

Francis Askew Primary School

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Working together to make a positive difference for every child.



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Thank you to everyone for helping us to have a successful start to the new year. Our attendance last week was 96% which was amazing considering many children have had coughs and colds.

I hope that you are finding our new Parents Evening booking software useful, it is certainly much quicker for our office staff and it saves you having to remember to give forms back to your children. Now we have got on top of serving dinners in the classrooms, children seem to really be enjoying the hot menus. We are taking feedback and changing things where we can. I am sure you would join me in thanking the teaching and support staff for looking after the children during their lunchtime. This is not in their job descriptions and teachers don't get paid for this, but this is to ensure that dinnertimes can be kept safe as the year group bubbles are kept together.

After school Clubs.

We have a variety of after school clubs on the go at the moment within bubbles. Some are run by our staff and some are run by our sports providers. If your child is booked onto a club please make sure they attend unless they are ill. Our clubs are free at the moment so the school will have wasted money if pupils don't turn up. We have a number of spare places on the Y5 rugby after school on a Wednesday. The clubs are not a right and if behaviour falls below our green behaviour standard then children will be asked not to attend.

Congratulations to Mrs Sutton in our year 1 who has had a little boy last month. It is lovely news. This the 4th new FAPS baby this year.



We say goodbye to Mrs Williams who leaves us this term. She is finally hanging up her whistle and over-all to begin her retirement. Many of you might have been a pupil at Francis Askew school and will know her from that time. Mrs Williams has been associated with the school for over 20 years as a parent, parent helper, teaching assistant and dinnertime supervisor. We want to thank her for all

she has done for the children of Francis Askew Primary school. We wish her a long and happy retirement with her family. She will be around in school when it is safe to do so in the role of volunteer helping children with their reading.

Flooded Footpath-Thank you to those parents who have brought to our attention the flooded footpath. The flooding occurs where the old building was and unfortunately there was never any drainage put in. Due to the excessive rain we now seem to be having, this is an ongoing problem and we are trying to get it fixed. Please bear with us.

Attendance. You are making great efforts to get your children to school under difficult circumstances, and I thank you for this. If you do have worries about your child's health or you or your child have been in contact with someone who is positive or you have been tracked or traced please just let the school know. Guidelines are changing all the time and we are being supported by Public Health Hull so we are able to get their advice.

Thank you once again for the support you give to the school and to your children it is so appreciated.

With best regards

Mrs R Murray

Headteacher

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