

Thursday 7th December 2017

Dear Parents/Carers,

Next week we are set to have a very busy week with concerts, which we are sure you will find very enjoyable and get everyone into the Christmas spirit. Please remember to bring your tickets to gain entry to the concerts.

The children look wonderful today in their Christmas jumpers. We look forward to seeing you all at the fair this evening.

Nursery INSPIRE Day

Next Thursday 14th December, Nursery will be holding a special INSPIRE day. We invite parents to come and join us while we visit the garden centre to see all the Christmas decorations and then come back to Nursery for Christmas activities and songs. We will do this both in the morning and the afternoon so that all children and parents have the opportunity to take part. Children who access the 30 hours free childcare will have their INSPIRE in the afternoon. We very much hope that if you have a child in Nursery you or a relative or friend are able to come along to support your child on this day.

EOCT Choir

Next Friday 15th December our choir will join with other choirs from across Ossett to sing in Ossett Town centre. This will take place at 1:30pm outside Jack Fultons. Please come along and join in with the festive concert.

Lunchtime Supervisor Position

We have a position available for a Senior Lunchtime Supervisor in Nursery. The candidates must already be NVQ level 2 trained for the position. Application forms are available from the Academy office. The closing date is Monday 11th December.

Scholastic Book Club

Please remember that tomorrow is the last day to hand in your orders for the Scholastic Book Club leaflet. This is so we can try and get the order back before Christmas. Please remember that we do not accept cash. You can either fill out your card details on the order form or write a cheque payable to Scholastic Ltd.

Milk

Orders and payment for milk for the next half term (4th January onwards) need to be in by Thursday 14th December. Any slips returned after this date will be too late for us to order your child's milk for next half term. The preferred method of payment is online and the cost is £6.40.

Whitby 2018

As advised in the letter sent home in September, Year 4 and 5 children have the opportunity to attend the Whitby residential visit in September 2018. If you wish them to take part then we will need a firm commitment by **Friday 15th December**. Therefore please return your permission slip and a non-refundable deposit of £25.00 (£5.00 for families in receipt of free school meals) to secure your child's place.

School Dinners

The lunch options for next Wednesday have changed slightly due to the Christmas Lunch on Friday. Please see the attached menu for next week. If your child is in Reception or Year 1 and you need to change their choice, please change this online or contact the office.

Trees

After a successful bid for some trees, the Woodland Trust, sponsored by Ikea have donated over a hundred trees for us to plant in the school grounds. The ECO team, Year 3, Year 6 and Ikea staff have all helped to plant the trees this week. They are in the field near to the trim trail. We hope that our trees will grow well and we are hoping that they will be looked after by everyone in the community.

Regards,

The Leadership Team



Mrs S J Vickerman
Executive Principal



Mrs A M Mitchell
Head of School



Mrs P Clark
Deputy Head of School

MENU -WEEK 1

W/C: 11th December

Friday 15th December Christmas Dinner



MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Pork Sausage with Mashed Potato & Gravy	Beef & Onion Pie with Boiled Potatoes	Fish Fingers & Chips	Beef Lasagna	<p>Christmas Dinner Day</p> <p>Roast Turkey, stuffing, sausages and gravy</p> <p>Or</p> <p>Mozzarella Puff Squares</p> <p>Both options served with peas, carrots, sprouts and roast potatoes.</p> <p>Christmas Pudding and Custard</p> <p>Or</p> <p>Christmas Muffin and Ice-Cream</p>
Cheese Savoury with Mashed Potato	Neapolitan Pasta	Vegetarian Pasta Bolognese	Margherita Pizza	
Jacket with baked beans, cheese or both	Jacket with baked beans, cheese or both	Jacket with baked beans, cheese or both	Jacket with baked beans, cheese or both	
Cheese Sandwich and Tomato Soup	Cheese Sandwich and Tomato Soup	Cheese Sandwich and Tomato Soup	Cheese Sandwich and Tomato Soup	
Ham Sandwich and Tomato Soup	Ham Sandwich and Tomato Soup	Ham Sandwich and Tomato Soup	Ham Sandwich and Tomato Soup	
Tuna Mayo Sandwich and Tomato Soup	Tuna Mayo Sandwich and Tomato Soup	Tuna Mayo Sandwich and Tomato Soup	Tuna Mayo Sandwich and Tomato Soup	
Eves Pudding with Custard	Rice Crispy Bun	Lemon Muffin	Iced Sponge	

Served every day: accompaniments for sandwiches and jacket potatoes, seasonal vegetables, fresh wholemeal and organic white crusty bread, fresh fruit, milk and biscuit or organic yoghurt.
Desserts are not pre-selected. Children select their own on the day