



Greenhead CE Primary School Newsletter

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Mrs Hancock & Miss Reynolds's Menu w/c 18/3/19

(Please note: this menu may be subject to change)

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Pasta Bolognaise & Peas OR Baguette with Filling	Dance Festival at Allendale Primary School. Packed lunches (either own or pre-ordered from school)	Shepherd's Pie & Carrots OR Baguette with Filling	Roast Beef, Yorkshire Pudding, Mash & Broccoli OR Baguette with Filling	Chicken Goujons, Chips & Beans OR Baguette with Filling
Rice Pudding with Jams		Steamed Syrup Sponge & Custard	Sticky Toffee Pudding & Custard	Oaty Biscuit & Fruit Juice
Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt		Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt

Stars of the Week

Reception/Class 1: Molly for being able to work more independently.

Class 2: Jack W for making a big effort in his written work this week.

Headteacher's Award: - Molly for trying hard with her school work and for speaking with confidence to her friends and adults in school

Virtues and Values: Rachel for showing compassion at playtime by organising games for the younger children



School Uniform

Please could we remind you of our uniform requirements

Bottle Green sweatshirt or cardigan

White polo shirt

Grey/black trousers or skirt

Purple gingham dress (Summer uniform option)

Grey/black knee length shorts (Summer uniform option)

Black school shoes (not trainers)

Black book bag with logo (Optional)

Shorts and skirts should be knee length

Compulsory PE kit

White t shirt

Black shorts

Suitable footwear i.e. trainers

Black plimsolls

Bottle Green Hoodie with logo for sport (Optional)

Attendance w/c 11/2/19

Reception	100%
Year 1	92%
Year 2	98.9%
Year 3	100%
Year 4	95%
Year 5	90%
Year 6	95%
Overall	94.6%

Learning Achievements

Reception/Class 1: This week we have been looking at London landmarks and using adjectives to describe them. Also we have looked at how we all get to school and made a chart to show this. In Maths we have started to use metres and centimetres to measure length and height.

Class 2: This week the children have been learning all about Alfred the Great. They have been using figurative language to describe his characteristics. We have been preparing for our Science day next week by researching the plants weld, ward and madder. The Anglo-Saxons and the Viking would use these plants to dye their clothes. In Maths, the children have been learning all about tenths, hundredths and multiplying decimal numbers. We had our final dance rehearsal in preparation for Tuesday's dance festival, which we are all looking forward to.

For more information please look on our website and Facebook page.

Year 5/ 6 provision

We are at the stage in the year where we will be organising classes based on numbers etc. For our school records, please can you let us know on the slip below if your child will be staying with us in Year 5.

Red Nose Day

Thank you to everyone who participated on Red Nose Day and came to school wearing red and/or with crazy hair! We raised a total of £40 for Comic Relief.

Friday 5th April

To raise money for our new library area and Year 5/6 classroom space we are having a bake sale on Friday 5th April at 2.30pm in Class 2. The children will be baking in preparation for this but donations are always very welcome

Wanted!

Any perennial plants or cuttings please.

Science Day

On Thursday 21st March the children will be taking part in a Science/STEM day as part of National Science week. The children in Class 2 will be investigating 'How did the Vikings dye their clothes?' They will be working together to source their own natural materials to use to test on pieces of cotton string. Class 1 will be building a replica of Pudding Lane from the Great Fire of London and we would appreciate any cardboard boxes, shoe boxes, containers, cardboard tubes etc. Thank you!

We are re-vamping our library area and have a sofa and a video player available-any offers welcome! We will also be looking for volunteers to create story sacks based on Traditional tales. If anyone would like to help make puppets and props we would be very grateful!

Football training

Mrs Makepeace will be having a Year 5 & 6 girls' football training session on Monday at Henshaw at 3.30pm as they have requested this before they play their next games.

We are sorry to say goodbye today to Lorraine Doswell who has worked alongside us in the Nursery for many years. We wish her all the best for the future.

The Book People

Feel free to come and look at the selection of books for sale in the school foyer.

Yours,

Sarah Hutchinson
Executive Headteacher

Year 5/6 Provision

Child's name

My child will/will not be staying at Greenhead School for Year 5

Signed

