

FRIENDS of Perranporth School

Thank You FOPS

We would like to say an enormous thank to our wonderful FOPS members! For those families who are new to the school, the Friends of Perranporth School (FOPS) is our

parent support group who help the school in a number of different ways throughout the year. They organise fantastic events like the Summer and Christmas Fayres, they do amazing fundraising projects for our school and they use the fund-raising proceeds to support your children! Over the years they have provided so many invaluable resources to our pupils - iPads, playground resources, school trip grants and much, much more!

This week we'd really like to thank FOPS for funding our new Gardening Shed. The shed has been installed next to our new bedding area and will really help with the storage of the equipment needed when children are growing and sewing!

We're enormously grateful to FOPS for this great new resource and know that the children will love using it too.

The next FOPS meeting is being held in school on Thursday 23rd September at 2pm. Come along and find out how you can get involved in supporting FOPS and your children.



Class Dojo

Hopefully all parents and families have managed to find their way on to Class Dojo. This is a great way for teachers to share the different things that go on in the classroom each day with parents and families. There are also message facilities and many other useful tools too. So, if you haven't logged on to Class Dojo yet, what are you waiting for?!

Home Learning:

Due to the increasing likelihood of pupil absences because of COVID isolation requirements or test waiting periods, if your child is absent from school for the purpose of isolation, please notify the School Office and teachers will provide daily learning activities for these pupils via Class Dojo. However, teachers will not provide learning for pupils who are absent due to general illness or absence for holiday.



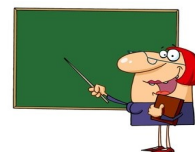
Drum Kit Available

We have a child sized school drum kit that over the years we have loaned out to children wishing to try out this great instrument. The kit has now become available again and is up for grabs if anyone would like to borrow it for their child. There is no formal arrangement in place or time limit - you can simply use it for as long as your child wishes. If you would like to loan the drum kit, please get in touch with Mr Johnson via Dojo message or telephone the School Office to reserve it: Tel - 01872 572021.



Meet the Teacher

The Meet the Teacher videos were shared earlier this week on Class Dojo. Teachers talked through their class routines, expectations and other useful information for parents to know. If you have not managed to see the video yet, please go onto the Class Story for your child's class on Class Dojo and scroll through to find the post.



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Free Training Courses for Parents



Due to Government Funding in the Adult Education Budget, The Aim Group are able to support Perranporth C.P. School with several Free online Level 2 Accredited Courses available to Parents and Staff to help better understand some key issues around neurodiversity, young people's mental health and wellbeing.

Here's some of our most popular subjects available:

- **Adverse Childhood Experiences** (tailored to understand how separation, divorce and death in a family can influence a child's mental health)
- **Understanding Specific Learning Difficulties** (understand characteristics of ADHD, ADD, Dyslexia & Dyscalculia, importance of early diagnosis, assessment methods available to diagnose learning difficulties)
- **Understanding Autism** (learn how individuals process sensory information, understand characteristics, understand conditions, learn how speech, language and communication differ in people with Autism)
- **Understanding Behaviour That Challenges** (supporting positive behaviour, effective communication & how to manage challenging behaviour)
- **Understanding Children and Young Peoples Mental Health** (Understand factors which may affect Young Peoples mental health, the impact that they have and how to support them with these issues)

We also have some other fantastic courses around areas such as Mental Health First Aid, Safeguarding and Prevent, Equality and Diversity, Business Admin, plus many more..

All courses are accessed online within a 6-week window and are completed on a laptop or computer at the learner's home. No Exams or end point assessments are involved, and the courses are purely detailed Q&A based with all the information needed provided, which is available to you 24/7. Once finished You can do as many as you like, however you can just do one course at a time.

The only criteria the learner must meet to be eligible, is the following..

- Aged 19 or over on or before 31st August 2020
- Have lived in the UK/EU for 3+ years

Not already on a Government funded course (Apprenticeship for example)

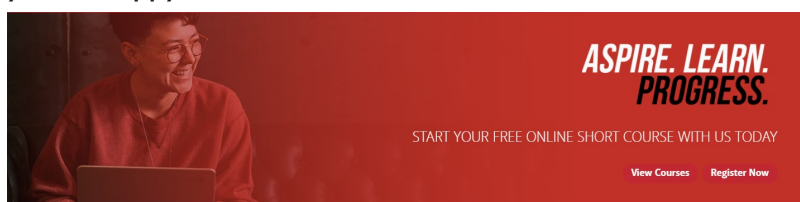
The course is completely free, but the learning provider reserves the right to charge a drop out fee in the event a learner enrolls but then drops out without providing a reason (please note this is down to the individual and will be highlighted when I call you once registered). That said, the college will grant extensions if the learner has a reason as to why they won't be able to complete it within the 6 weeks.

Please note: under the college request a short zoom induction will need to be attended to ensure we get you successfully enrolled onto the correct course

If you are interested in undertaking one of these Free Online courses, then please complete the following link asap. This will then allow me to contact you and send over the relevant Enrolment details and of course, answer any questions you have.

[Perranporth C.P. School \[TPAT\] - Link to register your interest](#)

Any questions you may have Chris Greenfield will be in touch once you are registered to walk you through everything and make sure you are happy.



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