



Our values: Resilience, Kindness, Responsibility, Ambition



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🌟 Weekly Roundup 🌟

Last week was another fantastic week of sporting success and teamwork here at Phoenix. Our Year 4 dodgeball team showed excellent effort and behaviour throughout their competition – a real credit to the school. A big well done also goes to our Year 6 footballers, who kicked off their season in style with a well-deserved win. Finally, a huge congratulations to our cross-country team who completed their second race of the season at Newsham Park. Thank you to all the children who took part, represented Phoenix with pride, and lived out our school values so brilliantly. It was lovely to hear about the EYFS ‘pizza party’ this week, Miss EL- Saiegh had a wonderful time!

We would also like to say a big thank you to our two Year 4 pupils, Yahya and Sophie, who read out their writing to the whole school today. It was wonderful to hear (and see) the excellent learning that is clearly going on across Phoenix.

Our school value for this half term is: Kindness

Punctuality Matters

Being on time makes a big difference to your child’s day. Pupils should arrive at school for 8:45am so they are ready for learning to begin promptly at 8:50am. A calm, punctual start ensures children don’t miss valuable learning time and helps set a positive tone for the whole day.

Polite Reminder – Mobile Phones

We kindly remind all parents that mobile phones should not be used to take photos or videos around the school site. This is to help us keep all children and staff, safe. In particular, we ask our Foundation Stage parents to ensure phones are put away during drop-off and collection times. Thank you for your support with this important matter.

Friends of Phoenix – Cake Sale (Wed 8 October)

A quick reminder that the Friends of Phoenix cake sale takes place this Wednesday, 8 October. All money raised will go directly towards supporting class trips. We want to put fundraising on parents’ radar as it plays an important part in helping us provide memorable experiences and opportunities for all of our pupils. Thank you in advance for your support.

Key Dates/Events



8/10/25 - ‘Friends of Phoenix’ Cake sale (3.20pm)

15/10/25 – Y4 Class Trip.

21/10/25 – Parents Evening.

★ Attendance Stars ★

Our whole school target is 97%

Whole School Attendance:

92%

Best Class Attendance:

Reception - 97.7%



★ Wellbeing Tips/Tricks ★

This week, why not try building a little “screen-free time” into your family routine? Switching off phones, tablets and TVs – even for just 20 minutes – can create valuable space for conversation, games, or simply enjoying each other’s company. These small moments of connection can really boost everyone’s wellbeing