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Every child has the right to an education

Dear Parents, Carers and Friends

Welcome to the first school newsletter of this academic year. Great to see that the children have settled well into their new classes and all look very smart.

Praise assemblies are now on a Wednesday at 9.00am. Parents of children who are awarded a praise certificate will be notified by text. Please ensure that we have the correct number in the school office.

Registration for all pupils is now **8.45am**. A reminder bell rings at 8.40am, followed by the 8.45am 'line up' bell.

Late arrivals need to go through the office and be signed in by an adult.

Anyone arriving after 8.55am will be marked 'L' (late). Any pupil arriving after Registers are closed at 9.15 am will be marked 'U' (unauthorised absence).

If your child is going to be absent from school could you please call the school office by 9.00am. This will help the office staff and avoid phone calls home, calls to other emergency contacts or in some cases a safe and welfare check to the home address.

Asthma Care

Did you know there is a rise in Asthma Attacks in September when children and young people return to school ?

Top Tips to help reduce the risk of asthma attacks:

- * Know your Asthma Action Plan—make sure you know what to do in an emergency.
- * Take your Preventer Inhaler—continue to take your Preventer inhaler everyday even if you feel well.
- * Manage your triggers— it is important to know what makes your asthma worse.
- * Remember -to have an annual asthma review.



Please make sure that your child has their inhaler and a spacer in school at all times & that you are aware of the expiry date.

Menu

WC **18.9.23** (Week 3)

Monday

Fish fingers
Vegetarian Meatballs in tomato sauce
Potato wedges, pasta, sweetcorn & peas
Iced sprinkle sponge.

Tuesday

Sausage & Gravy
Vegetable Fingers
Salmon Bites
Mashed potatoes, broccoli & mixed vegetables.
Melting moments & custard.

Wednesday

Traditional roast chicken
Halal chicken
Quorn chicken fillet
Fish goujons
Baby boiled potatoes, carrots & peas.
Apple & shortcake & custard.

Thursday

All day brunch
Veggie all day brunch
Cod bites
Hash browns , baked beans & country vegetables.
Marble cake & custard.

Friday

Cheese and tomato pizza
Battered fish
Chipped potatoes, spaghetti hoops & sweetcorn.
Fruit & ice cream.

Available Every Day

Grab bags which contain a sandwich either cheese, tuna or ham filling.
Salad bag. One from a cake, biscuit or yoghurt. Fresh fruit. Water
Jacket Potato with a choice of cheese, beans or cheese and beans.

Lunches from home.....

If you are sending your child with a packed lunch, can we ask that you cut grapes and cherry tomatoes in half please.

Also, as a nut free school please do not send in Nutella sandwiches or any other nut products.

Praise Awards



Children who gained badges and certificates in Praise assembly deserve our special congratulations:
W/C 11/09/2023

Key Stage One

1/2B Squirrels	Elia- Jade
1/2D Moles	Darla—Rose
2W Badgers	Nancy

Key Stage Two

3/4B Elder	Sam
3/4R Oak	Kyrian
4D Chestnut	Leo
5E Beech	Scarlett
5/6H Holly	Eui
6RB Rowan	Zak

School Money App

We apologise for any issues that people had last week booking dinners or OSCA. This was because of a technical issue at School Money which has now been resolved. If anyone is still struggling please email the school 'info' box with details.

Polite reminder

Dinners **MUST** be booked in advance. Office staff should not be adding lunches on, on a daily basis. This is for emergency reasons only.



