



Parent Bulletin

1st December 2025 Week A

All years – Readathon 36,820 minutes reading! A huge well done to everyone who took part in our annual Readathon. We set a brand new record for minutes spent reading and raised £144.35 for charity ReadforGood. ReadforGood have been an invaluable partner in supporting our school reading culture so we are delighted to be able to support them in return. Since our first ever Readathon we have raised a grand total of £3,187! This money supports their flagship Hospital programme, bringing books and professional storytellers into our local children’s hospitals. For details of who will be crowned our Readathon Champions – see this week’s library newsletter.

All years – Christmas Lunch 18th December 2025, cost £2.95: Please purchase this separately to your normal dinner account. Please state in the notes either Turkey or Vegetarian and any other specific dietary requirements. If you are in receipt of Free School Meals you will automatically be allocated a Turkey lunch, email finance if you wish to have the veggie option. Students not buying a Christmas lunch will need a packed lunch on the 18th as there will be no alternative option Deadline for ordering 10th December 2025 at midday. PLEASE NOTE UNDER NO CIRCUMSTANCES WILL ORDERS BE ACCEPTED AFTER THE DEADLINE

All years: Here is the link to this week’s [Year 7-11 Careers Newsletter](#). Highlights this week include apprenticeships **with Tesco and free virtual work experience with the NHS.**

Year 7 – new starters survey: Now that your child has settled in to Farmor’s School, it would be very helpful for us to get your feedback on the transition from Primary School. We would appreciate you spending 5 minutes completing our survey: [here](#). Year 7 students will also be completing a survey, this will be in their Computer Science lessons next week.

Friends of Farmor’s School PTA:

All years: We’ve got some exciting news about an easy way to support our school. Introducing [EasyFundraising](#) – a simple way to raise money for our PTA and the Pitch In Project, just by doing your everyday shopping! You can earn an extra £2 donation today by just signing up on the Easy Fundraising app by 30th November. Friends of Farmor’s School PTA are using easy fundraising to raise extra funds – for free! You can help us by collecting free cashback donations for Friends of Farmor’s School every time you shop online – all courtesy of the retailer. The simplest way to do this is to install the free easy fundraising app. You can use it to shop with all of the participating 8,000+ online retailers who will give us free money and it’s available for android or iOS devices.

Farmor’s School PTA needs your help! We are organising a big fundraising raffle and are looking for donations for raffle prizes. Among the prizes we have so far are vouchers for the Cotswold Wildlife Park and Cotswold Boat hire and a meal at The Trout. Would you or your business be willing to offer a raffle prize? The more exciting prizes we can offer, the more tickets we can sell. If you are able to help, please email PTA@farmors.gloucs.sch.uk by Thursday 4th December. Thank you!

Safeguarding:

Online Safety Newsletter for November 2025 – [here](#).
Parental Controls Booklet 2025 – [here](#).

Letters to parents: [here](#)

- Here is the link to this week’s: [Year 7-11 Careers Newsletter](#).
- Weekly Library newsletter – [here](#).
- Stagecoach performing arts – [here](#).
- Year 11 – Sixth Form taster day – [here](#).

