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Mr and Mrs Loft's Big Celebration Day



Congratulations to the new Mrs Loft, who celebrated her wedding during half term. She would like to say the hugest thank you to the Year 3 parents for all of their kind words and support during the weeks beforehand and for the very generous gift she received this morning for herself and Stuart. Mrs Loft would also like to thank the Year 4's for the earrings that she received last summer term as she wore them on the day. Final thanks come from Mr and Mrs Harris for the understanding and cooperation from the Year 3 parents leading up the big day.



EYFS PTCs

Mrs Kitchen will be holding her rescheduled parents evening on Tuesday, 9th November 2021 via Teams. The appointment times will remain the same.

The Bishop of St Albans' Harvest Appeal 2021

Thank to everyone for raising an amazing £525.30 for The Bishop of St Albans Water is Life Harvest Appeal before half term.



New school lunch menu

The new HCL Winter 2021 menu starts this week. School meals are £2.70 and free of charge to infant children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2.

Menu Week One Served Week Commencing: 1st November - 22nd November - 13th December - 5th January - 24th January - 21st February - 14th March

Pupils' Choice Extra Menu Winter 2021

Monday
Pork Sausages with Gravy
Quorn Fattie in a Bun V with Diced Potatoes
Jacket Potato with various toppings
Chilled Option: Cheese Sandwich

Tuesday
Lamb Slice
Macaroni Cheese with Garlic Bread V with Creamed Potatoes
Jacket Potato with various toppings
Chilled Option: Chicken Mayo Wrap

Wednesday
Roast Beef with Yorkshire Pudding
Veggie 'Meat-Free Balls' in Gravy V with Roast Potatoes or Wholemeal Pasta
Jacket Potato with various toppings
Chilled Option: Tuna Baguette

Thursday
Chicken Deli Wrap with Rice
Italian Pasta Bake V with Mixed Salad
Jacket Potato with various toppings
Chilled Option: Ham Flatbread

Friday
Battered Fish Fillet
Cheese and Tomato Pizza V with Potato Wedges or Wholemeal Pasta
Jacket Potato with various toppings
Chilled Option: Egg Roll

Menu Week Two Served Week Commencing: 8th November - 29th November - 20th December - 10th January - 31st January - 28th February - 21st March

Monday
Beef Burger in a Bun
Beany Bolognese V with Potato Wedges or Brown and White Rice
Jacket Potato with various toppings
Chilled Option: Cheese Sandwich

Tuesday
Creamy Chicken Pasta with Garlic Bread
Quorn Hot Dog V with Diced Potatoes
Jacket Potato with various toppings
Chilled Option: Chicken Mayo Wrap

Wednesday
Roast Chicken with Stuffing
Crispy Topped Vegetarian Pie V with Roast Potatoes or Pasta
Jacket Potato with various toppings
Chilled Option: Tuna Baguette

Thursday
Organic Beef Lasagne with Herby Bread
Cheese Pinwheel V with Potato Wedges
Jacket Potato with various toppings
Chilled Option: Ham Flatbread

Friday
Salmon Fish Fingers
Cheese and Tomato Pizza V with Low Fat Chips or Wholemeal Pasta
Jacket Potato with various toppings
Chilled Option: Egg Roll

Menu Week Three Served Week Commencing: 15th November - 6th December - 17th January - 7th February - 7th March - 28th March

Monday
Chicken and Sweetcorn Meatballs with Tomato Sauce
Tortilla Stack V with Tri-colour pasta
Jacket Potato with various toppings
Chilled Option: Cheese Sandwich

Tuesday
Organic Beef Bolognese
Cheese and Leek Slice V with Diced Potatoes or Wholemeal Pasta
Jacket Potato with various toppings
Chilled Option: Chicken Mayo Wrap

Wednesday
Roast Pork Loin with Stuffing
Quorn Fillet V with Roast Potatoes or Pasta
Jacket Potato with various toppings
Chilled Option: Tuna Baguette

Thursday
Chicken Pie
Sticky Vegetarian Sausages V with Creamed Potatoes or Brown and White Vegetable Rice
Jacket Potato with various toppings
Chilled Option: Ham Flatbread

Friday
Fish Fillet Fingers
Cheese and Tomato Pizza V with Low Fat Chips or Wholemeal Pasta
Jacket Potato with various toppings
Chilled Option: Egg Roll

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Some photographs depicting portion sizes and / or garnishes have been used for illustration purposes only. All meal prices are set by individual schools and are subject to local variations.

