



Flyford Flavell Primary School

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11th September 2024

Dear Parents/Carers

Use of Field

Our field is not in the best state of repair, being uneven, sparse, with some trip hazards. Whilst attempts are made to resolve these issues, we need to keep the children off it for at least four weeks. We know many of our children love playing on the field and will be disappointed as we make these improvements. I have spoken to our children today in assembly to help them understand the situation.

We always offer a choice of activities at playtime, but will continue to review them over the following weeks to see if they need to be adapted to meet the need of these new, temporary circumstances.

The guidance we have had from our contractors is that in order for the rolling, filling and reseeding to be effective, they need to be done now and so the contractors have asked that work begins today. If the work was undertaken at a more convenient time in the school calendar, there is a danger that the seed wouldn't flourish.

I would be really grateful if parents could support us by keeping children off the main body of the field at the end of the day. Children may continue to access the trail and exercise equipment at the side of the field. The equipment on the artificial grass is also available as usual.

Please be aware that whilst I know the closure may cause disappointment, it's important that we improve our field for the safety of our children. Hopefully, next year as the work comes to fruition, we will have a much better facility to offer our community.

Thank you for your understanding and please do call in if you have any queries.

Yours sincerely

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R J Bennett

Rosalind Bennett
Headteacher