Weekly Newsletter 21 (14th February 2020)

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Happy Valentine's Day everyone

What's happening in school after the holiday?

- Our new theme of Reduce, Reuse, Recycle begins after the holiday.
- Class 7 are visiting the library on Monday afternoon as they missed it on 11th Feb because of the snow – helpers would be welcome please.
- Monday Mile will be on, weather permitting. Harris was most disgruntled this week when he couldn't 'train' because of all the mud. He made us smile!
- On Tuesday Virridor are coming to talk with the children about our school waste, where it goes and what is recycled.
- Mrs Townsend is not in school on Wednesday 26th February.
- Mrs Heavens is not in school on Wednesday morning.
- Chris Standley is in school on Thursday playing games. After school club for parents and children from 3.00-4.00pm.
- PPA cover arrangements for next half term are as follows for Classes 3, 5 and 6. Mrs Marsh will teach Class 3 on Thursday mornings and Class 5 on Thursday afternoons. Miss Denton will teach Class 6 on Thursday mornings.
- On Friday Class 3 have their first Forest School session.
- Mrs Townsend is not in school on Friday afternoon.



Attendance

Class 1: 94%

Class 2: 96%

Class 3: 96%

Class 4: 95%

Class 5: 96%

Class 6: 97%

Class 7: 96%

Class 8: 95%

Our target attendance is 96%

This week's attendance

95.6%

is

Well done Class 6

Reception classes

A request from our reception classes please – we are collecting plastic bottles, bottle tops etc. for our junk modelling. Thank you.

After School clubs

These restart after the holiday for those children who have signed up. Football on Monday, Multisports on Wednesday and Gymnastics and Dance on Thursday.

Behaviour

The vast majority of our children behave really well all the time but a couple of weeks ago I had a little grumble with the children in assembly about the number of behaviour incidents that were being reported. (I don't grumble very often so they know I am serious when I do.) I am pleased to say the number of incidents has fallen considerably. The issues were mainly around small groups of children playing games which became too rough and ended up with them hurting each other. We have banned the playing of Tig for a while as the children were not 'tigging' but hitting. We have also banned playing on the artificial grass as the children were using this as a wrestling mat. I have reminded the children again this morning to seek the help of a grown-up if they are hurt (and not retaliate physically) and we will help them to sort it out.



Mrs Townsend's Pupil of the Week

Joel Couldwell. You could not wish to meet a more helpful, caring, thoughtful young man. He works hard. He plays hard. He follows the rules. He's ace!

Nursery News

Well done to our January starters who have made it to half term! Enjoy the week holiday.

Please use the holiday as an opportunity to check for head lice and treat if necessary. Also check you have the correct uniform and rename if necessary. Thank you.

We look forward to seeing you back in nursery on Monday 24th February.















The grown-ups are spotting the children doing something positive and sharing it on a board in the staffroom.

Dottie and Amelia for giving up their lunch times to keep the library tidy and organized. A job very well done

Thank you to our job squad lunch supervisors who are always helpful and kind – Keira, Niamh, Lucy, Lottie and Cordelia.

Frankie Jones and Marcey-May Fletcher offered encouragement to a classmate who was finding reading tricky. They told her they thought she was doing great.

Jenson Shortt for applauding others in assembly.

Declan Hague for being helpful and telling the truth.





















Tweak of the Week: Quiet voices in the hall at lunchtime.

Week 2	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Dish of the day 1	Beef meatballs in tomato sauce with pasta	Chicken curry with wholegrain rice	Roast chicken with stuffing, mashed potato and gravy	Beef pasta bolognese & garlic bread	Fish fingers and chips & tomato ketchup
Dish of the day 2	Quorn meatballs in tomato sauce	Tomato and basil pasta	Quorn roast with stuffing, mashed potato and gravy	Cheddar flan with homemade potato wedges	Quorn fajita & chips or vegetable sausage fajita
Oven baked jacket potato	Jacket potato with tuna mayo or cheese (V) or baked beans (V)	Jacket potato with tuna mayo or cheese (V) or baked beans (V)	Jacket potato with tuna mayo or cheese (V) or baked beans (V)	Jacket potato with tuna mayo or cheese (V) or baked beans (V)	Jacket potato with tuna mayo or cheese (V) or baked beans (V)
Sandwich option	Ham	Ham	Ham	Ham	Ham
	Tuna	Tuna	Tuna	Tuna	Tuna
	Cheese	Cheese	Cheese	Cheese	Cheese
Vegetables	Garden peas Fresh salad	Carrots Sweetcorn	Savoy cabbage Mixed veg	Cauliflower Sliced green beans	Garden peas Baked beans
Desserts	Hot chocolate fudge cake with custard Fresh fruit/ yoghurt	Shortbread & fruit Fresh fruit/ yoghurt	Lemon drizzle cake & custard Fresh fruit/ yoghurt	Feathered jam sponge & custard Fresh fruit/ yoghurt	Ginger & mandarin muffin Fresh fruit/ yoghurt

What are we learning in maths after the holiday (week commencing 24.2.20)?

Reception will be revising number bonds to 10 (part, part, whole).

Year 1 will be identifying tens and ones in any number up to 100.

Year 2 will be learning to name and describe properties of 2-D and 3-D shapes (e.g. describes a triangle: it has 3 sides, 3 vertices and lines of symmetry).



Assembly Theme: Saints (It's St David's Day on Sunday.)