

## **Finlay Community School**

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19.09.2024

PTFA Meeting \_ Friday 27th September @2.30pm

Dear Parents and Carers,

I wanted to take a moment to highlight the incredible work of our wonderful Parent, Teacher and Friends Association (PTFA). This dedicated group of volunteers work tirelessly to raise funds that directly benefit your children.

Last year, the PTFA's fundraising efforts enabled us to purchase OPAL play equipment, which has been a tremendous asset in keeping our pupils entertained and engaged during their lunch breaks.

The highlight of their achievements, in my opinion, is the incredible sandpit they have provided – it is truly the biggest I have come across!

However, the PTFA is always seeking to expand its membership and take on new initiatives. They are currently on the hunt for more members to join their team, and I would encourage you to consider attending their first meeting of the academic year **on Friday 27**<sup>th</sup> **September at 2.30pm.** This would be an excellent opportunity to learn more about their work and how you can get involved.

Additionally, the PTFA is in need of a secretary to help them on their quest to become an established charity. This is an important step in their ongoing fundraising mission, and I would be grateful if any of you could lend your support in this role. If you are interested in joining the PTFA or taking on the secretary position, please do come along to the meeting or reach out to Amy Young, the PTFA Chair, at ptfa@finlay.gloucs.sch.uk Alternatively, you can contact our school business manager, Alison Croft at finance@finlay.gloucs.sch.uk and she will be happy to provide you with more information.

Fundraising is crucial to the success of our school, and we are incredibly grateful for the tireless efforts of our PTFA. We really are lucky to have them and such a supportive community.

Kind Regards,

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