

NEWSLETTER

4th October 2019

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Article 28

Every child has the right to an education

Dear Parents, Carers and Friends



Hand in Hand for Oscar

We have received an astounding amount of donations for the appeal. We will let you know how much we have collected as soon as possible. Thank you all Keith.

School Money

Reminder that all school dinners (even if your child is free school meals or Reception to Year 2) must be booked via the School Money App. The app will give you more control of what is ordered, the food waste will be minimised and it will be an easier way to pay. School lunches cannot be booked on the day they need to be ordered at least the night before. To ensure children who have booked get their choices if you don't book in time your child will be given a jacket potato and filling.

OSCA and WACA sessions should also be booked and paid for using the App, bookings for the rest of October and beginning of November should be completed as soon as possible please.

If you need an additional parent added to a child's account or are having problems logging on (some mobile numbers and emails are causing issues) please contact the school office.

Reading

Have you shared a book with your child this week? We are having a big push on reading and need your support.

We are also looking for reading volunteers to come and listen to children read in school. Can you spare some time to help? Further details from the school office.

Bug Club and Times Table Rockstars

Has your child been on Bug Club to read this week? Also, are they practising their times tables on the TT Rockstars website?

Uniform

We hope you will support our uniform policy and ensure that the children are correctly dressed for school. Please no trainers and ensure that the children wear a tie which can be purchased from the school office. Our tie is the single line of gold on green not a double stripe. Please ensure that hair accessories are in keeping with school and not the current craze for cat ears and bobbles. Thanks.

Photographs

Please return all photograph orders to school by Friday 11th October unless you wish to order online. Thank you

Text Messages

Please contact the school office if you are not receiving text messages so we can check we have the correct mobile contact number.

Parents Evening

Reminder please return your Parents Evening booking slips to school by Tuesday 8th October

Thank you

Keith Butler

PRAISE ASSEMBLY

Children who gained badges and certificates in Praise Assembly deserve our special congratulations:

W/C 24/9/2019

Key Stage One

RER Hedgehogs	Summer Cox
RR Foxes	Harriet Hipkiss
1/2B Squirrels	Hoor-Ain Luqman
1/2D Moles	Isabella Moss
2W Badgers	Shaylee-Rae Westwood

Key Stage Two

3/4A Chestnut	Harley Taylor
3/4 H Oak	Riley Green
4LR Elder	Ryan Smith
5D Beech	Anam Noor-Bibi
5/6T Holly	Isabelle Powell
6B Rowan	Darcie Webb

WELL DONE ALL

ATTENDANCE

The target for school attendance is **96%**

The table shows the class attendance percentages.

Class	From 3 Sep	W/C 16 Sept
RER	98.00↓	96.84
RR	96.95↓	96.84
1/2B	94.96↑	96.25
1/2D	98.95↓	98.40
2W	97.37↑	98.33
3/4A	94.47↓	93.00
3/4H	98.39↑	98.71
4LR	99.56↑	100.00
5D	97.14↑	98.26
5/6T	95.77↑	99.13
6B	97.53↓	96.36
Whole School	97.23↑	97.46

KS2 Tuck Menu

Crumpet 30p Mon–Thurs
Tea Cake Half 30p Mon–Thurs
Toast 25p
Milk 30p
Muller Mini Corner 30p
Healthy Yoghurt 30p
Fruit 3oz pot 30p
Sausage or Bacon Sandwich 50p
Friday only
Tuck can still be paid for in cash
each day and is on a first come first
served basis due to limited stock.

