



20<sup>th</sup> January 2023 – Weekly Newsletter

**Important - Strike Action**

As many of you will already know from the news reports, the teaching unions have announced some dates for strike action on the following dates;

- Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> February
- Tuesday 28<sup>th</sup> February
- Wednesday 15<sup>th</sup> March
- Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> March

This means that we **MAY NOT** be able to open, or we may **ONLY** be open for vulnerable and critical worker children. We will make this decision based on supervision, health and safety, first aid and safeguarding.

Today you will receive some texts and an email with some further information. It is very important that you read this carefully and respond if you are a critical worker by Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> January at 9am. Failure to do so may mean that we will be unable to accommodate your child/ren on strike days.

I think it is important to note that the strikes not only relate to pay, but also to school funding and teacher retention. Both of these could have a significant impact on your child's education in the very near future.

On **MONDAY 23<sup>rd</sup> JANUARY** we will let all parents know if we are able to open.

**Respect**

This week in school we have had a big focus on one of our values - Respect. In assembly we talked about what it meant to be respectful and actions we can take to show respect. One way to show respect is to give compliments. I gave the children a secret mission to compliment someone this week, so I hope that you have been showered with compliments. Walking around school it is clear to me that the children really understand this value, as I have observed them working together, talking about themselves and others and helping each other out.

As the school year progresses the children will revisit respect and we will look at the environment and how we need to respect that, and also how we can show respect in the community.

**Toddler Group**

As many of you will be aware our toddler group has now reopened to the community. It is held every Friday at school from 1pm until 3pm at a cost of £2 per child. The children that attend do not have to have siblings in our school, although it is often a good way for a very young child to get their first taste of our school.

**Congratulations to this week's achievers:**

**Awards for week ending 20-01-2023**

	Kindness	Pupil of the week	Learner of the week
Class 1	George Sinclair	Ava Shaw	Nevae Ridley
Class 2	Mercedes Coglan	Phoebe Tyrie	Harry Roderick
Class 3	Benson Miles	Jensen Brunskill	Eva Thompson
Class 4	Evalynn-Rose Wright	Benji Talbot	Skylar McPherson
Class 5	Joseph Abbot	Skylar Douthwaite	Jack Hall
Class 6	Elliott Patterson	Bailey Musgrove-Bell	Adam Greaves

**Attendance**  
Classes attendance this week:

1 <sup>st</sup> Class 3	100%	2 <sup>nd</sup> Class 1	98%
3 <sup>rd</sup> Class 2	95%	4 <sup>th</sup> Class 6	93%
5 <sup>th</sup> Class 4	89%	6 <sup>th</sup> Class 5	88%

**\*\*\* Whole School – 94% \*\*\***

**Lucky Reading Stars**





















Nancy Brownson	Hayley-May Peverley
Ivy Wright	Ailsa Haley
Cleo Wright	Harry Lockey
Andrea Ajumon	Iylah-Rose Aldworth
Harry-Joe McGuinness	Eliza Hall
Skylar McPherson	Ezra Earl-Connolly
Isla Albinson	Sophia Graham
Layla Aiguobasinmwin	Amalie Lukacova
Kaelyn Hall	Archie McMaster

**Reminder – it is an expectation that your child reads three times per week. Their reading record should be signed each time.**

**Looking ahead**

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| Monday 23 <sup>rd</sup> January   | - Chinese Lion Assembly for children              |
| Tuesday 7 <sup>th</sup> February  | - Escape Room Day (further information to follow) |
| Monday 13 <sup>th</sup> February  | - Class Photographs Day                           |
| Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> February | - Valentine's Day Disco for all children          |

# LUNCH MENU week 1

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Vegan Balls, Tomato Sauce and Pasta 	All Day Breakfast with Bacon	Roast Chicken with Yorkshire Pudding, Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Mince and Dumpling with New Potatoes	Chicken Goujons with Chips
Cheese and Onion Quiche with New Potatoes 	All Day Breakfast with Vegetarian Sausage 	Vegetable Pie with Roast Potatoes and Gravy 	Cheese and Pea Risotto with Homemade Garlic Bread 	Quorn Bites with Chips 
Jacket Potato with Baked Beans 	Pasta Carbonara 	Tomato Pasta  	Jacket Potato with Cheesy Coleslaw 	Macaroni Cheese 
Fresh Salads including Lettuce, Cucumber, Tomato, Grated Carrot and Sweetcorn 				
Carrots Green Beans 	Sweetcorn Broccoli 	Carrot Cabbage 	Broccoli Sweetcorn 	Baked Beans Peas 
Vanilla Ice-Cream	Chocolate Sponge with Chocolate Custard	Jelly with Fruit Slices 	Apple Crumble Custard 	Orange, Sultana and Carrot Slice with Custard

