



Thurlaston CE (Aided) Primary School
Teaching and Living the Christian Way of Life
Building Our Lives on Jesus

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Dear Parent/Carer,

You should have received information about the vacancy on the Governing Body for a Parent Governor. The role of Parent Governor is to be a representative parent- not a parent representative. If you would like more information please see any of the governors or myself.

Thank you to all our reception children parents for returning your parents evening slips. Miss Fielder has posted on Clasdojo your individual times and looks forward to sharing with you on 14th September.

You will have received our data collection sheet for your child. This shows the data that we hold on your child for contacts etc. Please could you check it carefully and amend if necessary. Please return signed whether there are any amendments or not as soon as possible.

We had arranged for the hall and some other areas of the school to be painted during the summer holidays but the scheduling fell through. During half term we are hoping the hall, library area and Class 4 will be painted, the wooden fencing near Class 1 to be replaced and some work to be completed on the front playground. We have secured some central funding for this work with school paying a modest amount to access it.

We have planned an Open Day for prospective parents on 28th October 2022. If you know of parents who may be interested in their child starting school please make them aware of this. Alternatively we are happy to show parents around at any other time by arrangement- they will just need to contact the office. The admission policy has been changed and there is no longer any criteria regarding church attendance following direction by the Diocesan Board of Education. We do however still strong value our Christian ethos.

Please return any clubs slips by Monday.

The PTA Annual General Meeting has been arranged for 19th September in school. At the AGM the main roles of the Committee will be voted on. If you wish to take on any of the roles, such as Chair, Vice-Chair, Secretary and Treasurer please let either the present chair or myself know. All parents who attend are welcome to vote.

Yours sincerely

Gavin Beetham

Therefore everyone who hears these words of mine and puts them into practice is like a wise man who built his house on the rock.
(Matthew chapter 7 verse 24, NIV)