

Start at My Feet



Information Sharing

School X has a School Gateway where Parents and Guardians can be updated with regular texts or emails regarding their child's homework or important messages. Also they provide social media updates through Twitter to regularly update Parents and Carers on their child's daily activities.



Parental Involvement

Parents and Guardians are invited to sessions to interact in activities to aid the understanding of learning through play. This includes Maths, Numeracy, Literacy and Outdoor play activities. These sessions then give them the opportunity to utilise the resources in order to aid their child's development.

Engaging with the Local Community

- School X provides regular outings to sports facilities, visits to the local Church and music sessions with the Old People's Home.
- There is local engagement for the children in road safety sessions, food bank donations and local charity fundraisers.
- The School also opens up the building in order to be used as a community centre for activities such as dance classes, Rainbows group and Community fun days.



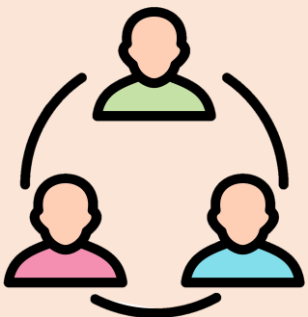
Parent and Friend Association (PFA)

The PFA support School X with organising school discos, term fares and concerts. They consist of small active groups who come together when planning events and hold regular monthly meetings.

The PFA also provide funding for school activities such as Year 6 leavers parties, School autograph books, and celebration gifts for the children (Christmas and Easter).

Help Yourself Trolleys

The Help Yourself Trolley provides essentials for Parents and Guardians to obtain if they wish. These items include personal hygiene products, nappies and wet wipes which are available for Parents and Guardians during school hours. Children also have access to these within their classrooms.



Additional Learning Needs (ALN) Support

- School X provides all Parents and Guardians with children who have Additional Learning Needs with regular meetings between the school, parent and outside agencies.
- These could include meetings between medically trained professionals and teachers for children with diabetes, Early Help Support for 1:1 sessions or meetings with Local Authority Teams such as Speech and Language Therapists.
- School X will also provide yearly ALN reviews between staff, agency staff and parents and also set Individual Development Plans (IDP's) every 4 months for the child and parent.

Parent Council- The Parent Council provides one parent from each class year to represent the parents for any concerns or issues that need to be raised. They hold yearly meetings with personnel from School X to discuss any problems that may have risen. They also provide a focus for discussion for clubs, discussion or information sharing.