



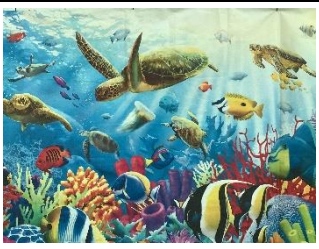


# Pound Hill Infant Academy - Term 5 – Week 5

## Friday 17th May 2024



Key Academy Events		PHIA Pupil numbers: Reception: 90 Year 1: 90 Year 2: 90	
17 <sup>th</sup> May	Pre-Loved Uniform sale on the main playground from 3.10pm	 <p style="font-size: 1.2em; font-weight: bold; color: #800000;">This Week's Spotlight on the academy</p>   	<p>Art in Year 2 this term has seen some incredible examples of artwork, using pencils, chalk and pastels. During their lessons the children experimented with tools and surfaces to look at texture and then moving onto shading and layering. The children were so proud of how they applied their knowledge and skills.</p>
Wednesday 22nd May	Year 2 Cake Sale on the main playground from 3.10pm		
Key Term Dates			
24 <sup>th</sup> May	Inset day – Academy closed to pupils	<p><b>Reception Summer Performance –</b> The children in Reception are looking forward to performing to parents next week. Dress rehearsals have been a huge success and it was delightful to welcome children from the Pre-schools to watch the dress rehearsal at the end of this week.</p> 	
27 <sup>th</sup> May – 31 <sup>st</sup> May	May Holiday – Academy closed		
23 <sup>rd</sup> July	Inset day - Academy closed to pupils		
24 <sup>th</sup> July – 30 <sup>th</sup> August	Summer Holidays		
3 <sup>rd</sup> September	Start of Term 24/25		



### Congratulations to all our Weekly Celebration Winners

Care Respect Independence Perseverance Success

**Reception:** E Demir, R Tatulescu and B Pitman **Year 1:** E Ivanova, A Nicol and N Limbachia and G Warren and **Year 2:** H Glover-Peckham, R Bonnie and B Mockler

### Love Reading



Murray Bear has lots of worries. What if the waterfall he's visiting is too loud? What if he's not very good at climbing? And what if all his friends laugh at him? With the help of his sister, Milly, Murray makes a special box in which to keep all his worries. But can the worry box really help?



### Parking

We continue to remind parents and carers to please park responsibly and respectfully at drop-off and collection times. This week, we have received a number of neighbour complaints regarding drive ways being blocked. The academy has limited powers, but we have suggested that the neighbours notify the authorities themselves to continue to raise the profile of the parking concerns. As the weather improves, we encourage the children to walk, scoot or ride to, and back from, school. Scooters and bikes (with helmets) can be left safely at the front of the academy in the shelter.

### Playground equipment – drop off and collection – Parents/Carers please help us

This is a polite reminder that academy play equipment is not to be used before or after school. This is for safety reasons. We are seeing a rise in siblings using the equipment whilst waiting for the academy doors to open, at collection time. If this continues, the academy may have to review our collection gate opening times to reduce this risk.

### Friends of Pound Hill upcoming Events:

- Friday 17th May - Preloved Uniform Sale
- June - Frozen Fridays Begin
- Friday 7th June - Amigos Magic Show (after school) - Further details to follow.
- Friday 14th June - Superman Shop
- Wednesday 26th June - Donation Day (for PH Fest!)
- Saturday 6th July - PH Fest!

