



NEWSLETTER FOR OLDFLEET PRIMARY SCHOOL

Dear Parents and Carers



We have reached the end of another successful year where our children have grown in their learning and their maturities, and they are clearly ready to move onto the next steps of their education.

This year has seen our children accessing a range of educational visits to enrich their learning along with investment in classroom developments, further new playground equipment and our garden area to enhance the opportunities of playing and working together. Building work is being completed over the holidays to improve our school further so please look out for these exciting changes in September.

Our Junior Leadership Team have shared the voice of our children in our school at Thrive trust events and across the city. We are very proud to share that our Junior Leadership Team were awarded the Eco Schools Green Flag award again for their ongoing work in and around our school, around our local community and teaming up with local school's to address citywide issues. We are very proud. Please watch on Twitter (follow us @OldfleetP) for the further work of the young leaders of our school and the improvements they are making in the new academic year.

As we come to the end of another year, our Year 6 children are prepared and ready for the next steps in their educational journey as they move on to their secondary schools. We are very proud of each and every one of them and all they have achieved. We wish them every success in their future adventures and ask them to keep in touch as we would love to hear how they continue to be successful. As they leave our school for the final time, our Year 6 children will make a procession through the school where all other children will line the way in celebration of their achievements and they will leave through the Millennium garden on Friday 21st July at 2.45pm.

In addition, we would also like to thank the staff that are leaving us for your commitment and dedication to our children over, for some, many years and we would also like to wish you every success as you leave Oldfleet Primary School for pastures new.

Our term dates are detailed on page 3 of this newsletter. Have a great summer holidays break with your children. We look forward to welcoming them back on **Wednesday 6th September**.

And, finally, the Oldfleet staff team and I would like to thank you for your ongoing support and valuable feedback throughout this year.

Julie White
Head of School.

Changes to class dojo:
Messaging through class dojo will no longer be available from 21st July. From September, please speak to the teacher at the door, call the school office or use the Arbor app.

Spotlight on... School Uniform

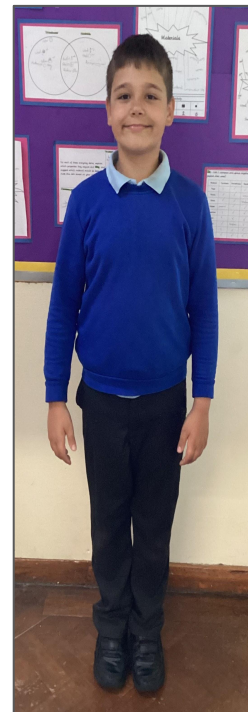
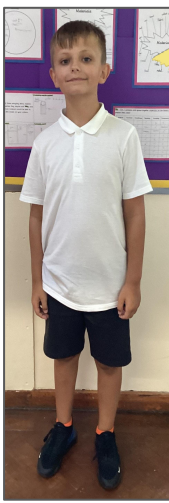


Being ready for learning is an essential part of our children's development and wearing school uniform a significant part of this. Children should attend school every day in school uniform.

Our **school uniform** is a blue or white polo shirt with a royal blue sweatshirt, cardigan or fleece. Children may wear school trousers, tailored shorts, skirts or pinafores in black or grey and summer dresses in blue and white gingham.

Our school logo is not a requirement of our school uniform, however, if you would like to have uniform embroidered with the school logo then sweatshirts, fleeces, polo shirts and book bags can be purchased from our supplier through our school website.

Some of children
have kindly
modelled their
uniform for us!



Being ready for PE learning comprises of changing into a PE uniform appropriate for the safety of the lessons.

Our **PE uniform** is a plain white T shirt with black shorts with appropriate footwear - trainers are ideal!

During the winter months children can wear a tracksuit, preferably plain black or blue without logos.

For safety, no jewellery (including watches) are to be worn. Earrings need to be removed.



For safety, ideally, please refrain from your child wearing any **jewellery** for school. This is for safety reasons.

In the event of jewellery being worn, this needs to be kept to a minimum of 1 pair of stud earrings (no dangling or loop earrings) and a watch (no smart watches).

Diary Dates

Autumn Term Diary Dates

Mon 4th Sept 2023	INSET Day - school closed to pupils
Tues 5th Sept 2023	INSET Day - school closed to pupils
Wed 6th Sept 2023	Children return to school
Fri 27th Oct 2023	School closes for half term holiday
Mon 6th Nov 2023	Children return to school
Fri 22nd Dec 2023	School closes for Christmas holiday

Spring Term Diary Dates

Mon 8th Jan 2024	INSET Day - school closed to pupils
Tue 9th Jan 2024	Children return to school
Fri 9th Feb 2024	School closes for half term holiday
Mon 19th Feb 2024	Children return to school
Mon 11th Mar 2024	INSET Day - school closed to pupils
Fri 22nd Mar 2024	School closes for Easter holidays

Summer Term Diary Dates

Mon 8th Apr 2024	INSET Day - school closed to pupils
Tue 9th Apr 2024	Children return to school
Mon 6th May 2024	School closed for May Day Bank Holiday
Fri 24th May 2024	School closes for half term holiday
Mon 3rd June 2024	Children return to school
Fri 19th July 2024	School closes for the Summer holidays