

Newsletter W/C 05.10.26

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Every Child Thrives

This week in school we focused on our value of Imagination and the importance of being able to develop our creative sparks to see endless possibilities to use when solving problems and finding new approaches.







We shared 'Sparks of Imagination' by Stephen Hogtun to explore the colourful world we can build using the tiniest of sparks of inspiration to create just about anything. Imagination can keep us to never feel bored, to create artistic masterpieces and solve problems – the tallest buildings in the world, space travel and the whole of the digital era started with a spark of imagination!

Dates for your diary:



THIS WEEK W/C 05.10.26

Tuesday 6th – Parent meetings after school, Scholastic Book Fair opens (until 12.10.26)

Wednesday 7th Football match (home) 3:30pm

Thursday 8th – Parent meetings after school

Friday 9th – Non-uniform in return for items for Class Christmas hampers

NEXT WEEK W/C 12.10.26

Monday 12th – Scholastic book fair – last day

Tuesday 13th Football match (home) 3:30pm

Wednesday 14th Football match (home) 3:30pm, Young Voices Choir 3:30pm

Thursday 15th October – Harvest Festival in church at 2 pm – all welcome. Last day of term

Friday 16th October – INSET day – no children

To help us get ready for our Christmas Fayre on 7th December, we will be holding a non-uniform day on Friday 9th October in exchange for donations for our Christmas hampers.

The hampers will be raffled at the Christmas Fayre to raise money for projects that benefit all children in school. Each class has been given a colour, and we ask that your child brings an item to match that colour. Suggestions are shown above, and items can be food or non-food.

We would also be grateful for any help with preparing for the fayre such as making signs, storing items, or helping on a stall for a short time on the night. All parents, staff, family members and friends are part of our PTFA, and any support you can offer is greatly appreciated.









Buildings update

We have been informed that work to install a new accessible toilet in the main school building will begin on **Monday 5th October**. The plumbing repairs on the old building playground have been externally completed and the entrance across the playground is back in use.

Changes to Access

The patio area will be closed from **pick-up time on Friday 2nd October**. This is so the patio can be removed and foundations laid for the new hygiene suite, which will be built as a small extension to the library area outside Class 3.

The current library entrance used in the mornings will become part of the new facility. A new double-door entrance will be installed further along the library wall. An additional door and pathway will also be created over half term beside Class 1 and details of this will follow in another update.

Drop-off and Collection:

Until after half term, children in **Classes 1 and 3** will need to be escorted through the main entrance by staff as this will be the only access to the library area. Children should therefore be dropped off and collected from the **school field**.

Children in **Foundation** will continue to enter and leave school in the usual way throughout the building work, and **Class 2** will be dropped off and released at the external Foundation gate. Please could **Class 2** parents wait in the area near the footpath outside of **Foundation** gate.

To provide safe access:

- The double gates to the field, immediately to the left through the blue gate at The Limes entrance will be open for Class 1 and 3 drop off and pick up
- All entrances to the site will be open from today
- Temporary walkways will be in place ASAP to help reduce muddy access.
- Staff will be on duty from **8.50am** and children should line up at the designated cones (see map).

To help reduce congestion, please leave promptly once your child has been handed over to a member of staff.

Collection at the end of the day will follow the same arrangement, with children escorted to the field for collection unless they attend BASE club. BASE will continue to operate as normal in the main building until the old building is back in use. Please do not attempt to collect your child before they are lined up on the field to be released by an adult.

