



Friends Of Ilchester School (PTA) Registered Charity Number: 1168186

Ilchester Community Primary School
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Friends of Ilchester School would like to wish you a warm welcome and would like to introduce you to the Parent Teacher Association at Ilchester Community Primary School, known as FIS

The main aim of FIS is to raise money to enhance the school's facilities for the benefit of all pupils by helping to purchase items and equipment that would not normally be covered by the education budget. Our goal is also to involve all members of the school community in events in order to bring us together.

What We Do

We run a varied programme of school events and fundraising projects in the hope that we can help to make Ilchester School a friendly, caring and supportive environment for pupils, their families the community and for the staff. Examples of FIS events include School Discos – which are always a firm favourite with the children in all years - Coffee Mornings, Bingo, Summer BBQ, Christmas Fayre, Pre-Loved School Uniform Sales and much more.

What We Have Done

Our fundraising in the past has enabled us to contribute to: class trips, purchase outdoor play equipment, musical instruments. One of our biggest projects was the donation of IPADS. For the last 3 years we have been able to have a pantomime come to school for all children to enjoy. We have also provided Christmas presents in the form of a book for each child and Christmas crackers for the Christmas lunch. All of these things add to enrichment opportunities for the children and are memories for them to cherish. This year has been really exciting for the children, as we arranged for alpacas to come to school along with a wildlife photographer as part of the celebrations for Sir David Attenborough's 100th Birthday.

How You Can Help

All of this could not happen without the support of you, the parents and carers. Please continue to support our school and fundraising by attending the events and with your donations. The whole school is very grateful by the level of support shown, so a huge thank you for all your future help. If you have any fundraising ideas why not join us at one of our committee meetings, you will be more than welcome, or email us at ilchesterpta@hotmail.com. Even if you can't attend the meetings, we would be grateful if you can spare half an hour or so at our events to help in anyway. We'd love you to join us. Come along and make some new friends and have fun whilst supporting the school.