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News for this week

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Hello from school

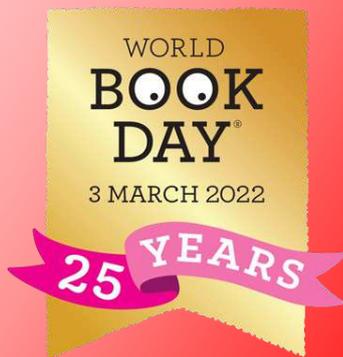
Welcome back after half-term. We are looking forward to lots of exciting learning over the next few weeks.

Forest Green Rovers Academy players visited Year 5 this week to hear them read.

We are very excited about World Book Day tomorrow when we will discuss our favourite books and why we love them.

World Book Day

Tomorrow we will be celebrating World Book Day. All children can dress up as their favourite book character for a £1 donation. The school council will be offering milkshakes and biscuits for 50p in the afternoon.



Staffing positions

Please contact the school office if you are interested in becoming a school crossing patrol cover person or a midday cover supervisor. Also please see the attached advert for a kitchen assistant.

KS1 morning drop off

We are becoming concerned about the safety of KS1 children in the mornings as they have to line up in the car park.

Therefore, from Thursday morning, all parents will be asked to ensure their children line up in the top playground before school. Each class will have a marked designated place to stand. Reception children will line up closest to the Nature garden. Class teachers or TAs will then collect classes from this point and walk them to their classrooms. In practice, there will be no change for KS2 children.

Dental Visit

Some of you will have received a letter in Reception and Y1 class inviting your child to take part in a Dental check at school on 8th March. Please return all consent forms by Friday.

Chess

Chess club after school on a Wednesday is now full. We will look to increasing the numbers for next term. Your child will have come home with a letter about Chess club and contact information for Mr Girdlestone. Please return these as soon as possible.

Diary dates...

MARCH

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| 3rd | Piano lessons
World Book Day
Final Y5 residential payment due £53.00— <i>all accounts to be finalised today</i>
PE—Y4/Y5—bring sensible footwear for PE |
| 4th | PE—Y3
Treat Friday 3.15pm Hall |
| 7th | Drum lessons
PE Y1/Y2
3rd Y6 residential payment due £67.40
Parents evening (all years) |
| 8th | String lessons
PE—Y6/ RECP
Dental visit—Recp/Y1
Y2 Welly walk
Parents evening (not Recp) |
| 9th | Swimming Y3/Y4
Piano lessons
Guitar lessons
Recp Parents evening |
| 10th | Piano lessons
PE—Y4/Y5
Y1 Forest School |
| 11th | PE Y3
Treat Friday |

Reception

We've started our new topic on bread and Pizza. In English, Mrs Hynes read us 'The Little Red Hen'. We have been learning each part of the story and acting it out with masks! "Who will help me plant the wheat?" (Effie).

In Maths, we are getting confident with our numbers up to 20. We played some matching games.

Year 1

This week Year 1 have been researching about Gorillas as a link to their core English text 'Gorilla' By Anthony Browne. We have also started our Geography topic in Natural Resources.

Year 2

Our term has started really well with a lovely welly walk to discover all about the plants we can see in the local area. We are about to start learning about Christopher Columbus and the city of Bristol too. We can't wait to become explorers ourselves!

Year 3

We have been looking at timelines in History. In Britain we built Stonehenge whilst in Egypt they were building the Pyramids! By Dorothy.

Year 4

This week Year 4 have set up an enquiry in Science, we want to see how fizzy drinks and fruit juices could affect our teeth if they weren't brushed daily.

We've used eggs to mimic the enamel on our teeth. We are also excited to have some resident frog spawn in



our classroom as part of our Science topic exploring life cycles. We have put in lots of work over half term to create Fairtrade posters to celebrate Fairtrade Fortnight which will be displayed in Nailsworth Co-op.

Year 5

I have really enjoyed designing, evaluating and improving my Coat of Arms design in DT. I love the colours as they are vibrant and clear. By Chloe.

I have loved learning fractions in Maths this week because it is really helping me improve my Maths skills. I am working on equivalent fractions which are tricky but fun! By Kyrah.

