



Dear Families,

Thank you to Mrs Dhillon for organising maths workshops last week, they were very well received by the parents who attended. There is more information about how we teach Maths on our website alongside a family friendly calculation policy. <https://www.fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk/teaching-learning/maths/>

Do let us know if there are other workshops that you would like us to organise.

admin@fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk

Arbor free Parent App and Parent Portal

On Monday 16th April, we will be launching The Parent App and Portal which is part of the Arbor MIS system we use to manage our school. You will be able to log into Arbor to see and update your child's information, see attendance data and book clubs and trips etc and we will use this to send you text messages and emails. We will send out more information on Friday 22nd March and you will receive a welcome email on Monday 16th April. Only Primary Guardians will be able to access the Arbor App.

If you have any queries, please contact Michelle: m.pay@fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk

Assembly

Thank you to Mr Evans and our Year 6 reading & writing enthusiasts; Matilda 6A, Abigail S, 6A, Sylvie 6A, Eva 6A, and Ani 6BD, for leading today's assembly with a focus on reading and writing.

Red Nose Day

Thank you to everyone who donated a pound to the comic relief charity on Friday and to pupil parliament for organising the event. We raised **£247.90**



Maths at the Movies this Thursday

The 21st of March marks World Maths Day and we will be celebrating with a special event called Maths at the Movies. Each year group will delve into a variety of maths activities themed around their chosen movie. We are also excited to announce the relaunch of TTRockstars in KS2. The children will participate in exciting times table battles as part of the celebrations.

**Have a great week,
The Fairlawn Team**

Learning Heroes of the Week

Congratulations to all our resilient learning heroes for showing the following characteristics!

- Perseverance
- Seeking Challenges
- Risk Taking
- Positivity



This week's class heroes are:

1P	Dylan	Seb	Ethan
1W	Edith	McKenzie	Yahya
2K	Lucas	Justice	Eva
2L	Lewie	Ruth	Mirella
3B	Kazhen	James	Zac
3E	Jessica	Gray	Jean
4P	Lily	Jack	India
4R	Layla	Tamara	Freddie
5E	Floella	Patrick	Hamish B
5T	Jace	Ivy	Michael
6A	Matilda	Sylvie	Jack
6BD	Anna	Eleanor-Marie	Roshawn

Weekly Attendance

1P	97.14%	3B	97.78%	5E	97.78%
1W	98.57%	3E	94.52%	5T	100%
2K	91.07%	4P	97.33%	6A	95.17%
2L	95.71%	4R	93.85%	6BD	94.84%

Congratulations to **5T with 100%** attendance last week for **KS2** and **1W** with the highest attendance for **KS1**. They will be caring for our Attendance Axolotyls.

Congratulations 2K, 4P, 4R and 6A who all had the best punctuality.

School starts at 8:45

Diary Dates

Weds 27th March 2:15pm - Year 2 Assembly to parents

Thursday 28th March - Play Day and Last day of term

Tuesday 16th April - Children return to school

Holiday Dates link:

<https://www.fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2024/01/Holiday-Dates-2024-2025.pdf>



Mr Aldridge's

Sports News

www.fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk/enrichment/sports/

Primary Stars Football Finals

Good luck to the following members of our girls' football team who will be representing Millwall at the Primary Stars Regional Football Finals at Arsenal's Academy on Wednesday:

Year 5: Maggie, Ivy

Year 6: Ana-Luzia, Nina, Bea, Bruna, Nuala, Abigail S

This opportunity has come about following the team's victory in the borough finals earlier in the year. We are all very proud of their achievements so far.

Monday Night Football League

Last Monday, the boys' Years 5 and 6 football team finished their Monday Night League with a difficult 5-0 defeat to St Bart's. Overall, the team played with passion and commitment, and there were several moments of good passing and movement; overall though, the opposition deserved their win.

Team: Noah, Eiden, Jude, Aljaye, Joseph K, Tait, Patrick and Alfie

After Easter, the league switches to Years 5 and 6 girls.

London Mini Marathon - Update

On Saturday 20th April 2024, the annual London Mini Marathon will be taking place around Westminster and Fairlawn has secured 50 places. This week, we will be sending out an email to Fairlawn families with more information. On receipt of this email, you will need to express your child's interest using the details provided. Please note that this does not guarantee your child a place as we are expecting high levels of interest in this event. If the request for places exceeds the 50 spots that we have, then names will be drawn at random.

Intra School Skipping Competition

Our intra school skipping competition is currently running in Years 1-6 and will end on Wednesday 27th March. Those who complete the most skips in two minutes will qualify for our whole school skipping finals which will take place after Easter.

