

Fortnite – online gaming

We need your help!

As I’m sure you know already, Fortnite is a new online game that is incredibly popular with children. If your children say they’re playing Fortnite, they’re probably talking about Battle Royale, the free-to-play multiplayer version of Fortnite. In this version, up to 100 people participate in an online match together. Players compete to be the last one standing by killing every other player in the game.

Players can also communicate with each other, and it’s some of these communications that may cause us problems in school.

Other schools have had to spend time helping sort out arguments between children when they have become upset about what a friend has said or done during a game. It can mean some children are less able to focus in class because of a disagreement they’ve had the night before, and some parents worry that their children are even becoming addicted to the game and screen time in general. The game actually has a certificate of 12+ which means it’s deemed unsuitable for children of primary school age anyway.

We just ask that all parents keep an eye on what their children are doing online, who they’re talking to and what they’re saying to each other. Many thanks for your support.

Attendance and Punctuality

	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Attendance	87.5%	98.1%	97.5%	100%	87.9%	97.6%	99.5%
Punctuality	8	3	1	6	2	1	2

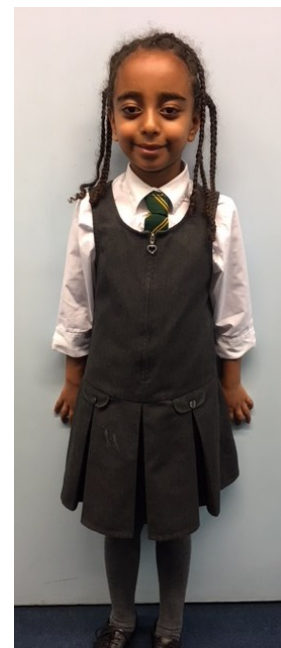
Excellent work from Year 3 this week, lets see how many more classes can get 100% next week.

Fantastic effort in Year 2 and Year 5 with only one late.

Year 2 at the Holland Park Ecology Centre searching for mini beasts



Spotted looking smart this week...



Meron (Y2)

Dates for your diary



Wed 31 Oct - Deadline for secondary transfer applications

Tues 6 Nov 9.30 - First World War 100th anniversary remembrance service, KS2, St James Norland Church

Tues 18 Dec 6pm - KS2 Christmas carol concert