



# THE BULLETIN



*Weekly update from Feniscowles Primary School*  
*Friday 12<sup>th</sup> September 2025*

## **Open Events for Prospective New Families in September 2026**

We would like to advertise our open days for any families with children who are due to start school next September. We have changed the plan a little this year! We are inviting all prospective new families to join us for an infant celebration assembly and *then* a tour of the school. These will be held on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> October and Friday 17<sup>th</sup> October. Places need to be booked by contacting our school office. Please let your friends and families with little ones know!

## **PTA Meeting**

Everyone welcome to our first PTA meeting of the year – Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> September 2025 at 6pm on the junior site, in The Nest. Come along and see what the PTA is all about, no obligation to join, just see what our plans are for fundraising for the next year. We have a fantastic team of parents who help out at various events, but we always need more! Many hands make light work and we do have a lot of fun along the way. Hope to see you there.

## **Reporting Daily Absence Change from September - Reinstating 48-Hour Rule after Vomiting/Diarrhoea**

We have now reviewed this policy and have reintroduced the mandatory 48-hour exclusion period from September, in line with UK Health Security Agency guidance. From the start of the autumn term, children will need to remain off school for 48 hours from the last episode of vomiting or diarrhoea, regardless of how well they appear. This change is intended to provide greater clarity and reduce the risk of transmission during peak infection periods.

## **Meet the Teacher - Thank you!**

A huge thank you to all the parents and carers who attended our Meet the Teacher Evening last week. It was wonderful for our staff to connect with you and share the expectations for the year ahead. We hope you found the evening helpful and reassuring, and we look forward to supporting your child's learning together throughout the year. This was just the start of building strong relationships between home and school. If you were unable to attend, the presentation is available to view on Class Dojo.

## **Information Evening for the Year 5 London Trip**

Parents and carers of Year 5 children are warmly invited to join us for an information evening about the upcoming London trips. We will be sharing all the key details and giving you the chance to ask any questions about these exciting opportunities. The sessions will take place on Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> September at 3.30pm or 5.00pm in the Woodpeckers classroom.

## **Fire and Lock Down Practice**

This week, the whole school took part in a fire drill to practise our evacuation procedures, and the children behaved brilliantly throughout. They listened carefully to their teachers and followed instructions sensibly – a special mention goes to our Reception classes, who were absolutely fantastic! Later this week, we will also be carrying out a lockdown practice. These regular drills are an important part of keeping everyone safe in school, and each class will have the opportunity to practise what to do in a calm and reassuring way.

### **Key Dates**



**16.09.25** - London Trip Information Evening - 3.30pm and 5.00pm

**24.09.25** - PTA meeting - Junior Building at 6 pm.

**25.09.25** - Flu Vaccinations in school

**10.10.25** - Open Morning 1 for new families

**17.10.25** - Open Morning 2 for new families

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## Attendance

EYFS	96.89%
Year 1	98%
Year 2	97.46%
Year 3	98.28%
Year 4	93.09%
Year 5	93.28%
Year 6	97.37%

Congratulations to all the children who are in:

MOON

*You are this week's winners!*

 Arches	 Eclipse	 Moon	 Star	 Sun
193	183	214	179	186