Year 6

We started off the new term with Science. Our new topic is based on animals and humans. We are looking at the Alps and we drew a cross-sectional diagram of a valley glacier in Geography.

Year 6 learnt a traditional 'Dawnsio Gwerin' (folk dance) dance yesterday to celebrate St David's day. They danced to the song 'Jac y Do' which is the same tune as the English nursery rhyme, 'The Grand Old Duke of York'.



Ben enjoyed celebrating St David's Day at home by baking two lots of Welsh Cakes on separate evenings! He doubled the recipe last night to make sure he had plenty to eat. I'm so glad he enjoyed making them - the smile says it all!



Value Badges

I would like to nominate Carley Rhodes for a helpfulness badge for doing lots of jobs for me when she came to stay during the half term holidays Jenny Franklin (Grandma) .

We would like to nominate Stanley in Year 1 for a respect badge please. We have noticed he is so polite and kind when he meets new people and when we ask him to do jobs to help us, he always does it without any fuss. Love Mummy and Daddy x

Clem nominated Edie in reception for a friendship badge. Clem says Edie was a good friend to her when she fell over and hurt her knee, she made her laugh and it made her feel better.

Stars of the week

Recp



Year 1



Year 2

Year 3



Year 4



Year 5



Year 6



Readers of the week

Great Plate Job Description

Part time school catering assistant – Nailsworth Primary School (Term time only, Monday to Friday, 15 hours a week, 11am-2.00pm)

We are looking for an enthusiastic, hard working person to join our kitchen team at Nailsworth Primary School to help deliver delicious, home made food during lunch service. The role will involve setting up the service stations, assisting with food service, collecting crockery and cutlery after service, washing up, general kitchen cleaning duties and some food preparation.

We are looking for someone with...

- Lots of enthusiasm
- A positive, can-do attitude, willing to roll up their sleeves and get stuck in.
- A passion for good, healthy food with a great provenance
- The ability to comply with all food hygiene regulations and standards.
- Kitchen experience is a bonus but not essential as full training will be provided.

We Offer...

- Being part of a supportive and friendly team
- Working in a well-equipped kitchen
- Working within a company that really understands and has a focus on the importance of food provenance
- All school holidays off
- Full training and support

Rate of pay: £9.50 per hour

Start date: ASAP

Contract type: Permanent, term time only

Place of work: Nailsworth School

An enhanced DBS check will be completed once you are in post

Who are the Great Plate?

The Great Plate is a new type of school catering model, we believe that good food cooked from scratch is of key importance when feeding children. We try to use produce that is local to the area and where possible organic. Our focus is on high quality, healthy and tasty meals packed with all the right nutritional needs for growing children. We also aim to make surplus food each day to be packaged and frozen in our school freezer, where any parent can access meals for their children when needed for no extra cost.

To apply email a CV and covering letter to maisie@feedingchange2.co.uk

WEEKS	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MENU 1 Week of 28th Feb 14th March 28th March	Creamy Mac N Cheese *(VG)	Pizza*, Ham & pineapple or Cheese# (vegan available)	Cottage Pie With Potato top	Chicken Curry with Rice	Fish Fingers* or Vegan Nuggets* with Chips and Peas
	Jacket Potato with Beans, Cheese(#) or Tuna Mayo	Veggie Pasta Bake*# (vegan available)	Veggie sausages Potato wedges And veggies (VG)	Tomato Soup with a cheese toastie*# (V) (Vegan available)	Baked Bean and Cheese slice*# (Vegan Available)
	Cookie*	Fruity Flapjack	Fruit Crumble And Cream*#	Lemon Cake*	Millionaires Shortbread*

