

Polehampton C of E Schools ~ 11th September 2026

"Let your light shine" Matthew 5:16

The end of our first full week of the new academic year! It has been fantastic to see our Nursery and Reception children already enjoying their learning at Polehampton.

Earlier in the week, we welcomed our CEO, Hester Wooller, to the Junior school. She enjoyed walking round the school and seeing the children in their new year groups.

Our value for this half term is gratitude. We have explained to the children that gratitude means being thankful for the good things that people do for us or the good things that we have.

Finally, thank you to all parents who have either caught me or Miss Ackerman in passing, on the playgrounds or in one of our offices following the tragic news of Mrs Castell's husband's passing. Your kind words and thoughts have been really appreciated.



With very best wishes,
Mrs Medcalf
Co-Head of Polehampton CE Schools

Infant open mornings

Tuesday 13th October

Thursday 22nd October

Friday 13th November

Friday 27th November

Monday 7th December

Monday 11th January

2027

Junior open mornings

16th Oct 0915

4th November 0915

24th November 0915

CHANGES TO PHONE NUMBER

In order to simplify communication systems for parents, over the summer we have arranged an amalgamation of our phone systems.

From 21st September, we will be using 0118 934 0246 only. This number will then give you the option of speaking to the infants/nursery school office, or the juniors school office. It will also make transferring calls between sites easier for staff and families. This is another exciting development in our school's infrastructure.

Polite Reminders:

Please do not allow children to play on the Infant play equipment after school, thank you.

Squishes (toys) are not to be brought in to either school. The children were aware of this in the Summer term but a reminder as we start the new school year.

Bikes and scooters. Our playgrounds at both sites can be busy at drop off and pick up times. For this reason, children are to walk with their bikes and scooters into and out of the school grounds.

Infant football:

Years one and two will be able to play football at lunchtimes from next week. There will be a timetable! If your child would like to play football on the field at lunchtimes, please provide them with an extra pair of trainers that can be kept in school. Thank you.