



Paulton Infant School

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Dear Parents/Carers

Only a week more to go until half term! And what a busy half term it has been. Thank you for your patience for those of you that have children who have experienced a change of staff due to staff illness.

Celebration Assembly

Zoe from Amethyst for writing super sentences about The Gruffalo.

Luwis from Emerald for using Emerald Power in maths.

Ira in Topaz for an amazing use of adjectives to describe The Gruffalo. "The Gruffalo is a ferocious creature and his wide eyes stare at people. Surprisingly The Gruffalo's fur is as soft as a pillow but his claws are as sharp as a knife."

Isaac from Diamond for a fantastic effort in maths.

And a special certificate from the PE coaches to Toby for good listening and throwing.



Vacancies

We have the following vacancies in school that you may be interested in:

Part time Caretaker role (shared on our Facebook page)

Governor Vacancies: We currently have 2 vacancies for Parent Governors on our Governing Body. If you are interested in becoming a Parent Governor please let the school office know, who will put you in touch with our Chair of Governors Dave Howson. You can find out more about what being a school governor might entail by accessing the links on the Governors tab of the Website in the COG Welcome page.

Safety on school site:

Please can you ensure that your child pushes their scooters and bikes through the car park as there have been a few injuries where children have been hurt accidentally.

Parent Volunteers Needed!

A HUGE thank you to those parents that are already helping us in school—we are extremely grateful for your time and support. However, we are still in need of more parent helpers! If you can spare a few hours to listen to children read, support with Forest school activities or swimming please contact the school office. Due to safeguarding requirements, we will need to apply for your DBS.



Covid awareness:

Please remember to keep your child at home and arrange a PCR test if they display any of the three main symptoms below:

- a high temperature – this means you feel hot to touch on your chest or back (you do not need to measure your temperature)
- a new, continuous cough – this means coughing a lot for more than an hour, or 3 or more coughing episodes in 24 hours (if you usually have a cough, it may be worse than usual)
- a loss or change to your sense of smell or taste – this means you've noticed you cannot smell or taste anything, or things smell or taste different to normal

Lastly, if you would like to speak to me at anytime—please feel free to catch me at the front of the school or call the school office to arrange an appointment.

Have a lovely weekend,
Emily Omell



PTA:

Just to let you know that through your generosity we raised £450.60 through the Smarties Challenge..



Mufti Day last week we raised an amazing £287.80 which will go towards creating a high quality picture book display that will encompass fiction, non-Fiction and poetry books that our new school Librarian (Miss Brown) will create in our school library for all classes to enjoy.

Quiz Night—Saturday 16th October—Paulton Rovers 8.00pm— payment due on the night (£6 up to a team of 6)