WATER AND A SELECTION OF FRESH FRUIT & VEGETABLES ARE ALSO AVAILABLE DAILY

* CONTAINS WHEAT / (v) DENOTES VEGETARIAN / ~ CONTAINS EGG / # CONTAINS DAIRY

WEEKS	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MENU 2 Week of 7th March 21st March 4th April	Fish cake *	Pizza* Ham or Cheese# Vegan Available	Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes Veg and Gravy	Mexican Bean and Cheese Wraps*# (vegan available)	Fish Fingers or Vegan Nuggets With chips and peas
	Jacket Potato Beans, Cheese or Tuna Mayo # (V) (Vegan cheese available)	Pesto Pasta*	Veggie Balls in Tomato Sauce with Roast Potatoes and Veg (VG)	Tomato and Veg Pasta* With Cheese#	Vegan Sausage Roll* (V) Chips and Veg
	Cookie*	Jelly with Fruit	Carrot Cake *	Fruit Crumble with Cream*#	Chocolate Brownie

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Clubs Timetable March-April 2022

Clubs start week commencing Feb 28th unless otherwise stated below



Time	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<p>Lunch Time Clubs:</p>	<p><u>Young Voices</u> (In Y4 classroom) Yr 4,5 & 6 Mrs Wingfield, Ostle & Hynes</p>	<p><u>Fun French Club</u> Yr 3 Mrs Griffin <u>Reading Club</u> Year 1&2 Mrs Amos and Miss Curtis</p>	<p><u>Design & Tech Club</u> Yr 3 until 9th March (Max 15) Mrs Judson & Miss Cullimore Yr 5 from 16th March <u>Dodgeball Club</u> (Gym) Year 1&2 Mr Davis</p>	<p><u>Pulsar Club</u> (Gym) Stories/Art/Sports Psalms Yr 3, 4, 5, 6</p>	<p><u>Run a mile club</u> Yr R, 1&2 Mrs Judson & Ms Geller <u>Run a mile club</u> Yr 3,4,5&6 Mr Davis & Mrs Gasan</p>
<p>After School Clubs: 3:15 – 4:15pm (unless otherwise stated)</p>	<p><u>Netball Club</u> (Playground or gym if wet) Yr 3,4,5,6 Mrs King & Mrs Wingfield</p>	<p><u>Fencing Club (Hall)</u> Yr 3,4,5&6 (Free Max16.list in school office) Mr Garley <u>Gardening Club (Outside)</u> Yr 3,4,5&6 Mrs Reed & Mrs Steele <u>Tag Rugby Club (Field)</u> Year 3,4,5&6 (Field) Mr Shore Year 3,4,5&6 <u>Circuits (Gym)</u> Mrs Wingfield Year 3,4,5,6 Max 16 in Gym</p>	<p><u>Martial Arts</u> (Hall) All ages 3.15 – 4pm £4 per session <u>Chess club</u> Yr 2,3,4,5&6 In Yr 6 classroom Mr Girdlestone</p>	<p><u>Football on Field</u> Yr 3,4,5&6 Mr Walton & Mr Davis <u>Lego Club</u> 3.15 - 4pm Year 1&2 (Max 10-List in school office) in Yr4 room with Mrs Ostle</p>	<p><u>Judo</u> (Gym) Y1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 £55 per term (Includes at least 10 sessions and Judo suit hire) Mr Richard Neale</p>

Pupil premium funding can be used to pay for clubs for those children eligible. Please contact the office for more information.

Celebrate



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Saturday
March 19th

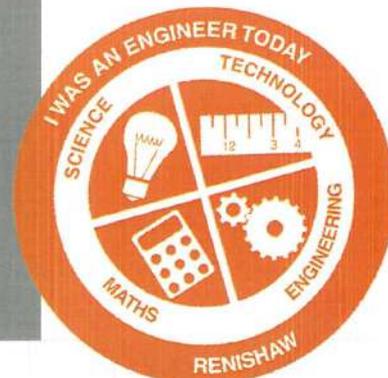
Join us virtually to celebrate 'British Science Week 2022' to find out more about Science, the 'S' in STEM, meet some of our scientists and ask them questions!

Renishaw is one of the world's leading engineering and scientific technology companies and we are hosting a *free* virtual event, suitable for pupils in school years 5 - 9 (ages 9 - 14).

The event is taking place on
Saturday March 19th - 11.30 - 12.15

The 45 minute session will include:

- An introduction to Renishaw
- Instructions for a DIY science experiment
- Talks from our Scientists about how they use science in their jobs
- A chance to ask our scientists some questions



Click this link for more information and to sign-up