



Parent Bulletin

14th March 2025 Week B

All years: School Librarian of the year 2025 – Exciting news alert, Ms Barker-Harrold has been longlisted for the school librarian of the year award 2025. As part of the judging process the school library association would like to hear from parents and carer's about their or their child's experience with our school library. Please share: [here](#).

All years: Updates to the Attendance Policy have been approved by Governors this week, these include additional definitions and more clarity around the process if a child's attendance is below 90%. This can be found on our website [here](#).

All years: Overdue library books – there is currently a high number of overdue library books. Please give your child a gentle reminder to return their overdue library books; alternatively they can extend their loan on the library website. We don't charge late fines, however damaged or lost books do require replacement which is sourced, at a discount, through our supplier. If a book is not returned, it will be assumed lost and a bill for it's replacement will be sent home.

All years: Non uniform day – Next Friday is Comic Relief. For lower school there will be a £1 donation to attend in non-uniform, if possible, wearing an item of red. Sixth form will be in fancy dress. The theme of the fancy dress will be "dress as something funny".

Years 11 & 13 – Helping your child revise: You can find really good advice on how not to revise and what effective revision looks like: [here](#).

Safeguarding:

Safer Internet Day – This week we have been looking at how to keep yourself safe from online scams. This presentation has been shared with students in assembly. You may want to ask them how to keep themselves (and others) safe from online scams. All Year Groups have also been set a quiz on Satchel One. How safe are they?

Online Safety Newsletter for March 2025 – [here](#).

Vacancies:

We are recruiting for a variety of roles, including both support and teaching positions. These can be tailored to suit your circumstances, and we would love to hear from you if you are interested in any of the positions. Please email: recruitment@farmors.gloucs.sch.uk if you have any questions. For more information and application visit – [here](#).

Letters to parents: [here](#)

- Year 7- 11 Careers Newsletter – [here](#).
- Weekly Library newsletter – [here](#).
- Year 8 – Bletchley park trip – [here](#).
- Year 10 – Silverstone trip – [here](#).
- Consultation over possible changes to school day from September 2025: [here](#).