

Dear Parents / Carers,

Friday 14th July

We can't believe the school year has come to an end so quickly! The children have all been amazing this year and we are so proud of them, as we are sure you are too. They have all shown perseverance when faced with challenges, respect to both their peers and adults, and they all continue to live by our school values every day. I know we will miss them dearly, but we wish them well as they transition into year 5 and continue their adventure through the school.

As you know, every child's safety is our priority every day. Whilst there are many systems and processes involved in our Safeguarding, one aspect is our fire drill, lockdown drill and whole school evacuation. Throughout the year, we have led successful termly drills for our fire procedure and lockdown procedure. We now need to practise our full evacuation procedure. We hope we would never need to use this however an example would be if there was a gas leak and we needed to evacuate the site, all staff would walk the children down to the FLGCA Community Centre on Fairlands. Once there, we would work with services to evaluate the situation and decide on next steps (e.g. whether sae to return after some time or whether we would need to call parents to collect). On Monday 17th July, we will be practising this evacuation which will involve all children walking down to the FLGCA Community Centre then back again. Mrs O'Brien has shared this in assembly with the children today and we have attached a social story that has been read to the children in class today and will be re-read on Monday.

Please can we remind you to send your child in with a **bag for life on Monday** so they can take home their books.

There have been a few PPA swaps this half term. Please see the table below for when the final PPA is:

Final PPA date	
Tuesday 18 th July	

Congratulations to the children who have received golden leaves this week:

Mykola S - For fantastic attitude to learning in English

Charlie W - For working so hard to improve his learning in Maths

Olivia M - For being a good friend and recognising how she can support others through encouragement.

Maisie S - For demonstrating determination and resilience when things are tough. We are really proud of you!

Alexander S - For using great descriptions when analysing food in DT this week

Ted B - For amazing attention to detail when recreating Gaudi chimneys

Thank you for your incredible support this year and wishing you a happy summer,

The Year 4 Team