

Online Safety and Wellbeing

Do you find it a challenge to keep up with the latest apps or games online, or what current expert advice is?

The online world is so vast, it's hard to keep on top of up to date information. National Online Safety is an organisation that have a section on offering advice to adults about a range of app and games that your child/ren may be or wish to access: <https://nationalonlinesafety.com/resources/wake-up-wednesday/>

The internet has many, many sources of 'fake news' or people presenting themselves differently to reality. We work hard in school to guide and support children to be critical thinkers and question the information they are accessing. When questioning the authenticity of a source of information online we encourage the children to check 3 things:

1. Is the information from a trusted author?
2. Check the date of publication
3. Check the information matches with 3 other sources

If you do have any concerns about what your child/ren are accessing online, please come and talk to us. The online world, just like the real world, is an amazing place, that we all need some help navigating from time to time!

Archway Trust Toy Collection

On Sunday 8th December at 10:30am, there is a special child-friendly, family service. Peter Angus, from the Archway Trust, will be leading the service, with Fi Messenger running activities.

Everyone is invited to the service. You are encouraged to donate a new toy as a Christmas gift for a disadvantaged child in Northampton. Toys should not be wrapped. All toys collected will be donated to the Emmanuel Church at Weston Favell to be distributed to children who otherwise might not receive a gift this Christmas.

If you would like to donate a toy and are unable to attend the service on Sunday 8th, please drop the toy into school no later than Friday 6th December.

Thank you in advance for your support.

Recycling at our school

Crisp Packets

I put on a recent newsletter that we are now recycling crisp packets through the Terracycle scheme. We welcome packets from home too - drop them off in the collection bin in the main school entrance or send your child in with them to put in the collection bin in the lobby.

Clothing Bin

We are really excited that after being on the waiting list for many months we are finally taking delivery of our own clothing recycling bin next week. The bin will be located in the car park so clothing for recycling can be dropped off at anytime the pedestrian gates are open. This recycling bin replaces the Bags2School scheme as a fundraiser for our school. Thank you to the FOHPS team for getting this organised .

Last week's attendance:

Class R = 98.7%; Class 1 = 92.7%; Class 2 = 98.5%; Class 3 = 95.9%;
Class 4 = 97.4%; Class 5 = 98%; Class 6 = 94.5%

Last week our whole school attendance was 96.5%.

