

Fenstanton and Hilton Primary School and Nursery

Newsletter: September 17th 2021

A message from the Headteachers:

Everyone is getting into the swing of term. The children's smiles are getting bigger each day. It is such a pleasure to see the **children enjoying their learning**.

This week, I took a ride on the **school bus**. The children I sat with politely told me about the village along the journey. On the bus the behaviour was acceptable. We will continue to monitor the bus behaviour to make sure it is in line with the expectations of behaviour at school. If you have any questions or concerns, please call or email the school office ASAP.

The new school council representatives have met and decided to look into how we can make lunchtimes more exciting. Watch this space!

Bikeability (Y5) begins on Monday. Please enter, with your bikes, via The Fen Gate. Please make sure you stick to the paths when dropping off and picking up at The Fen Gate. I have informed The Fen residents that we will be using the gate on this day. Rest of the week please use the normal main gate.

We are delighted to be able to invite you into the school with your children for **Open Classrooms** where you will be able to look in your child's classroom and through their books. We will be running two sessions, **Wednesday 13th October** straight after school until 4pm and **Wednesday 20th October** at the same time. A link to book these sessions will be sent out next week. We will

be respectfully asking people to wear facemasks when inside the school building.

School tour for prospective Reception parents

Please book directly with the school office. We will be asking visitors to wear masks for the tour. These will be weekly on a Wednesday starting at 2pm next week (Wednesday, 22nd September).

Message from Swavesey Village Collect re Y6

We intend to hold our Open Evening in person on **Thursday 30th September** and we will be open for 5.30pm to 8pm close.

All parents of a year 6 child and their year 6 children are welcome to come at any time during that period, though there is a lot to get around so please don't leave it too late in the evening. There is no need to book. Parking will be at the back (off Fen Drayton Rd) and front of the school.

Please encourage parents to look at our website where more information on admission to the school can be found: <https://www.swaveseyvc.co.uk/admissions/> including a link to the County Council website where applications have to be made by 31st October. On more general matters of the transition from year 6 to Year 7, please go here: <https://www.swaveseyvc.co.uk/transition-for-year-6-students/>

Many thanks and best wishes,
Swavesey Village College.

Morrisons - It's Good to Grow

We are taking part in the Morrisons **It's Good to Grow scheme**. Please see attached poster on how to register and help the school.

Health & Safety

Parents - please always walk on the path. Do not walk across the car park when coming to the school entrance/gates.

Please **do not** let your children walk through the car park at any time. All children should be supervised and stand/walk on the path at all times.

Thank you to those dog owners who have respectfully waited away from the gate with their dogs while the children are coming in & out of school at the end of the day.

Please note the general public are not permitted to bring dogs onto the school property/grounds due to Health & Safety reasons.

Cleaners Required

Please see the Job Description below from Easyclean, the schools contracted cleaning company.

Would you be interested to join a leading cleaning company with a reputation for excellence?

Easy Clean is currently recruiting for a Cleaner to join our passionate and driven team in and around Fenstanton on a permanent basis!
10 hours a week
Monday to Friday 3.30pm-5.30pm
Your primary responsibilities will include:

- Cleaning of desks, vacuuming, dusting, removal of waste, cleaning of toilet areas and other associated tasks.
- Putting away Stock Deliveries

About You:

- Previous experience as a Cleaner is preferred but not essential as full BICS training will be provided.

Benefits:

- Paid Holiday.
- Bi weekly pay
- £9.50 ph. pay rate.

To apply for this vacancy please telephone our job line on 01733 794079 and leave a clear message giving your name and telephone number a description of the job you are applying for or send a text message to 07377096925 and recruitment will contact you back
Part-time hours: 10 per week

Dates for the Diary

Fri 22nd Oct - additional day off to benefit from the Queen's Platinum Jubilee bank holiday on 3rd June 2022

25th-29th Oct – Half term

17th Dec – Autumn Term Ends