



## Perivale Primary School Newsletter

### IMPORTANT DATES

**Thursday 10th  
December - Parent  
Support Hub Zoom  
Meeting with Helen  
(school counsellor)  
9.30am**

**Wednesday 16th  
December - School  
Christmas Jumper  
day and Christmas  
Lunch**

**Nursery parents  
deadline for  
Applying for  
Reception places for  
September 2021 is  
15th January 2021**

**Last day of autumn  
term**

**Friday 18th  
December 1.00pm  
(no afternoon  
nursery)**

## Carnival Comes to Perivale!

The whole school joined in to mark the end of Black History Month today. Each class worked hard to make a float to celebrate the life of a significant black person in history.

The carnival train made its way around to each classroom this afternoon. Children also enjoyed a special Caribbean lunch too!



## Food Bank Donations

On **Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> December** we are having another school collection for the Food Bank. Our last collection reached 160 kgs. It would be wonderful if we could double this to help out families who might be struggling this Christmas. What a wonderful way to celebrate our wonderful school community.

Please do not bring fresh fruit, veg or meat. Ladies toiletries, babies nappies, toothbrushes and tooth paste are always very welcome as well as packets and tins of food.

## School Attendance



Congratulations to Beech class and Sycamore class for achieving best class attendance over the past two weeks.



## Extra Layers

As the school is required to provide constant ventilation in all classrooms, due to Covid-19, we are suggesting to parent/carers that children come to school with a vest or tee shirt underneath their school shirt.



## Online Safety Tip

Talking regularly to your child, like you would about their day at school, will help your child feel relaxed and mean that when they do have any worries about what they have seen online, they're more likely to come and speak to you.

## Goodbye to Mr Migdal

We are sad to say goodbye to Mr Migdal who will be leaving Perivale Primary school today.

You will know Mr Migdal as one of our Site Supervisors who is on gate duty at the end of each school day.

We are grateful for all of his hard work and care for our school community during his time at Perivale.

We will all miss him and wish him the very best for the future.



## Gifts at Christmas Time

We know that many of you like to buy a small gift for staff.

We really appreciate this lovely thought, however, this year, due to Covid -19 guidelines we will not be able to accept any gifts or cards. This is to ensure that we limit the transference of the virus between multiple people and therefore limit infection.

Instead of presents, we thought it would be a lovely gesture for the whole Perivale family to support vulnerable and less fortunate families this Christmas.

If you would like to express your thanks to the staff at Perivale, we are asking that instead of gifts, you demonstrate your appreciation by either: Giving an extra donation to Save The Children Fund via your Parent Pay account or bringing in an extra donation to our food bank collection on **Tuesday 15<sup>th</sup> December**.

## Online Parent Support Hub with Helen

Helen is here to support all parent/carers by offering an online zoom parents support hub, starting on Thursday 10th December at 9.30am. If you would like to join the meeting please use the link or meeting ID & password below. You will also receive an email with more details of this event.

### Join Zoom Meeting

**<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/89632410422?pwd=Q2JxeGI0c1ILSURBMDh2L2NFbUV1Zz09>**

**Meeting ID: 896 3241 0422**

**Passcode: xSPsZ5**