



# Milton Primary School

## Fortnightly Newsletter

21<sup>st</sup> September 2018

### Headteacher's Comment

It was lovely to see so many of you at the Meet the Teacher open afternoon earlier this week. I hope families are feeling increasingly well informed about what the different classes will be learning about. If you were unable to attend, please let the school office know and they will be happy to get you a copy of the presentation which the teachers issued on the day.

For those of you that are interested in having a voice and sharing ideas to help our school to improve further, then please feel free to come along to our Parent Voice group next Friday, 28<sup>th</sup> September. I'll bring the biscuits!

Can I also take this opportunity to politely remind parents of the following expectations when in and around the school site, which are purely for the safety and wellbeing of our children:

- No smoking/ vaping
- No dogs
- No parking on zig zag lines outside school
- No entry onto the school site (car park or playground) unless it has been agreed in advance

I thank you in advance for your co-operation and understanding with these matters.

In addition, there have unfortunately been several reported untreated cases of head lice in various classes, and while we understand that there is sometimes no escape, we urge parents to treat cases as soon as possible to avoid them spreading to other children as repeatedly untreated cases are regarded as a sign of neglect.

Finally, can I remind you all that school is closed to children on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> for an INSET day. We look forward to welcoming children back on Tuesday.

Have a lovely weekend,

**Mrs Burke**

**PFA**

**Make sure you take a look at the PFA newsletter which is on our website with details of upcoming events!**

## Attendance 03.9.18- 20.9.18

Class 1 FP Miss Allen	Class 2 FP Miss Thomas/ Mrs Clarke	Class 3 FP Mrs Rowan	Class 6 FP Miss Choo	Class 7 FP Mrs Perrott/ Mrs Boone	Class 8 FP Miss Cornwall	Class 9 FP Mrs Roche	Class 6 KS2 Miss McClymont	Class 5 KS2 Mrs Clarke	Class 4 KS2 Miss Instone
96% Amber	97% Amber	93% Amber	88% Red	91% Amber	90% Red	96% Amber	96% Amber	98% Green	94% Amber

Class 3 KS2 Mrs Wells/ Mrs Hodge	Class 2 KS2 Mrs Birchmore	Class 7 KS2 Miss Jones	Class 8 KS2 Mrs Thomas	Class 9 KS2 Miss Cahill	Class 10 KS2 Mr Oram	Class 11 KS2 Mrs Ryan
94% Amber	92% Red	93% Amber	96% Amber	96% Amber	95% Amber	93% Amber

Gold standard - 100%; Green Standard - above 97%; Amber Standard – between 92% and 97%; Red Standard – below 92%

**School Target 93.3% - beaten by Class 1FP, 2FP, 3FP, 9FP, & Class 6KS2, 5KS2, 4KS2, 3KS2, 7KS2, 8KS2, 9KS2, 10KS2, – Well done!**

## Important Dates

*(New dates are in bold)*

- Monday 24<sup>th</sup> September 2018: INSET day- school closed
- Friday 28<sup>th</sup> September 2018 @ 9am: Parent Voice Group (all welcome!)
- Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> October 2018: Pupil Photographs
- Thursday 8<sup>th</sup> November 2018: Open evening for parents
- Tuesday 13<sup>th</sup> November 2018: Flu Immunisation
- Monday 26<sup>th</sup> November 2018: Pantomime Visit to school- Sleeping Beauty
- Friday 30<sup>th</sup> November 2018: Deadline for Y7 applications
- Wednesday 12<sup>th</sup> December 2018: Y2 Christmas Performance
- Wednesday 19<sup>th</sup> December 2018: Christmas Parties
- Friday 21<sup>st</sup> December 2018: INSET day- school closed
- Monday 7<sup>th</sup> January 2019: INSET day- school closed
- Monday 14<sup>th</sup> January 2019: Deadline for Reception applications
- Monday 22<sup>nd</sup> July 2019: INSET day- school closed