

# Parent Bulletin Week Commencing 21st July - week B

## Message from the Headteacher:

May I take this opportunity to wish you a relaxing summer. We finish the year feeling very proud of the students. They have been tremendously resilient and it has been a joy to spend time with many of them on the recent trips and activities. They are a credit to you.

We look forward to a fresh start in September. Please keep an eye out towards the end of August for communications from the school.

Mr Evans

## **Notices:**

- Years 7,10 &12 (current years 6,9 & 11) return in September on Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> other year groups on Monday 6<sup>th</sup> September. Information will be sent out regarding how the Government's return to school Lateral Flow Tests will work nearer the time; this is expected to be on Thursday 2<sup>nd</sup> and Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> September.
- Years 10 & 11 Fairford Netball Club fun match play sessions outside on Farmors courts starting on Tuesday 27th July. Years 10, 11 & sixth form 7-8pm for more details contact Jenny Bennett (07974400085)
- All years: Virtual summer concert <u>Click here</u> Password is: Farmors2021
- All years: We are setting up a second-hand uniform shop and would be grateful for any donations of unwanted uniform. If you would like to purchase any, at present we have Boys and Girls PE and a few blazers available, please contact Julie in finance: finance@farmors.gloucs.sch.uk
- All years: Every summer we remind students of the dangers of cold water swimming and avoid swimming where they would not normally go. In light of incidents in the local area this week, please reiterate that message from us.

## 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.

The school nurse, Natalie Strong, will see students on an appointment basis on Mondays, students (or parents) should contact the 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: <a href="here">here</a>

## **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 nsturla@farmors.gloucs.sch.uk

## Covid-19:

Covid update letters sent directly via intouch, can be found <a href="here.">here.</a>

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 <a href="here">here</a>

Letters to parents: <u>here</u>

• Year 8: Languages choice letter

Kind regards

The Pastoral Team