**Fantasy Football**

Dear Parents/Carers,

This year we would like to offer an optional learning task to all children within Tulliallan Primary. The children have the option this year to sign up and join the Tulliallan Fantasy football league.

Students will be engaged in math’s within a real-world context.

Students will research football teams and players and make predictions based upon historical data.

**What is Fantasy Football?**

Fantasy football is an online game where you become the manager of your own football team. There are various websites and apps you can play this game on, we will be using the official Barclays Premier League website/app. You have a budget of £100million and you need to pick 15 players from the English Premier League. Each week from your 15 players you pick a starting 11 and 4 substitutes. As the players from your team play in real life they gain points for your team for goals, assists, clean sheets etc. These points are totalled and will be displayed on our school league table.

**Keeping Pupils Safe Online**

At Tulliallan Primary, we know that it is vital for our pupils to be responsible and safe when using online platforms. If your child is planning to join this club then we recommend they take the following steps:

1. During registration the website asks for an email address. We recommend the pupils use their Glow email address. This email address is not displayed anywhere on the website.

2. During registration it asks for your full name. This is displayed on league tables beside the team name so we recommend pupils use their first name and their initial for their second. For example Joe B.

3. Pupils under the age of 13 will also need to provide a parent’s email address for approval.

4. You will see on the website that there is two game types. We will be setting up a school league with a classic FPL league format. This format has no in game messaging service. If pupils choose to play other games on the website independently there may be in game chat features. We recommend that pupils do not do this without their parent/guardians permission and only join additional leagues with people that they know.

5. To register for this game you need to create a password. We recommend that pupils create a unique password different from any other that they use. We also recommend logging out whenever using a public device.

Useful information:

<https://fantasy.premierleague.com/help>

<https://www.premierleague.com/privacy-policy-child-q&as>

Join Tulliallan Primary Schools Fantasy Football Competition this season by using the following steps:

Step 1:

Visit the website www.fantasy.premierleague.com and create your team by signing up. You will have to create a team name and also design your own football kit.

Step 2:

Click the tab which shows 'Leagues' and then click the next tab of 'Create and join new leagues'. Next, select the option of 'Join a league' and then 'Join private league'. You will then need to enter the following code: sh5w0q

Step 3:

CONGRATULATIONS! You should now be a member of the league Tulliallan Primary School. Remember to use your Glow email address to create a Fantasy Premier League account. There will be monthly meetings to give some hints, tips and feedback. We will also hand out some management awards.

Kind regards,

Mr. Land