



Parent Bulletin

20th June 2025 Week A

All years – Overdue library books: Please be aware that the deadline for overdue book returns is today (with the exception of books that have been issued this week). Unfortunately, the library cannot afford to replace the books that are not returned and therefore a charge will be added to Parent Pay to cover the cost of replacement.

All years – Music tuition 2025 –2026: If anyone would like to start singing, guitar, brass, piano, violin, clarinet, saxophone or drum kit lessons in September then please read this tuition booklet: [here](#). There is form to complete as well with the QR on the last page. If you have any questions, please email: musictuition@farmors.gloucs.sch.uk

All years – A memorial tree for Anne Stokes: Headteacher at Farmor's School for 12 years, Anne retired in 2013; in total her career at the school spanned 25 years! Sadly Anne died earlier this year after a long battle with cancer. To mark her service to the school and the wider community of Fairford, we will plant a cherry blossom tree on the roundabout at the school entrance and create a piece of artwork to display. We hope that those that worked with her, or were taught by her, over her long career would like to donate and share their memories to help inspire the artwork. To this end, your memories are as important as the amount that you donate. Please leave a message about Anne (funny memories welcome!) when you donate, which can be done: [here](#).

Y9 Duke of Edinburgh Candidates and Parents: On Thursday 19th I sent an email to all email addresses you supplied when registering for the Award. Please check school email accounts, junk folders, "other" folders for this email as it contains some important information for the walkers and a reminder of the details of the expedition. If you have any specific questions, please just contact me at: ajackson@farmors.gloucs.sch.uk – Mr Jackson.

Teaching & Learning:

All years – Read2Learn, Business and Economics: In Business and Economics, we use a large number of articles to reflect the current and ever-changing nature of the subject. In class we often read articles together and focus on language and terminology which is unfamiliar, especially words which are specific to the subjects. In Sixth Form, we frequently set homework which involves reading a set of articles posted on Teams; the students summarise these articles and then answer questions in a follow-up lesson to check recall and understanding.

Safeguarding:

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

Letters to parents: [here](#)

- Year 7- 11 Careers Newsletter – [here](#).
- Weekly Library Newsletter – [here](#).
- Free School Meal Holiday Voucher Scheme – [here](#).

