

Leadership Message

As we reach the end of our first half term, I would like to thank our parents and carers for their continued support. It has been a busy few weeks in school, and it has been particularly encouraging to see so many families attending our recent events. We welcomed around 50 parents to our Year 2 assembly, which was lovely to see, and we also had an excellent turnout at our parents' evenings this week. These occasions are incredibly important to us, as they provide opportunities to celebrate the children's learning, share their progress and strengthen the relationships between home and school. The level of engagement we are seeing is a positive indication that our school community is working together, and this is something we value enormously. Strong relationships with our families are central to what we want to achieve, and we hope to continue building on these throughout the year.

Looking ahead, we have another busy and exciting half term planned, with plenty of opportunities for children to develop their learning and for families to become involved in school life. One event we are particularly looking forward to is our **Pop-Up Museum in December**, when we will be opening our doors and inviting families into school to see the learning that children have completed throughout the term. This will be a wonderful opportunity for pupils to take pride in their work and share their knowledge and achievements with you. We also have our Christmas Nativity performances, Christmas Fayre, a range of educational visits and lots of visitors coming into school to enrich the children's learning. We will share further information and dates as the half term progresses, and we hope that as many families as possible will be able to join us.

Finally, I would like to remind all our families that **our doors are always open**. We recognise that family life can sometimes be challenging, and there may be occasions when you need a little extra help or support. Whilst our first priority is always the children in our care, we also want to support our families wherever we can. Whether your concerns relate to your child's learning, wellbeing, attendance or something happening outside school, please continue to talk to us. We may not always have the answers, but we will always listen and do our best to help or direct you towards appropriate support. Working together makes a real difference. Thank you once again for your support this half term. I hope you all enjoy a restful and enjoyable half-term break, and we look forward to welcoming everyone back on Tuesday 3rd November.



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Dates for your Diary

MON 26th Oct – FRI 30th Oct

School closed for HALF-TERM

MON 2nd Nov

School CLOSED for training

MON 9th Nov

School Photographs

WEDS 18th Nov

Y6 visit to Black Country Living Museum

MON 30th Nov

School CLOSED for training

Secondary School Applications



Is your child in Year 6? You must submit an online application for a secondary school by 31 October 2026. Have you applied?

https://www.birmingham.gov.uk/info/20119/school_admissions/1778/secondary_school_year_7_admissions

Child sat a grammar test? Wait for your child's test results before naming a grammar school as one of your six preferences.



Safeguarding: Bonfire Night: help keep children and young people safe

With Bonfire Night coming up, please help us remind children about staying safe around fireworks and when out and about during the darker evenings.

- talk to your children about the dangers of handling or misusing fireworks
- make sure you know where children and young people are and who they are with, particularly during darker evenings
- attend organised firework displays rather than unsupervised gatherings
- remember to follow firework safety advice.

Further guidance and advice is available from [RoSPA: Firework safety](#). We hope everyone celebrating Bonfire Night has a safe and enjoyable time.

Superstar Students

Star Pupils of the Week

Year 1
Guleed, Yusuf

Year 2
Laith, Ahmed

Year 3
Ahil, Ethan

Year 4
Aila, Shaheer

Year 5
Aisha, Issa

Year 6
Anais, Juwairiyah



Marvellous Mathematicians

Year 1
Huzaifah, Azaan

Year 2
Ali, Birrah

Year 3
Hudayfa

Year 4
Mariyam, Yunus

Year 5
Sophia, Khadija

Year 6
Yusuf, Zayn

Umaymah

Lara

Abdullahi

Abukar

Congratulations to these children whose attendance has improved recently. Keep it up!

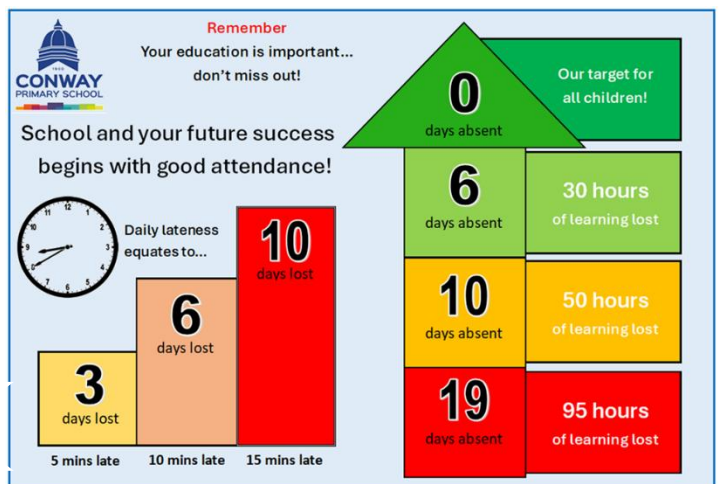
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**School Attendance
this week:**

4

days lost per class

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Next Week's Celebration Assembly: Friday, 8:50-9:30am

Invited parents/carers will be notified before the assembly.