

WATFORD FIELD SCHOOL INFANT AND NURSERY NEWSLETTER

Being Kind, Confident Minds,

Ready for Life Long Learning Spring Term Issue 9 Friday 17 March 2023



New Menu

There will be a new school lunch menu after Easter. It is available to see on the school website. We will also email a copy to parents soon.



Second Hand Uniform

We have a selection of good quality second hand school uniform available in the foyer of the school. If you would like to have a look, please help yourselves and if you are able to make a small donation please put it in the bowl provided.

Easter Day

Easter Day will be on Friday 24th March, this day will be a non-uniform day, we would love to see the children marking this celebration day with bright colours. The children will also be learning all about Easter on this day.



Whole School Attendance for this year so far: 89.4%

Target for all children: 96%

1 hour and 12 minutes of learning time was lost due to lateness this week

Reception, Year 1 & Year 2 start at 8.55am (doors open from 8.45am)

Nursery starts at 8.30am (morning / all day) or 12.30pm (afternoon) - please arrive on time as it's just as important for Nursery as School to be punctual!

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Friday 24th March Easter Day (non-uniform day)

Thursday 30th March Last Day of Term for Nursery

Friday 31st March Last Day of Term for School (finish 1.10pm)

> **3rd April—14th April** Easter Holidays

Monday 17th April Summer Term Starts

Monday 1st May Bank Holiday (School & Nursery Closed)

Monday 8th May Bank Holiday for King's Coronation (School & Nursery Closed)

> 29th May—2nd June Half Term

This Week's Learnersaurus Awards

☆ Nursery	Tymek (Hedgehogs)	Harlee 🔶 (Rabbits) 🖕				
Nursery	Zion (Woodpeckers)					
À Owls	Lyla	Leanne 🖌				
Robins	Hadi	Duaa 🖌				
Squirrels	Khalid	Aayat 🖌				
Foxes	Samuel	Hibba				
☆ Kingfishers	Saravanan	Anaya 🦅				
Otters	Joseph P	Eugenie				
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# WHAT WE HAVE BEEN DOING IN SCHOOL THIS WEEK

## Nursery

This week we have been thinking and talking about all the things our Mummy's do for us and how they help us.



## Reception

This week in Maths, we have been focusing on finding 1 less than a number. In PE we imagined that we went on a bus journey and travelled safely around the space pretending we are the drivers or passengers. We have also created our own Mother's day cards trying to show our mummies how much we appreciate them.



## Year 1

This week in Year 1, we have started to write our innovated version of Goldilocks and the Three Bears.

We have been looking at solving maths problems relating them to the part whole model. In Science, we named and matched some common garden and



wild plants. In Art, we mosaicked the background to our Titanic pictures.

#### Year 2

We have been innovating and writing a shared set of instructions 'How to trap a Goblin, the children have been using some fantastic expanded noun-phrases! In Maths we have been continuing to learn about multiplication and applying their knowledge to word problems. On Friday we celebrated Red Nose Day and discussed the importance of the charity.



## WHAT WE WILL BE DOING IN SCHOOL NEXT WEEK

- **Nursery** We will be developing our Three Little Pig storytelling further trying to add more details and recall the events in order. Through our phonics teaching we are focusing on children beginning to hear words that begin with the same sound eg: mountain/monkey, apple/ant, snake/sun.
- **Reception** Next week we will be innovating the story The Cat's Breakfast and also we will be introducing activities linked to the celebration of Easter.
- **Year 1** In English we will continue to write our own versions of 'Goldilocks and the Three Bears'. In Maths, we will be looking at some different types of problem solving. In History, we will looking at the journey that the Titanic took on their fateful voyage and plotting the journey on a map. In Science, we will be identifying the parts of a plant that can be eaten. In Art we will be looking at the use of adding black and white to create different shades of the same colour.
- Year 2English: We will be innovating and writing our own set of instructionsMaths: We are going to be learning about divisionTopic: On Thursday we are going to be visited by the local Fire Station

## School Dinner Menu for week commencing 20th March

Ve (Vegan) V (Vegetarian) Additional Veg	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
RED	Pork Sausages with Gravy & Creamed Potatoes	Chicken Pie with Herby Potatoes	Roast Beef & Yorkshire Pudding with Roast Potatoes or Pasta & lots of veg!	Quorn Hot Dog (v) with Potato Wedges or Pasta	Crispy Coated Salmon with Oven Chips or Pasta
GREEN	Cheese & Veg Pasties with Diced Potatoes (v)	Rumble in the Jungle—Suya spiced Quorn with Jollof Rice & Gar- den Peas	Quorn Fillet with Roast Potatoes or Wholemeal Pasta (v)	Soupa Doupa Noodle Showdown— Sweet & Sour Quorn Noodles	Cheese & Tomato Pizza (v) with Oven Chips or Pasta
JACKET POTATO	Jacket Potato with Beans	Jacket Potato with Cheese	Jacket Potato with Beans	Jacket Potato with Cheese	Jacket Potato with Beans
BLUE	Cheese Baguette (v)	Chicken Mayo Wrap	Tuna Sandwich	Ham Roll	Egg Roll (v)
DESSERT	Strawberry Mousse	Fruit Salad	Toffee Apple Date Cake & Custard	Fresh Fruit Jelly	Chocolate Brick Wall

HOMEWORK CHALLENGES Please spend time with your child to explore this week's challenge. The teachers will talk to the children about what they have learnt at home every Friday.

#### Nursery:

Enjoy spending time with your mum's this weekend, can you do something kind and helpful for them this weekend.

#### Reception:

We have noticed the blossom on our tress outside in our garden, can you spot some signs of Spring in the environment and write a sentence about Spring?

#### Year 1:

Please see this week's spellings and keep trying with the handwriting.

Can you go for a walk and see what plants you can see? What plants can you name? Draw a picture and label the names and the parts. (daffodils, horse chestnut tree, crocus etc).

#### Year 2:

Next week, we are going to have a visit from the local Fire Station. Can you write five questions you would like to ask the Firemen/women?



## **School Contact Details**

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If your child is going to be absent from school for any reason you <u>must</u>inform