

Felsted Primary School

Friday Flyer



21/3/2025



SWIMMING POOL UPDATE



We are busy working on preparing the pool for the swimming lessons planned in the summer term. Mr Fleuty and I have been working through the final elements of our training. We are very pleased to have our new auto dosing system in place – thanks

again to the PTFA for the funding towards this. We have a new maintenance company overseeing the practical training and offering support and advice which has been brilliant.



All members of our school community are continuing to develop our outside area and what we have on offer at playtimes. We know that playing is an integral part of the school day. In the average UK primary, playtime takes up more than 20% of a child's time at school.

This amounts to around 1.4 years of their primary school life! OFSTED are increasingly recognising the interconnection between play and learning, development, health and happiness.

We are looking to further develop our site, making new zones and refreshing others. We have recently put out a plea on Tapestry asking for any small world role play items. We also continually aim to keep our stock of 'loose parts' up-to-date and there is a poster attached with items we are looking for. Please keep an eye out on the calendar dates, as after half term we will be inviting parents in for a play session with all the children. Thank you to the PTFA for the goal posts and all the new equipment, such as, balls, beanbags, bat and ball games and wellies.

MAD HAIR DAY

Thanks for the amazing hairstyles created for this fun occasion! The children looked fabulous. If you would like to make a donation to Comic Relief, please can the money be brought in on Monday.

WALK TO SCHOOL LEADERBOARD

1st - Laurel
2nd - Birch
3rd - Oak

Brilliant – well done! 😊





Many thanks to those who have already completed the survey. We appreciate your feedback and would love to gain a well-rounded view of our school. If you haven't yet responded, we'd be grateful for your thoughts on what the school is doing well and how we can improve our provision. Your input is invaluable in helping us grow and enhance our community. The survey closes on **Thursday, 3rd April**. Please click [here](#) to share your views. Thank you for your time and support!



CONCERT FEEDBACK FOR MISS MUIR

Miss Muir and Mrs Clarke worked incredibly hard to put the concert together, and we were all delighted with the outcome. The children loved sharing their singing

with you, and it was wonderful to see such a great turnout. We always strive to improve, and we'd love to hear your thoughts on how we can make this event even better in the future. Miss Muir has prepared a short survey, which she will share with you on Tapestry next week. Please take a moment to share your feedback with us—we truly appreciate it!



DANCE EVENT

Congratulations to our year six dance team who performed at Saffron Hall this week. They lit up the stage with their exciting routine and boundless enthusiasm. Caitlin, Daisy, Ella, Emilia-Rose, Frankie and Libby - you were amazing!

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 Elm Tree - well done! Their attendance was 100 %!! Weekly average for attendance this week was 94.7%.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:-

- March 31st:** OWL and Eco week
- April 3rd:** Easter Egg Hunt 3.15pm
- April 7th-21st** – Easter Holidays
- April 22nd** – Children return to school
- April 25th** – Cherry Tree trip to Gemma's Farm
- April 28th -May 1** – Laurel and Oak Parent Lunches
- May 12th-15th:** SATs week Y6
- May 16th:** Birch Tree class assembly
- June 6th:** Laurel Tree Class Assembly
- June 9th:** INSET day
- June 11th:** Elm Class assembly
- June 13th:** Parent drop in session
- 18th-20th June:** Y6 residential

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

