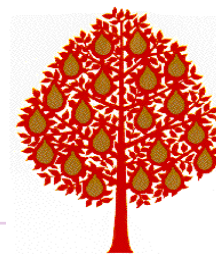




*Whoever you are, be happy, be safe,  
be kind, stay sensible, love learning.  
Keep caring!*



# *The Perryfields Post*

Dear Parents/Carers

## *Happy New Year!*

Dear Parents and Carers

This is my first Perryfields Post for 2024. It was wonderful to see all the children return to school and get back to some form of normality after the festive period.

Although the spring term is a very short term there is a lot of learning to be done and a lot of fun activities to look forward to.

## *A Guide to Online Safety and Gaming*

It was wonderful to hear that so many parents attended the 2Johns E-safety Zoom meeting on Monday. The feedback we have received so far has been extremely positive.

As a new generation of young people arrive onto using multiplayer games and internet in general this new year, it is more important than ever to make children aware of how to stay safe online. The SWGFL has published a pamphlet on how to best keep safe whilst using online software and games. With advice on reporting and blocking, online socialisation and the considerations on online gaming, the pamphlet can be a useful resource for any parents and teachers, giving lessons on the topic. You can find a link to that resource below:

<https://swgfl.org.uk/assets/documents/online-safety-and-gaming.pdf>

## *Friday 19th January—FIPS Meeting at 2pm*

Our next Friends In Perryfields School (FIPS) meeting is on Friday 19h January at 2pm at school. Please come along and help us to think of fun activities for the children whilst helping to raise much needed funds for the school. I look forward to seeing you there. This will be held in school and pre-school children are welcome.

## *Parent/Grandparent Helper/Volunteer*

Would you like to come into school to support the children's learning, hear readers, work in the class, help to stick in all their lovely work into their topic books, help on school trips? If so, I will be holding a parent volunteer talk on Friday 2nd February 9:10am. Pop along to see what this would entail. I look forward to seeing you there.

Have a lovely weekend.

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### *Dates for your diary...*

- 26th Jan—Owl Visit at school
- 2nd Feb—Parent FIPS meeting at 2pm (everyone welcome)
- 6th Feb—Maths parent workshop (details to follow)
- 8th Feb—Open Afternoons 3:05-3:30pm
- 19th Feb—23rd Feb HALF TERM
- 26th Feb—INSET DAY (Non-pupil day)
- 29th Feb—Parents Evening
- 5th Mar—Parents Evening (Change of date)
- 7th Mar—World Book Day (details to follow)
- 28th Mar—Last day 1:15pm home time (no Peardrops)
- EASTER HOLIDAY
- 15th April—Children back to school
- 19th April—Class Photos

**Mrs Farmer's Attendance Award -**  
**Emerald & Topaz**  
**Class 98.89%**