

Fowlmere Primary Newsletter



30th January 2026

Week 4

The children have all been working very hard this week and have been getting more and more engrossed in their new topics. I particularly enjoyed working with the Year 1 children on Thursday, as I covered their class. They had lots to share in their discussions and were really thoughtful about how Florence Nightingale may have felt when first meeting the soldiers and entering the hospital that she worked in. We are pleased to inform you that piano lessons will be starting again this term. If you are interested in your child taking lessons, please get in touch with Mrs Hopkin or Mrs Smith in the office.

Fowlmere PTFA:

Fowlmere PTFA: (Parents, Teachers and Friends Association)

Do you fancy a drink and a chat about our school, and how we can help raise funds for additional support and **activities for our children**? Please join us at the Chequers Pub, from **7pm, Thursday 12th February**. Currently there are only a few of us and we / the school needs your support! If you cannot make it and would like to join our WhatsApp group, please e-mail your name and contact number to the Fowlmere Office, or chat to one of us at the gate. Hope to see you there, Emily, Lorraine, Rebecca and Stuart Don't forget to check out the **School website PTFA page**. The shopping link can support the school when you nominate the school prior to your purchase.

<https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/> Links include Trainline (up to 15% donation), Tesco (up to £1.50 donation), Amazon (up to £10 donation), Argos, ebay, John Lewis, Just Eat, M&S, Etsy, Booking.com, Moonpig, Currys. You can also join our 100 Club to help raise money for the school and prizes for the lucky ones. Joining details to follow.

Update from Governors

We wanted to share an update following our governing board meeting, held in school on Wednesday 21st January. This was our fourth meeting of the academic year, and the first of 2026, and it was a pleasure for governors to be back in school, hearing the positive work taking place.

A key part of our discussion focused on the School Development Plan, particularly the exciting progress being made in redeveloping the English curriculum. Staff have been working incredibly hard to strengthen and enrich learning in this area, and we are delighted with the direction this work is taking. Governors also heard about the valuable support Mrs Muir and Mrs Brooks have been providing in classes. They have been busy working with groups across both English and Maths, helping to strengthen teaching and learning and ensuring children are receiving the support and challenge they need. We spent time looking at how children are progressing throughout all year groups. It is clear that the school continues to move forward positively.

Looking ahead, we are especially excited about an upcoming community day. One of our governors has secured volunteers who will be joining us to help tidy, refresh, and improve areas of the school site. We hope this will be a wonderful opportunity for families and the wider community to come together — watch this space for more details soon!

As always, we are grateful for your continued support and partnership.

Kind regards, The Governing Board

Happy Birthday

Birthdays this week: Lexie in Starling Class is 6 years old.

Reuben in Goldfinch Class is 7 years old. Curtis in Owl Class is 9 years old and Charlie, Sterling and Sana are 11 years old.



HAPPY BIRTHDAY from all at Fowlmere!

DATES:

12/02/26 - 7pm
PTFA Meeting

27/02/26
Teacher from MVC visiting
Year 6 children

23/03/26 and 24/03/26
Parental Consultation
Meetings

More dates to follow.

Midday Supervisor

We are looking for a mid-day supervisor to support the school during lunch times. If you, or anyone you know has availability during the day between 11:30am to 1pm, please do get in touch with AArmitage@fowlmere.cambs.sch.uk

Alternatively, to find out more - please view the website - [Fowlmere Primary School - Midday Supervisor](#)

Kid's Choice Extra-Curricular Clubs! Details:

Time: 3:15 pm – 4:15 pm
Cost: £7 per club session

After School Club Children
Those already booked into After School Club can join in **at no extra cost**.

Booking: Available at kidschoice.magicbooking.co.uk

**Fowlmere Primary
School Values:**
Care
Ambition
Determination
Confidence
Teamwork

Fowlmere Primary School, The Butts, Fowlmere, Royston, Herts, SG87SL

Tel: 01763 208203 Email: office@fowlmere.cambs.sch.uk Web: www.fowlmere.cambs.sch.uk
Executive Head teacher: Mrs J. Muir