

Felsted Primary School

Friday Flyer



26/1/2024



SCHOOL UPDATES

We have been working hard to improve our school facilities as part of our School Improvement Plan. Some of you may not be aware of these changes so I thought it would be good to have a positive update! Last term Miss Wiseman worked really hard to

develop a new library area which is now located in our Victorian building. This new space is much bigger and a lovely space for children to read and share books.



We have also relocated our Sunflower Room – this is a place where children can come if they need some quiet or sensory time. Mrs Layzell has made this a cozy space and this is used regularly by some of our pupils.

Our thanks to the staff for getting these areas set up so our children have these much needed facilities.

NO OUTSIDERS

We work closely with other schools in the area and as part of this partnership we have set up a competition for our children. If your child is in Key Stage 2 you will be aware they have been working hard on creating and performing a speech based around the theme – No Outsiders, All Different, All Welcome. The children have wowed us with their work on this theme and how accepting they are of differences. Each class have put forward their best speech and these will be performed in assembly next week. The winners will go forward to a cross school's competition later in the year. Whatever the outcome we are so proud of the positive and inclusive approach our children have taken.



WALK TO SCHOOL LEADERBOARD

- 1st - BIRCH TREE
- 2nd - APPLE TREE
- 3rd - OAK TREE



CLASS CERTIFICATES

- CHERRY:** Daisy & Logan
- APPLE:** Megan & Alex
- BIRCH:** Maddie & Lily P
- MAPLE:** Blake & Finn
- LAUREL:** Indi-Lee & Freddie R



POLITE AWARD

Esme from Maple Tree

JIM BEAR AWARDS

- OAK:** Callum
- APPLE :** Beatrice and Evelyn

Brrilliant – well done! 😊



BUILDING WORK

Some of you may be aware that building work is due to start on the field next to school. We have received a letter to say this will be starting the week commencing 5th February. Please be aware this may cause some disruption and that children should be kept well clear of the construction site. Part of the development includes a new side entrance for us and a car park which parents will be able to use at pick up and drop off times. I will send out more details once the plans for this have been finalised.

AUTISM CENTRAL - SUPPORT PROVIDED BY FAMILIES/CARERS FOR FAMILIES/CARERS

[Autism Central](#) offers information, group online sessions and 1:1 support via telephone or Teams. A diagnosis is not needed to access this free service. Upcoming events include:

- Tuesday 23 January 2024 - Supporting Sensory Needs
- Thursday 1 February 2024 - Supporting After-school Distress
- Thursday 8 February 2024 - Supporting Sleeping
- Thursday 15 February 2024 - Holiday Survival

The children in Key Stage 2 were all given the opportunity to work on their cooking skills this week.

Darren from the catering company we use led these sessions. The children thoroughly enjoyed making a Greek dish and tasting this at the end. As soon as we have the recipe we will share this with you as I know lots of the children were keen to make it again at home.



Don't forget there is an AGM coming up and the PTFA need some new recruits to run the important events to raise much needed money for the school. The date of this meeting is

Thursday 29th February between 2pm and 3pm.

CONTACT DETAILS

Please get in contact with us if you have any questions or queries that can't be addressed through Tapestry. For general questions use the admin@felsted-pri.essex.sch.uk. Any SEN enquiries should be sent to senco@felsted-pri.essex.sch.uk. For anything confidential please email directly to the head using the head@felsted-pri.essex.sch.uk

ATTENDANCE



This week Bruno will be going to MAPLE TREE well done! Their attendance was 100%!!

Weekly average for attendance this week was 94.6%.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:-

5/2/24: Y3 Colchester Castle Trip

5/2/24: Y6 Duxford Trip

7/2/24: Parent Class Rep Meeting
9.00am

7/2/24: Open Evening
Appointments

13/2/24: Science Workshops

14/2/24: Open Evening
Appointments

16/2/24: Non-Pupil Day

29/2/24: Y3 Class Assembly

Wishing everyone a restful weekend from Mrs Collins and all the staff at Felsted Primary School