Gravy and Custard are always available separately when on the menu

Freshly baked wholemeal bread, seasonal vegetables and bowl salads are available daily

All our milk is organic - fresh from the dairy

Are your details up to date?



Have you recently changed address? Have you changed your mobile telephone number? Have you decommissioned your landline? Have your circumstances changed? Are you receiving school emails? Can you access the School Gateway to pay for trips and school lunches? Please let the school office know of any changes to your details. Many thanks.

Free School Meals for Isolating Pupils

If your child is required to isolate due to Covid-19 reasons and they are entitled to income related Free School Meals, please let School know in the morning and a packed lunch can be provided by Emma, our lovely school cook.

Pupil Premium Funding / Free School Meals



Please remember to let the school know if your circumstances change so that the school can access the correct funding for your child. The funding isn't just free school meals, but also means that your child can get extra funding for support in school.

If you are in receipt of any of the following benefits:

- Income support
- Income-based Jobseekers Allowance
- Support under Part VI of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guaranteed element of State Pension Credit
- Child Tax Credit (as long as you're not also entitled to Working Tax credit and you don't get more than £16,190 a year)
- Working Tax Credit run-on (paid for 4 weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit)
- Universal Credit (with annual earned income of no more than £7,400 after tax and not including any benefits you get).

For further information see [Hertfordshire County Council Free School Meals](#)

Diary Dates

Monday, 29th November 2021 – Flu Immunisation

Tuesday, 14th December – KS2 Carol Service

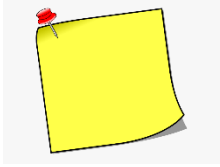
Monday, 9th May to Thursday, 12th May 2022 - SATs

Monday, 23rd May – Friday, 27th May 2022 – Year 6 Brenscombe

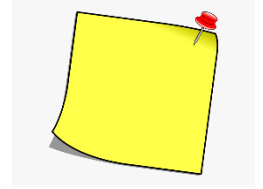
Term Dates for 2021/2022

Autumn Term 2021	
<i>Wednesday, 1 September 2021</i>	<i>Inset - school closed</i>
Thursday, 2 September 2021	Term begins
Monday, 25 October to Friday, 29 October 2021	Half term
<i>Monday, 1 November 2021</i>	<i>Inset – school closed</i>
Friday, 26 November 2021	Occasional day – school closed
Friday, 17 December 2021	Term ends 2pm
Spring Term 2022	
Tuesday, 4 January 2022	Term begins
Monday, 14 February to Friday, 18 February 2022	Half term
Friday, 1 April 2022	Term ends 2pm
Summer Term 2022	
<i>Tuesday, 19 April 2022</i>	<i>Inset – school closed</i>
Wednesday, 20 April 2022	Term begins
Monday, 30 May to Friday, 3 June 2022	Half term
<i>Monday, 6 June 2022</i>	<i>Inset – school closed</i>
Wednesday 20 July 2022	Term ends 2pm
Thursday 21 July 2022	Inset – school closed
Friday 22 July 2022	Day in lieu of additional Bank Holiday

School Noticeboard



Attached to this newsletter: Helping Herts fundraising campaign information from the Rotary Club





PARENTING AN ANXIOUS CHILD

Zoom Workshop for Parents & Carers of children aged 5-11

Topics covered include:

- Understand what anxiety is
- Look at and understand the different types of anxiety and how to recognise it
- How anxiety and stress are linked
- What happens when anxiety overwhelms someone
- Share some solution focused tools to support young people handle their anxiety



An interactive light bite masterclass which allows you to understand anxiety and think about how to support a child with anxiety

This unique and inspiring parenting masterclass develops confidence in understanding anxiety and discusses how to explain the process to children.

EVENT DATE AND TIME

**Tuesday 23rd November
2021**

10am -12pm

£5.00 per household

BOOKING INFORMATION

To request a booking form please contact Jo at Aspects by emailing

admin@aspects.org.uk

Or call 01279 758134