



Milton Primary School

Fortnightly Newsletter

8th October 2018

Headteacher's Comment

This term is certainly flying by, and I can hardly believe it's time for another newsletter!

We have had a smooth and successful start to the school year so far, and I have to offer my thanks to all our families for your support and understanding with issues that continue to be a challenge for us: attendance and school dinner arrears.

Our attendance during September was 93%, which is just short of our school target of 93.3%. However, unfortunately only 5 out of our 17 classes beat the target during the last fortnight. Please let us continue to work together to try to achieve this target. As always, please ensure your children are in school on time!

Please can families also ensure that their Parent Pay accounts are kept topped up. The office spends an inordinate amount of time chasing dinner debt, and this could be avoided if all families ensured their accounts were kept in credit. The school currently has £2386 of debt that we are seeking to clear.

Have a great week

Mrs Burke

PFA

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

Attendance 24.9.18- 05.10.18

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 Miss Mogford	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
94% Amber	93% Amber	91% Red	81% Red	92% Amber	92% Amber	90% Red	89% Red	88% Red	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
89% Red	87% Red	88% Red	93% Amber	95% Amber	89% Red	85% Red

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, 4KS2, 8KS2 & 9KS2 – Well done!

Important Dates

(New dates are in bold)

- Tuesday 16th October 2018: Pupil Photographs
- Thursday 8th November 2018: Open evening for parents
- Tuesday 13th November 2018: Flu Immunisation
- Monday 26th November 2018: Pantomime Visit to school- Sleeping Beauty
- Friday 30th November 2018: Deadline for Y7 applications
- Wednesday 12th December 2018: Y2 Christmas Performance
- Wednesday 19th December 2018: Christmas Parties
- Friday 21st December 2018: INSET day- school closed
- Monday 7th January 2019: INSET day- school closed
- Monday 14th January 2019: Deadline for Reception applications
- Monday 22nd July 2019: INSET day- school closed