Spring Term Sports Clubs

Wed – Years 4/5/6 girls multi-sports (ends 27th March)

Thurs – Years 5/6 girls football training (am)

Years 2/3 football club (ends 21st March)

Friday – Years 3/4 football club (ends 22nd March)

Sporting Achievements

At Fairlawn, we love to hear about the children's sporting achievements. Please send any sports news my way and it will get a mention here in our weekly newsletter.

s.aldridge@fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk

OPAL Play Day Next Thursday 28th March

Please help us to make next week's playday extra special. We need donations of small world toys, tea sets, pots, pans and utensils, doctor's kits, bandages, dolls, cards and board games, construction toys, buckets and spades and more! If you're having a 'clear out' we are happy to accept clothes for dressing up, old suitcases, tents and buggies and outgrown scooters. Your junk could be our treasure!

Reminders

Attendance

The DfE have launched a new campaign around attendance, '**Moments Matter, Attendance Counts**'. We will be sending home weekly emails advising you if your child's attendance falls to 90% or below. If you need support or guidance with attendance please contact Francesca, f.marbaix@fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk. Below is a link with further information about the DfE's new campaign; <https://www.gov.uk/government/news/new-regulations-for-schools-in-next-stage-of-attendance-drive>

Late pick up

If you are running late to collect your child please inform the office. If you have not arrived to collect your child by **3.45pm** you will be charged £4 per child. If you have not arrived by 4pm your child will go into After School Club, where you will be charged £12.

Music Lessons

e.fellows@fairlawn.lewisham.sch.uk

Brass lessons or to join Brass Band: Christine Norsworthy (trumpet, cornet, French horn, tenor horn, trombone, baritone & euphonium)

norsworthy.christine@gmail.com

Piano lessons: Matt Ridley; No spaces currently, but you will be added to the waiting list mattridleybass@gmail.com

Woodwind (flute, clarinet & alto sax) and violin lessons: Spaces currently available.

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Drumming lessons; Murray Anderson; No spaces currently, but you will be added to the waiting list murray.anderson@lewishammusic.org

Guitar lessons; Martin Budd; Please email; martinbuddguitar@hotmail.com for further info.

Spaces available from January for one to one violin lessons with professional violinist, Shelley Deacon, contact email - shelleyhector@hotmail.com



PTA News

Fairlawn annual Easter bounce Friday 22nd March

Fairlawn's Annual Sponsored Easter Big Bounce takes place on Friday 22nd March 2024 🐰

Each class will have an opportunity to bounce this Friday, to keep the school jumping all day!! All children are invited to bounce high and to collect sponsorship money to support the school.

Please donate any sponsorship money raised through this link below; Thank you.

[Click Here](#)

All money raised will go directly to the school. Thank you to all bouncers for your energy and to all sponsors for your generosity!

Dates for diary

Friday 22nd March - Easter Bounce
28th March - Year 2 cake sale

Easy Fundraising and Amazon Smile

Please remember to use Easyfundraising when doing your weekly grocery shopping, booking holidays, or paying utilities. Log into Easyfundraising, set up your account benefiting Fairlawn and access your favourite online shopping sites from there. You will raise funds with each purchase at no extra cost to you. Please encourage friends and relatives to do the same. <https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/fairlawnppta/>

Sign up to **Amazon Smile** and link your account to Fairlawn PTA. It costs nothing, can be set up in less than a minute, and raises money direct to PTA.

Sign up to Your School Lottery and Lottery Gift Vouchers

Congratulations to **Ben Lawson**, our School Lottery winner last week. Do sign up to help us raise funds by joining Your School Lottery for as little as £1 per week.

<https://www.yourschoollottery.co.uk/lottery/school/fairlawn-primary> and search for Fairlawn.

Instagram### Follow us
on Instagram #fairlawnprimarypta

Refer a friend and enter our exclusive draw!

Want to help our schools raise more money AND get an extra chance to win on Your School Lottery? If you refer a friend to Your School Lottery and they buy a ticket, we will give you and your friend a free entry into our exclusive referral rewards draw where you can win a £200 Amazon gift voucher.

You get one entry into the draw for every person you successfully refer, so the more people you refer the better your chances of winning!

How to refer (in 3 easy steps)

1. Select our School
2. Copy your unique referral URL and send it to someone you know
3. If that person uses your link to sign up and purchase a ticket, you will BOTH get a free entry into the referral rewards draw.

Exciting news! In our first Springtime Super Draw, your supporters have the chance to win a £1,000 Sainsbury's voucher! Imagine the possibilities – a thousand pounds to spend on groceries, treats, household essentials, and more

Easteroo is ootiboo's annual spring creative craft competition for all ages, at home or at school, in the UK or beyond. They have two themes for 2024, Eggs and Spring. You can draw, make, bake, build or paint your creation, and you can work alone or as a group. They have lots of great prizes to give away, including craft and book bundles and nut-safe chocolate eggs. Easteroo has launched and closes at midnight on April 1. To jump in, simply go to ootiboo.com and select the project.