2 91.01 97.73 95.0
YK4 Miss Kobinson/Miss Wiggles	95.83
YR4 SDamary-Thompson	96.5
YR5 Mrs Jacobs	96.59
YR5 Mrs Harris	98.21
YR6 Mrs Collins	97.5
YR6 Miss Thompson	97.08
Whole School	96.05

#### **EYFS**

Our children have been learning the rules of the setting, making new friends and getting to know their teachers. We have learnt 4 new sounds, m,a,s,d. We have been learning some new songs and playing lots of turn taking games. The pupils are very much enjoying the outdoor environment and using some of the educational resources we have available. Their enthusiasm for learning has been so lovely to see!

### Years 1 & 2

In year 1, we have been learning about how to log in safely and keep information private and in Geography we have been finding out what a map is and what is its purpose?

In Year 2 for Geography we have been using maps to find out where Australia is linked to our learning on Amy Johnson. In Art, we have finding out who designed the moths that are in and around our city. We thought the colours and designs of some of the moths were beautiful!



### Years 3 & 4

Year 3 – We have been trying really hard in maths this week and have been counting and using numbers up to 1000 which has really got our brains going! In our Reading Mastery lessons we have started reading The Owl Who was Afraid of the Dark by Jill Tomlinson and we are enjoying it a lot.

Year 4 – We have been enjoying gymnastics lessons with Coach Paul this week and have started to read The Lion the Witch and the Wardrobe by C.S. Lewis. Year 4 have also been learning glockenspiel with Mr Higley in music lessons and he says we are getting the hang of it!

### Years 5 & 6

**Year 5** – We have started reading Beowulf and Grendel by Michael Morpurgo which we are really enjoying. We have also been learning what is appropriate online and how to stay safe online.

**Year 6** - We started our abstract art topic this week, looking at pieces of artwork by Picasso and Matisse. We have also been learning how to keep safe online and how we can ensure we have a positive digital footprint in computing lessons.