Dinner Menu

All dinners should now be booked
through the School Money App. **We
are no longer able to accept cash for
dinners in school.**

WC 7th October Week 3

Monday

Chicken Katsu Curry
Quorn Katsu Curry
Fish Fingers
Served with Boiled Rice, Diced
Potatoes, Peas, Carrots

Eton Mess

Tuesday

All Day Breakfast
Veggie Breakfast, Veggie Balls in
Tomato Wrap
Cod Bites,
Served with Hash Browns, Baked
Beans, Sweetcorn

Chocolate Sponge and Chocolate
Sauce

Wednesday

Roast Beef and Yorkshire Pudding,
Cheese Savoury,
Fish Goujons
Served with Roast and Boiled
Potatoes, Broccoli, Mixed Veg

Apple & Blackcurrant crumble and
Custard

Thursday

Chicken Wrap
Quorn Sausage Cowboy Hotpot
Fish Cake
Served with Wedges, Sweetcorn,
Rainbow Slaw

Sticky Toffee Pudding and Custard

Friday

Margherita Pizza,
Vegetarian Pizza,
Battered Fish
Served with Chipped Potatoes,
Baked Beans, Peas & Sweetcorn Mix

Oaty Cookie

Items Available Everyday

Jacket Potato and Filling, Salad,
Fresh Bread, Cheese and Biscuits,
Yoghurt, Jelly, Fresh Fruit Salad,
Fresh Fruit Bowl, Water,

Chef's Choice Dessert.

Grab Bag including a Sandwich or
Roll with a variety of filling including
Cheese, Tuna or Ham,
Crudités or Salad Pot,
Fresh Fruit,
Cake, Biscuit or Yoghurt,
Water

Diary Dates

October

Thurs 10th Deaf Awareness
Thurs 10th World Mental Health Day
**Thurs 10th HSA AGM 18.45 KS2
Staffroom**

Fri 11th Deaf Awareness
Tues 22nd Parents Evening
15.30–19.00

Wed 23rd Parents Evening
15.30–19.00

Thurs 24th HSA Monster Mash
16.30 to 18.00 Reception–Year 6
Fri 25th October Inset Day
Half Term Mon 28th October to Fri
1st Nov

November

Mon 4th November Inset Day
Thurs 14th Fluex Vaccinations
Reception –Year 6

December

Tues 10th KS1 Christmas
Performance 14.00
Wed 11th KS1 Christmas
Performance 18.00
Fri 13th Nursery Christmas
performances
Tues 17th KS2 Christmas Service
Holy Trinity Wordsley 10.00am
Term Ends Fri 20th Dec

MONSTER MASH

Thursday 24th October

All tickets £3.00 each

KS1 4.30pm-6pm
(Reception to Year 2)

KS2 4.30pm-6pm
Disco and light refreshments.

Children are invited to dress up in their
best monster gear.

***Temporary tattoos available on the night
for KS2 children only—Please sign the
consent form below.**

For a fun night please fill in the pro-forma
below including the correct money and any
dietary requirements/ food allergies.

Child's Name _____

Class _____

I would like to order:

_____ tickets for KS1 Monster Mash Disco
@ £3.00 each

_____ tickets for KS2 Monster Mash Disco
@ £3.00 each

I enclose a total of £ _____

Dietary requirements/Food allergies:

***I give consent for my child to have a
temporary tattoo.**

Parent Signature:

Starting Secondary School in September 2020

Why not apply for a place online?
If your child is due to start
secondary school in 2020 then you
will have to apply for a school place
before 31 October 2019.

You **MUST** complete an application
either online at [www.dudley.gov.uk/
admissions](http://www.dudley.gov.uk/admissions) or by completing the ap-
plication form provided by your home
local authority. You can include six
school preferences on the
application; there is nothing to gain
by only putting one preference.

The online system will be available
24 hours a day, 7 days a week from
1 Sept 2019 until the closing date for
applications on **31 OCTOBER 2019.**

Starting Primary School in September 2020

Why not apply for a place online?
If your child was born between 1 Sept
2015 and 31 Aug 2016 they will be due to
start primary school in September 2020.

You **MUST** complete an application
either online at [www.dudley.gov.uk/
admissions](http://www.dudley.gov.uk/admissions) or by completing an application form from
your home local authority by
15 JANUARY 2020. You can include
five school preferences on the
application; there is nothing to gain by
only putting one preference.

The online system will be available 24
hours a day, 7 days a week from 1 Oct
2019 until the closing date for
applications on **15 JANUARY 2020**