



14TH JANUARY 2022



Newsletter

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NURSERY

Please can we remind all parents and carers to provide spare clothes for your child/ren. Also please remember that wellies are not needed on a Friday.

PE will be on a Thursday and a letter for this will follow.



RECEPTION

In Reception this week, we have been reading the story Lost and Found!

We have had our own penguins visitors, Pip and Pop!
We have explored what they eat and used the magnifying glasses to look at the fish.



YEAR 1

This week Year 1 hot seated some of the characters from 'The Queen's Knickers'. We had some great imaginative questions and answers!



YEAR 2

Year Two have been looking at different types of seeds in Science this week.



YEAR 4

We did some internet research on Emperor Penguins to help us write a non-chronological report.



YEAR 5

This week Year 5 have been learning about Theseus and the Minotaur.



LOVE

PEACE

HOPE

TRUST

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A HEALTHY LUNCH

This term we will be working closely with our partners at PhunkyFoods to showcase their Healthy Lunch message to the children. This message highlights the importance of choosing a healthy, well-balanced school lunch; whether that's a hot school meal or a packed lunch brought in from home.

Good nutrition in childhood can help to prevent a variety of health problems, both in the short term and later in life. There is increasing concern that many children are consuming too much fat, sugar and salt and too little fibre, fruit and vegetables. School lunches can contribute to almost a third of a child's weekly food intake and therefore they need to be balanced and nutritious to make a positive contribution to a child's health. A healthier lunch will also encourage children to be calmer and more on-task and focused during the afternoon at school.

You can find out more about the PhunkyFoods Healthy Lunch message, as well as their other healthy eating messages, at <https://www.phunkyfoods.co.uk/parent/a-healthy-lunch-parents-information/> Please do take the time to look at the website as the information is there to help you to support your child at home.



AFTER SCHOOL CLUB CHANGES

We would like to inform you that our After School Club will now run until 6:00pm on a **Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday only**. Monday and Friday will remain the same time finishing at **5:30pm**. Prices are as follows:-

Up until 4:30pm- £2.50

Whole session- £6.00 with an additional £1.00 if snack is required. These changes take place on Monday 10th January 2022.

POLITE REMINDER.

Do NOT allow your child to go on the back or around the side of the school either before or after school. These are areas for use during school hours only whilst the children are supervised by Academy staff.

SMOKING

Can we please ask that parents/carers do not smoke near to the gates. We have had numerous messages about children having to walk through smoke when entering or exiting the school gates.

ATTENDANCE

The overall attendance for Year 1 to Year 6 is **93.2%**. Well done to Year 1 this week! At the Academy we strive to be at or above national expectation of 96.1%. We know with your support we can achieve this.

Class 6—Miss Ferris—90.5%

Class 5—Miss Woodhouse—89.8%

Class 4—Mrs Brocklehurst—97.9%

Class 3—Ms McMullan—94.2%

Class 2—Miss Tidman —89.3%

Class 1—Miss Coutts —98.1%

