



# OLD FLETTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

## Weekly Update - Monday 16th October 2023

### Parents - You Are Important!

After half term we will be holding elections for a parent governor. This is a great opportunity for you to be actively involved in the strategic planning and direction of the school. You would be instrumental in helping all governors, including myself, to have a full picture of the needs of the community. This is not to be confused with being the voice of the parents; it is about strategy and long-term thinking. More information will follow after half term.

### Consultation Evenings

We are holding our consultation evenings on Tuesday 17th and Thursday 19th October, this is your opportunity to find out how well your child is performing in class with their learning, attitudes and behaviours. It is also an opportunity to discuss any concerns you may have and to see where we can work together to ensure best outcomes. We look forward to seeing you there.

### Staff Car Park

I am pleased to say that the visitor's car park, although still very busy, is much safer for our vulnerable pupils. Thank you for your support in this matter. However, as I am now in the staff car park, I have noticed some parents choosing to stand and talk at the entry and exit point and even allowing their children to play in the car park. As you can appreciate, this is not acceptable, please make sure when we hand over the children to you at the end of the day, they remain safe and under your constant supervision.

Some of you may be aware there was an ambulance and police presence on Wednesday morning. This incident did not directly involve a pupil at our school, but highlights the dangers when crossing the road. The secondary-aged pupil, after being assessed, was well enough to walk home with their parent.

### Request for Spare Clothes

Any donations of spare tracksuit bottoms or leggings in sizes 3-4 years or 4-5 years (any colour) would be gratefully received for our Nursery class to use as spares. Please bring them to the main Reception.

### Diary Dates

#### Week Commencing 16th October

Parent consultation evenings.

Thursday 19th October  
Nursery stay and play.

Friday 20th October  
Harvest Festival Assembly.

Monday 23rd - Friday 27th October (inclusive)  
Half Term.

Monday 13th - Friday 17th November  
Anti-bullying Week.

## Harvest Festival

We will be accepting donations on Thursday 19th and Friday 20th October for our Harvest Festival. These donations will be used to support Peterborough Food Bank and the crucial work they do to help individuals and families within the city.

### **Items currently needed include:**

Long-life fruit juice  
Rice pudding  
Tinned Soup, Fruit, Meat & Fish  
Deodorant and Shower Gel  
UHT Milk  
Bottles of Squash (1 litre)  
Toilet Rolls

### **Currently the food bank has a plentiful supply of:**

Baked Beans  
Pulses  
Pasta  
Female sanitary products

## Attendance

RSK	92.8%	3EB	96.1%
RMH	95.8%	4TD	88.7%
1NG	98.6%	4HT	96.3%
1JR	97.0%	5FS	96.2%
2CF	97.0%	5SS	98.1%
2AM	95.7%	6SM	95.0%
3RP	92.8%	6JP	98.5%