



Monday 7th October 2024

Dear Families,

It has certainly been a busy couple of weeks here at Singlegate Primary School.

Meet the newly-appointed teams

Playground Activity Leaders (PALS)



Our Playground Activity Leaders are responsible for planning weekly activities for children from the Early Years to Year 6 to enjoy. The children have been actively canvassing the school in order to gather the views of the children of what they like to do during their playtimes and have a whole host of exciting games and activities ready for the term ahead! Keep an eye out on our PAL's noticeboard for further details.

We welcome our JTA's for the next academic year. The team will meet to review active and sustainable travel across the school and further measure that can be taken in which to improve this at Singlegate. Filled with enthusiasm, the team are keen to 'get their teeth' into the new role and plan various competitions and training material that can be used in classes.

Junior Travel Ambassadors (JTA's)



Gather to Give contributions



We welcome any donations that families are able to make for our harvest table. Please may we ask that all non-perishable items are with us by **the 18th October 2024**

Huge congratulations to our newly appointed Head Boy/Girl team and their Deputies. We welcome Head Girl, Beatrice and Head Boy, Enzo. They will be working with Isabel, Elizabeth and Bavi. Mrs Bull is very much looking forward to working closely with the team this year and involving them in decision making.



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Attendance



Attending school every day is essential. Any absence is a missed opportunity for learning.

Our attendance target this year is **94.5%** Let's work together to make this happen!

Well done to a number of classes, whose attendance exceeds our target this week. We look forward to sharing our Pizza Party winners in our next bulletin.

Class	Overall Weekly %
Paddington am	90%
Paddington pm	97%
Paddington full time	97%
Archway	94%
Bank	95%
Angel	96%
Oval	97%
Knightsbridge	97%
Borough	97%
Monument	99%
Victoria	99%
Pimlico	96%
Wimbledon	99%
Balham	98%
Southwark	98%
Kennington	95%
Piccadilly	97%
Euston	97%
Edware	94%
Temple	99%
Barbican	98%
Westminster	97%
Embankment	95%
Colliers Wood	94%

Collection arrangements

Please may we remind you that children are not permitted to use the equipment or apparatus in the playgrounds, when collecting your child/ren from school. We ask that once collected, you make your way home or to the local park. The playgrounds are used for our After School and extra-curricular clubs so need to have the site cleared as quickly as possible. We ask that you go back out onto South Gardens, when moving between the two buildings, rather than walking through. This supports site safety. Thank you for your support.

Safe South Gardens

We have had a number of reports from families about motorists in South Gardens at drop off and pick up time. We are a Safer Street Zone and only cars with permission should be travelling at this time. Please may we ask you to make sure that you have a close eye on your child/ren at this time. Our JTA's will soon be 'out and about' to monitor activity outside the school gates!

Online Safety – KNOW YOUR STUFF!



Important online safety information about Setting Boundaries around gaming from The National Online Safety

<https://nationalonlinesafety.com>

Mrs Bull and Mrs Hart



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