



FPS Newsletter

Friday 7th February 2025

Notices & Information

Welcome to another edition of our newsletter with only a week to go before half term. We are busy beavering away through our learning journeys and enjoying the start of our wider ops sessions - this term with a difference, watch this space!

School Grounds

Please can we remind parents not to drive onto the school grounds at any time of the day, even after school ends. This is to ensure our site security and safety for any pupils still on site as well as our staff. Thank you for your understanding.

Bike Bus

As part of an initiative to encourage children to travel to school by bicycle, Joyriders would like to start a bike bus which will run through part of Redbridge, including Fullwood. Please see the message below from Joyriders regarding the Bike Bus scheme. **Please note that this initiative is not being run by the school.**

Fullwood and Gearies Primary Schools, in partnership with Joyriders Cycling Instructors, are joining up to create the first school bike bus for our schools. The 'bike bus' is a group bike ride for everyone at our schools to join and ride to school together. There will be 'bike bus stops' on a map where you and your children can join the bike bus on its way to school. The bus will run to and from school every Tuesday during term time from May. For more information, and to express an interest in joining, please visit the bike bus website at joyriders.org.uk/rb-bike-bus.



Don't forget Zones of Regulation (ZoR) Workshop next week supporting "Enabling the Green" Positive Strategies to Promote Calm and Well-Being at Home

Date: Friday, 14th February

Time: 9:15 am – 10:30 am (refreshments available from 8:45 am)

Location: Fullwood Small hall

As part of the workshop, we'd like to invite your child to take part in some of the activities! If you let us know you're attending, we can arrange for your child to join you in the session by releasing them from class. This will be a great opportunity to engage together, create, and take home some fantastic resources.

Fullwood Factor Reminder

The Fullwood Factor returns for 2025! For parents who are new to the school, Fullwood Factor is a talent show where children can audition to take part in the final. There are no winners or losers during the final but an opportunity to perform their talents to an audience of parents and peers. The timeline and dates for the various stages of the Fullwood Factor are as follows:



- Friday 31st January 2025 - Fullwood Factor information & dates go home to parents, and parents can sign their children up from Friday 31.1.25
- Wednesday 12th February 2025 - deadline for Parents to complete the Google form regarding signing up for the audition stage. The Google form can be accessed via the following link: <https://forms.gle/cTneMFL9ySzs76vy6>
- Monday 24th February 2025 - Audition session 1 (from 3.45-5 pm) in their phase groups
- Tuesday 25th February 2025 - Audition session 2 (from 3.45-5 pm) in their phase groups
- Friday 28th February 2025 - Children who have made the final will be notified and children who have not met the final will be notified.
- Wednesday 5th March 2025 - Dress rehearsal for all Finalists
- Thursday 6th March 2025 - Fullwood Factor Final (3:45-5:00 pm)

If your child would like to participate in this year's Fullwood Factor, please fill out the form using the link above to let us know details about their act (what type of performance? Music tracks? Group or Individual? Who else are they performing with? Groups need to fill out the form only once as a group with a lead member)

Coffee Morning Invitation:



We are excited to invite all parents, mums and dads, to a Coffee Morning on **Monday 3rd March 2025** to introduce a series of workshops and presentations that will run over the summer term. These workshops will be led by SEATTS specialists, teachers (Gemma and Lilly), and an Educational Psychologist (Victoria).

This is a wonderful opportunity to come along, have a chat, and find out more about the workshops we have planned. **Refreshments will be available** to enjoy as you learn more about how these sessions can support both you and your child. We look forward to seeing you there!

Reminder: Women's Fitness at Fullwood!

Don't forget to sign up for **Women's Fitness** at Fullwood!

As mentioned in last week's newsletter, we're excited to offer mums/carers a chance to focus on their health and well-being in a safe, supportive, and fun environment. These women-only sessions are a great way to get fit, reduce stress, and connect with others in the community.



We've only had a few responses so far, and we need at least 10 to make the sessions viable. To ensure the group goes ahead, please sign up by Thursday 13th February 2025. For more information and to register your interest click on the link [Women's fitness sessions 2025](#)

News Reports

All news reports which recount our school & PA events can be found on our school website using the link below

<https://fullwoodprimary.co.uk/news/>



Writer of week

Celebrate Writing

<i>Class</i>	<i>Writer of the week</i>	<i>Class</i>	<i>Writer of the week</i>
<i>Nursery</i>	<i>Sara</i>	<i>C8</i>	<i>Yaqub</i>
<i>C1</i>	<i>Aarav</i>	<i>C9</i>	<i>Fatima</i>
<i>C2</i>	<i>Asia 'H-Rein</i>	<i>C10</i>	<i>Leticia</i>
<i>C3</i>	<i>Prisha</i>	<i>C11</i>	<i>Ibraheem</i>
<i>C4</i>	<i>Jasnav</i>	<i>C12</i>	<i>Luke</i>
<i>C5</i>	<i>Elliot</i>	<i>C13</i>	<i>Dayen</i>
<i>C6</i>	<i>Josh</i>	<i>C14</i>	<i>Mohammad</i>
<i>C7</i>	<i>Mariyam</i>		

Class Points

We use class points at Fullwood to recognise and promote great behaviour around the school as well as developing a class cohesion between children in each class. They need to work together to earn points throughout the week and weekly totals are recorded each week and added together for the half term scoreboard!.

Weekly class winner - receives 30 minutes of golden time - this is time where children choose what they would like to do.

