

Parent Bulletin Week Commencing 10th May - week A

Notices:

- All Years: Each year at the end of April, we launch the annual survey for parents, students, staff and governors. The questions are similar each year and designed to give a formal voice to all who have an interest in the running of the school. Responses are collated, compared to previous years and benchmarked against similar schools nationally to give the Senior Leadership Team feedback on previously trialled improvements and a steer in what else we need to work on in the school development plan next year.
 Parents should click here to complete this year's survey before the end of Monday 10th May.
 Students will be completing their own surveys in registration time over the next three weeks.
- Year 9 Bronze DofE: Please see the letter on the website for details of the upcoming Bronze Duke of Edinburgh Expedition taking place on Friday 14th Saturday 15th May 2021. Please email your child's DofE leader if you have any further questions. Mr Wood (<u>pwood@Farmorsfairford.onmicrosoft.com</u>) for the X side of the year and Mr Jackson (<u>ajackson@farmors.gloucs.sch.uk</u>) for the Y side of the year.
- Years 8-11: Cirencester Fire Cadets are recruiting at the moment, please see the poster from the parents letters page
- Year 11: Your child is likely to have told you about changes to the end of term arrangements mentioned in assembly this week. A letter will be sent early next week to confirm these arrangements once the Thorpe Park costs are finalised.

Safeguarding update:

School Nurse:

Our school nursing service would like to remind all children that their ChatHealth service is still operating. The number to text for support is: 07507 333 351.

Last week we welcomed the new school nurse Natalie Strong to Farmor's School. She will see students on an appointment basis on Mondays up to half term, students or parents should contact their head of year to refer. **Well Being**:

This fantastic website has been created by a practising NHS professional who understands the need to make this available to parents and their children. It gathers all the websites, apps and information about supporting mental health in one place. Hopefully, if you need this, it will help: <u>here</u> **Mental Health**

Previously shared websites for support and guidance for both parents and students: <u>young minds</u> If there is anything that causes you concern about online safety, please check out this website for advice: <u>parent info</u> and if you have any safeguarding concerns please contact sshaw@farmors.gloucs.sch.uk

Covid-19:

Covid update letters sent directly via intouch can be found <u>here</u>. Remote learning guides for parents and students, including how to use Show My Homework, Teams, and recordings of parent briefings can be found on our website <u>here</u>

Letters to parents: here

- Year 11: The Cotswold Challenge
- Years 8-11: Cirencester Fire Cadets

Kind regards

The Pastoral Team