



Henshaw CE Primary School Newsletter

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Mrs Hancock & Miss Reynolds's Menu w/c 24.2.20 (Please note: this menu may be subject to change)

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday (Community Lunch)
Chicken Goujons Wedges OR Jacket Potato & Filling	Mince & Yorkshire Pudding & Mash OR Macaroni Cheese	Meatballs & Pasta OR Tortilla Wrap & Filling	Steak Pie & Mash OR Baguette & Filling	Roast Chicken, Yorkshire Pudding, Mashed Potato, Gravy OR Pasta with Chicken
Beans	Carrots	Sweetcorn	Green Beans	Carrots, Broccoli
Flapjack	Rice Pudding	Angel Delight	Iced Muffin Cake	Sticky Flapjack
Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt



Stars of the Week



Class 1 - Jessica for being fantastic at finding repeated phrases in traditional tales.

Class 2 - Elizabeth C for an excellent piece of writing

Class 3 - Owen for valuable contributions to all our discussions

Presentation Award – Macie for the most improved presentation this half-term

Values & Virtues – Lewis S for always being truthful and respectful to all

Head Teacher's Award – Our Year 5 girls for working as a team to get to the Quarter Finals at the NUFC football tournament on Friday! Well done!

Learning Achievements

Class 1 – This week we have looked for repetitive phrases in story books. In RE we have made our own cross. We have also enjoyed a fairy tale themed tea party.

Class 2 – This week we have been learning about the four countries in the UK and their capital cities. We created questions and had a class quiz, played 'bus stop' and labelled each one on the map.

Class 3 – We are sad to end this theme- we have really enjoyed all the science, design and technology that this has brought with it. This week we have finished our science – finding iron in our cereal. We have also designed and made a friend for the Iron Man. However we are looking forward to the next one....Tomorrow's World!

Attendance W/C 10/2/20

Reception	100.0
Year 1	95.7
Year 2	83.3
Year 3	100.0
Year 4	94.5
Year 5	100.0
Year 6	100.0
Overall	95.0%

School Uniform reminder

Bottle Green Sweatshirt or cardigan with logo
White polo shirt
Grey/black trousers (**not leggings**) or skirt
Purple gingham dress (Summer uniform option)
Grey/black knee length shorts (Summer uniform option)
Black school shoes (**not trainers/ sandals**)
Black book bag with logo (Optional)

Compulsory PE kit

White t shirt
Black shorts
Suitable footwear i.e. trainers
Black plimsolls
Bottle Green Hoodie with logo for sport (Optional)
Black jogging bottoms (**not leggings**) - (Optional for colder months/ outdoor sports)

British Heart Foundation

Thank you to all children who contributed to the British Heart Foundation non-uniform day. We raised a fantastic £64.00...Well done!

School Club Update

Just to let you know that there will be **no Drum Club on 25th February**. It will resume on 3.3.20.

Mrs Philipson's Year 2 Learning Club will also run from 3.15-4pm (not 4.15pm as previously advised)

Thank you

Ash Wednesday Service

You are welcome to join us for our Ash Wednesday Service, led by Rev Carter, on Wednesday 26th February at 9.15am in All Hallow's Church.

A69 Survey

May I thank all parents and staff who responded to our call to share their views on the safety of the A69 junction by Henshaw School. We had 31 responses, and this will be of great value to Henshaw Parish Council who are leading the representations to the various highways authorities. I'm so grateful for the honesty and details contained in people's replies. They tell a tale of concern and of insights about what the dangers are and what would be needed to make the junction safer.

Here are some interesting numbers:

How safe do you feel when using this junction?

Safe	0
Quite safe	2
No different from elsewhere	3
At risk	19
At severe risk	7

Have you ever been involved in, or seen, a NEAR-MISS, or other dangerous driving at this junction?

No 6 Yes 25

What, in your mind, would be the measures which would make this stretch of the road safer?

Speed Limit	8
Dual Carriageway	7
Traffic Lights	4
Roundabout	5
Cameras	7
Road Markings	5
Barrier/Reservation	4

These figures show the level of awareness of the problem, but it is in the many comments which accompany them which are very revealing and will add significantly to the Parish Council's mission. I will keep you in touch with any developments as they happen. Thank you again.

David Ratcliff- Chair of Governors

We hope you all have a safe and enjoyable half term break - school re-opens on Monday 24th February.

Yours



Mrs Sarah Hutchinson - Executive Head Teacher