



Franklin Times

12th October 2018

Dear Parents

Yesterday Franklin was a sea of yellow as we marked Mental Health Awareness Day.



On Monday school photographs will be taken, portraits and sibling groups, please send children to school in their full uniform **NOT PE kit.**



Next Friday after school there will be a **bake sale** in the KS2 playground, during this the PTA will be selling tickets for the school discos which are on Thursday 1st November; there will be an early disco for Reception/Y1/Y2 and then a later one for KS2.

Lost property is now located in the large box outside the medical room on the ground floor. Please label your child's clothing using a permanent marker or name tags, so that we can return it to them promptly.

Thank you to those who have already donated to the **library fund**, it will cost **£30 000** to stock our wonderful new library with books, so please give generously via our justgiving page below:

<https://www.justgiving.com/campaigns/charity/arkschools/franklinprimaryacademy>

Governing Body: we are seeking to appoint another parent governor to join Jim de Zoete on our LGB. We are particularly interested in any one who can offer support in the areas of SEND and/or fundraising. If you are interested in the role, then please contact me on j.ryan@arkfranklinprimary.org

Polite reminder: staff emails are initial.surname@arkfranklinprimary.org, we request that all email communication is kept to between the hours of 7.00am and 6.00pm on weekdays during term time only; emails sent outside these hours may not be responded to.

Parent workshops: we plan to hold parent workshops in using Early Excellence for nursery and Reception parents and in phonics for Y1 parents, after the half term break, please look out for the dates. If you would like to request a workshop on any particular area of the curriculum, please get in touch.

Have a great weekend.
Warmest regards
Janine Ryan
Principal

Principal's thought for the week:

What lies behind us and what lies before us are tiny matters compared to what lies within us.