School Office Enquiries

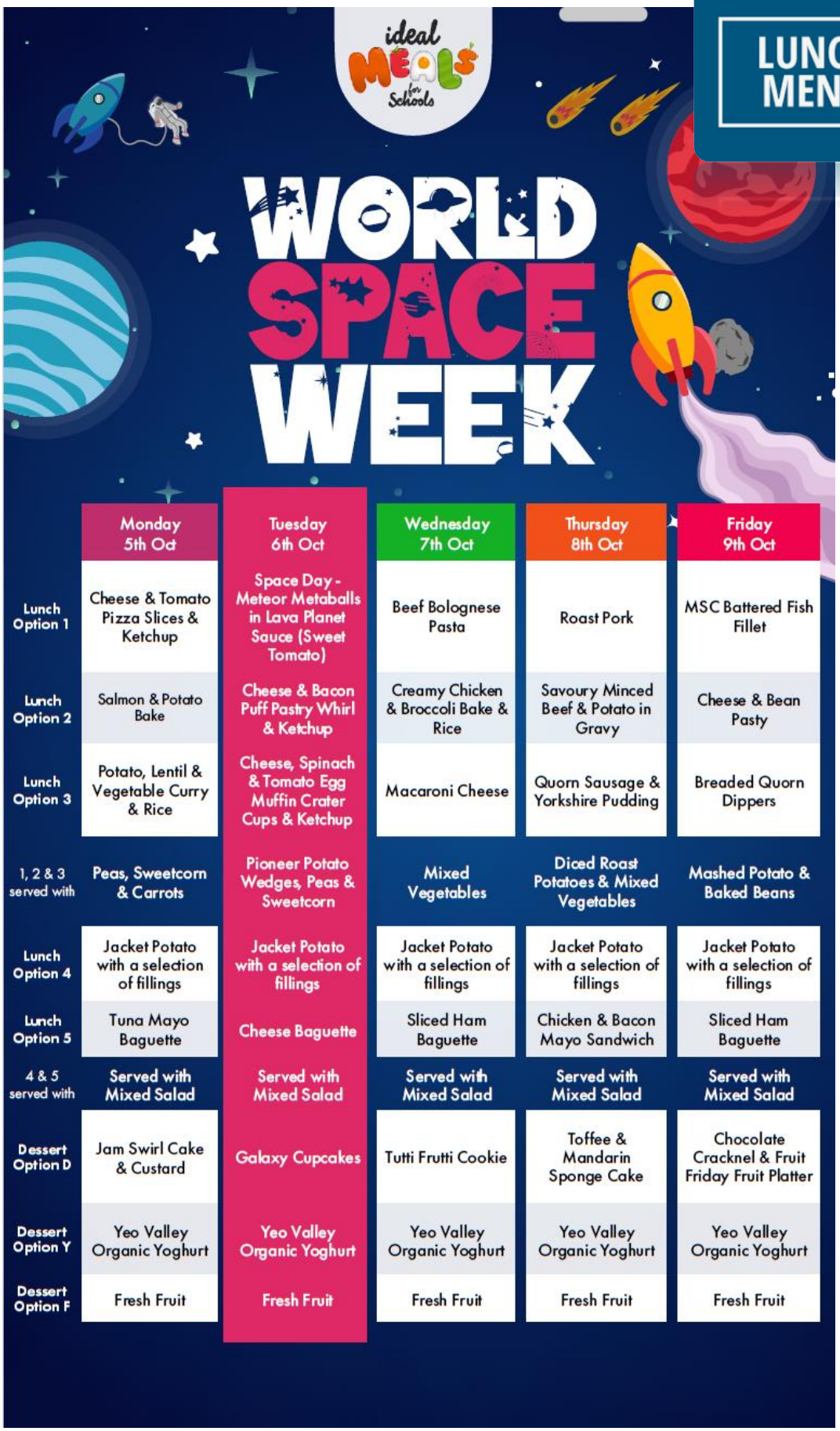
Where possible, please contact the school office by telephone to help reduce congestion around the entrance at busy times.

Car Park Access

The car park will be closed for vehicular access from 8.45 – 9.10 am and 3.15 – 3.40 pm. Please leave site promptly to ensure the safety of all at the end of the day as staff begin to leave.


Map Selector
Class 1 and 3 pick up and drop off (will change after half term)
No access to the patio from either end of school
Class 2 pickup and drop off from Foundation gate

LUNCH MENU



	Monday 5th Oct	Tuesday 6th Oct	Wednesday 7th Oct	Thursday 8th Oct	Friday 9th Oct
Lunch Option 1	Cheese & Tomato Pizza Slices & Ketchup	Space Day - Meteor Metaballs in Lava Planet Sauce (Sweet Tomato)	Beef Bolognese Pasta	Roast Pork	MSC Battered Fish Fillet
Lunch Option 2	Salmon & Potato Bake	Cheese & Bacon Puff Pastry Whirl & Ketchup	Creamy Chicken & Broccoli Bake & Rice	Savoury Minced Beef & Potato in Gravy	Cheese & Bean Pasty
Lunch Option 3	Potato, Lentil & Vegetable Curry & Rice	Cheese, Spinach & Tomato Egg Muffin Crater Cups & Ketchup	Macaroni Cheese	Quorn Sausage & Yorkshire Pudding	Breaded Quorn Dippers
1, 2 & 3 served with	Peas, Sweetcorn & Carrots	Pioneer Potato Wedges, Peas & Sweetcorn	Mixed Vegetables	Diced Roast Potatoes & Mixed Vegetables	Mashed Potato & Baked Beans
Lunch Option 4	Jacket Potato with a selection of fillings	Jacket Potato with a selection of fillings	Jacket Potato with a selection of fillings	Jacket Potato with a selection of fillings	Jacket Potato with a selection of fillings
Lunch Option 5	Tuna Mayo Baguette	Cheese Baguette	Sliced Ham Baguette	Chicken & Bacon Mayo Sandwich	Sliced Ham Baguette
4 & 5 served with	Served with Mixed Salad	Served with Mixed Salad	Served with Mixed Salad	Served with Mixed Salad	Served with Mixed Salad
Dessert Option D	Jam Swirl Cake & Custard	Galaxy Cupcakes	Tutti Frutti Cookie	Toffee & Mandarin Sponge Cake	Chocolate Cracknel & Fruit Friday Fruit Platter
Dessert Option Y	Yeo Valley Organic Yoghurt	Yeo Valley Organic Yoghurt	Yeo Valley Organic Yoghurt	Yeo Valley Organic Yoghurt	Yeo Valley Organic Yoghurt
Dessert Option F	Fresh Fruit	Fresh Fruit	Fresh Fruit	Fresh Fruit	Fresh Fruit