Half Termly Totals Class winner - receives a non-uniform day for their whole class only - whilst the rest of the school comes to school in red!

Well done to class 10 who received 45 class points this week. Have fun with your golden time!

Class Point Totals - Spring Term 2025

w/b	C1	C2	C3	C4	C5	C6	C7	C8	C9	C10	C11	C12	C13	C14
w/b 6.1.25	19	36	32	17	10	31	11	23	9	45	7	27	22	5
w/b 13.1.25	11	26	39	31	17	46	10	16	13	55	21	41	10	17
w/b 20.1.25	15	0	31	9	15	22	11	30	21	32	34	46	30	24
w/b 27.1.25	27	47	42	30	30	64	23	53	29	34	20	35	5	20
w/b 3.2.25	10	17	31	30	37	42	28	48	17	49	3	54	33	20
Total	82	126	175	117	109	205	83	170	89	215	85	203	100	86

Gold Awards

Children at Fullwood receive Gold Awards for excellent behaviour and attitudes to learning and for acts of kindness and support in our community.

Name	Class	Reason for Gold Award
Bilal	Class 2	Gold award for Bilal for being kind and considerate.
Sunehra	Class 1	For always listening to adults in the school and being ready to learn.
Ameera	Class 14	For always helping younger children and being a good role model.
Saara	Class 9	For being a role model.
Safiya	Class 5	for showing brilliant learning behaviour in class and taking the initiative
Alejandro	Class 12	For being extremely polite and courteous to a member of staff - Miss Martin
Ameerah	Class 3	For having a positive attitude to learning and supportive to peers
Abdullah	Class 3	For having a positive attitude to learning and supportive to peers
Azaan	Class 3	For having a positive attitude to learning and supportive to peers
Ediz	Class 3	For having a positive attitude to learning and supportive to peers
Fatima	Class 8	For showing kindness to others.
Saara	Class 8	For being her exemplary behaviour and being a wonderful example
Nyra	Class 8	For helping others and showing kindness.



Attendance Star' Class

Remember to ensure your child is at school every day and that he/she is in school ready for our soft start from 8.50am - 9.00am at the latest. This is time for your child to review their work in books, respond to their teacher's marking and to read and complete early work activities.

The class with the best attendance each week will get the star which will be displayed in the main school hall. The class with the most attendance stars at the end of the year will receive a surprise fun trip as a reward for excellent attendance.

Class	Attendance	Class	Attendance
Class 1	96.55	Class 8	78.52
Class 2	96.93	Class 9	95.19
Class 3	94.07	Class 10	97.04
Class 4	93.87	Class 11	93.7
Class 5	88.15	Class 12	94.44
Class 6	94.44	Class 13	98.89
Class 7	93.33	Class 14	94.81

Well done to class 13 with over 98% attendance this week. **Our whole school target is 97%**

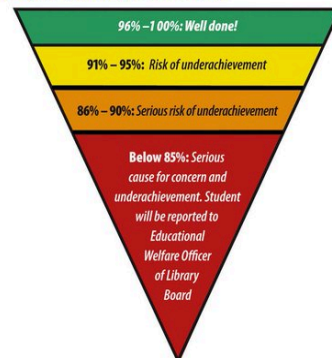
EVERY SCHOOL DAY COUNTS

Every single day a child is absent from school equates to a day of lost learning.

Attendance percentages can be misleading.

100% Attendance	0 Days Missed	EXCELLENT
95% Attendance	9 Days of Absence 1 Week and 4 Days of Learning Missed	SATISFACTORY
90% Attendance	19 Days of Absence 3 Weeks and 4 Days of Learning Missed	POOR
85% Attendance	28 Days of Absence 5 Weeks and 3 Days of Learning Missed	UNACCEPTABLE
80% Attendance	38 Days of Absence 7 Weeks and 3 Days of Learning Missed	UNACCEPTABLE
75% Attendance	46 Days of Absence 9 Weeks and 1 Day of Learning Missed	UNACCEPTABLE

For some parents 90% may seem like an acceptable level of attendance, but the reality is that 90% attendance means that your child will miss half a school day each week or 19 days of school during the school year – that's nearly four school weeks.



Upcoming Dates

DATE	EVENT
Tuesday 11th February 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> EYFS Dino Day - Nursery and Reception children to dress as a Dino Hunters Safer Internet Day 2025 Some Y5/6 children to netball at Redbridge sports centre
Wednesday 12th February 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Some Y2 children at Redbridge Sports Centre for tennis
Thursday 13th February 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> InterFaith Day - wear religious or cultural clothing Eco-Leaders group to Churchfields Primary School (letters have been sent home) Some Y5 and Y6 children to Redbridge Sports Centre for gymnastics
Friday 14th February 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Enabling the Green - Zones of Regulation workshop Last day of Spring term 1st half - school finishes at normal time of 3:30 pm
Monday 24th February 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> First day of Spring term 2nd half - school opens at normal time of 8:50 - 9:00 am Mark from East Side working with Year 5 all day Meet the Outreach - more details to follow (9:15 am - 1:15 am) Fullwood Factor Auditions session 1 - 3:45 pm - 5:00 pm
Tuesday 25th February 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fullwood Factor Auditions session 2 - 3:45 pm - 5:00 pm
Thursday 6th March 2025	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Fullwood Factor Final - 3:45 pm - 5:00 pm - more details regarding performers and ticket sales will be available after the audition stage