

Etherley Lane
School Council



Etherley Lane Primary School



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Dear Parents,

We have recently been discussing ways to make the most of our outdoor space all year round. Last term we began our OPAL (Outdoor Play and Learning) journey and think it would be brilliant to use the field at lunchtime so that there is more space for everyone. As the winter months are coming children will need to wear wellies to have fun on the field. The staff will inform us when it is a welly day.

If your child wants to go on the field after half term then this is what they need to do:

Bring a pair of wellies into school in a carrier bag. The wellies and carrier bag need to stay in school and be **clearly marked with your child's name inside them**. We will keep children's wellies safe by putting them in a different box for each class. There is no need to bring designer wellies, just get a cheap pair, as you will be keeping them in school all term. School shoes will continue to be worn indoors and need to have your child's name on too.

If you have any questions about our plans please ask any of the School Council members or Miss Wade. We hope you like our great idea and we hope it makes lunchtimes more fun for everyone!

Yours Sincerely

Etherley Lane School Council Members (OPAL Champions) &

Miss Wade (OPAL Leader)