



# Newsletter

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Dear Parents/Carers,

It has been another busy week at Fairford! Our children are fully immersed in their learning and are enjoying challenging themselves within all areas of the curriculum. Visiting classrooms is the highlight of my working day and I have been blown away by the resilience and ambition our pupils are showing.

I would like to take this opportunity to say THANK YOU to all of our families who consistently ensure their children's attendance and punctuality is good. Getting these important habits established early on in your child's life will make a difference to their future. There is a proven link between attendance and achievement and we want your children to have the best possible start in life. A child should attend school every day that they are well enough. Unnecessary absences can affect them in many ways, for example by damaging friendships or them missing out on exciting activities.

Next week we have a busy week for school trips with Year 5 visiting the Royal Observatory, Year 6 visiting the Imperial War Museum and some of our Year 3 pupils visiting the Maritime Museum. Thank you to all the parents/carers who offer to give up their time to support the children on these trips- we couldn't do it without you!

On Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> January at 9.30am I will be hosting our first parent workshop focusing on how we teach certain aspects of the curriculum at FAB. This will be an interactive session where I will model how we teach maths at FAB. I hope to see as many of you there as possible.

Best Wishes.

Mr Robinson - Head Teacher.



Congratulations to Blue S. for guessing the correct number of Mr Nourishes in the "Numbers Festival Competition" yesterday. The answer was 9.

Well done everyone who took part !

Delivering Excellence Everyday



# Attendance



## Attendance and Punctuality

We continue to monitor attendance and punctuality in an effort to improve.

The school gates open daily at 8:40am and close promptly at 8:50am. Please make sure that your child is on time and in school every day so that they do not miss out on learning time.

## Reporting Absences

If your child is unwell and not able to attend school, it is essential that parents/carers call the office first thing in the morning to let us know. If we do not have contact and are then unable to contact you this may become a safeguarding concern.

| Class       | %    |
|-------------|------|
| Butterfly   | 84   |
| Dragonfly   | 81.2 |
| Hedgehogs   | 95.3 |
| Owls        | 89.8 |
| Squirrels   | 81.2 |
| Kangaroos   | 96.9 |
| Koalas      | 97.9 |
| Kookaburras | 92.9 |
| Narwhals    | 90.4 |
| Penguins    | 91   |
| Polar Bears | 93.6 |
| Dolphin     | 91.7 |
| Shark       | 97.5 |
| Whale       | 94.8 |
| Giraffe     | 95.7 |
| Lion        | 92   |
| Zebra       | 94.7 |
| Eagle       | 91   |
| Falcon      | 98.6 |
| Hawk        | 95.3 |

It's great to see everyone working so hard to achieve the target of 100%

We can only do this if we all work together!

# Diary Dates

| Monday 22nd January                                   | Tuesday 23rd January  | Wednesday 24th January   |
|---|---|--|
| <p>Year 5 Trip<br/>The Royal Observatory</p> <p>~</p> | <p>Year 6 Trip<br/>Imperial War Museum</p> <p>~</p> <p>RAD Drum Lessons (afternoon)</p> <p>~</p> <p>3.20pm - 4.15pm</p> <p>*Tag Rugby for Years 5 &amp; 6</p> <p>~</p> <p>3.20pm - 4.00pm</p> <p>*Meditation Club Years 1 &amp; 2</p> <p>*Recorder Club Years 1 &amp; 2</p> | <p>9.00am-10.30am</p> <p>Parent Learning Workshop -<br/>How We Teach at FAB</p> <p>~</p> <p>3.20pm - 4.00pm</p> <p>*Go Wild Forest School<br/>Years 1 &amp; 2</p> <p>~</p> <p>3.20pm - 4.15pm</p> <p>*Homework Club Y4</p> |

| Thursday 25th January  | Friday 26th January  |
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| <p>Polar Bears &amp; Narwhals Trip<br/>Maritime Museum</p> <p>~</p> <p>RAD Guitar Lessons (all day)</p> <p>~</p> <p>Giraffes Swimming Lesson</p> <p>~</p> <p>3.20pm - 4.00pm</p> <p>*Pilates Club Years 1 &amp; 2</p> <p>*Football Club Years 5 &amp; 6</p> <p>~</p> <p>3.20pm - 4.15pm</p> <p>Choir</p> | <p>3.20pm - 4.15pm</p> <p>*Theatre Club Years 3 &amp; 4</p> <p>*Chess Club Years 3 &amp; 4</p> |

\* All clubs need to be booked via IRIS ParentMail—these are now full

# CELEBRATING 20 YEARS

**NOURISH**  
Established 2003

OCT 23 TO MAR 24

# WEEKLY MENU



15 Dishes marked with any of the following numbers contain the matching allergen.

- 1 Wheat Gluten
- 2 Crustaceans
- 3 Soybean
- 4 Mustard
- 5 Sesame
- 6 Sulphites/Sulphur Dioxide
- 7 Milk
- 8 Fish
- 9 Egg
- 10 Peanuts
- 11 Nuts
- 12 Cereals/Celery
- 13 Nuts
- 14 Lupins
- 15 Out Gluten
- 16 Barley/Gluten

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|                                   | MONDAY   | TUESDAY  | WEDNESDAY   | THURSDAY  | FRIDAY  |
|-----------------------------------|--|--|---|---|---|
| <b>Week 1</b>                     | Vegetable Lasagne 1.55, 2.19 V<br>Cauliflower & Chick Pea Curry 1.46<br>Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 1.69               | Chicken Stew & Dumpling 1<br>Pesto Pasta Bake 1.17 V<br>Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 1.69                 | Mixed Beef & Yorkshire Pudding 1.59<br>Lentil & Bean Loaf 1.46<br>Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 1.69          | Pasta Carbonara 1.17<br>Falafel Wrap 1.46<br>Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 1.69             | Fish Fingers 1.69<br>Cheesy Bean Slice 1.17 V<br>Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 1.69     |
| <b>30th Oct</b>                   |  |  |   |   |   |
| <b>27th Nov</b>                   |  |  |   |   |   |
| <b>6th Jan</b>                    | Rice, Sweetcorn, Peppers   | Green Beans, Carrots   | Rustic Roast Potatoes<br>Cauliflower, Broccoli  | 11ew Potatoes<br>Seasonal Vegetables  | Chips, Peas<br>Baked Beans, Cole Slaw 9   |
| <b>5th Feb</b>                    | Rice Pudding & Jam 7<br>Yr Flourish Biscuit 1<br>Fruit Pots  | Apple Crumble 1 & Custard 7<br>Yr Flourish Biscuit 1<br>Fruit Pots   | Fruit Jelly<br>Yr Flourish Biscuit 1<br>Fruit Pots, Yoghurt 1.17  | Chocolate Swirl 1.17<br>Yr Flourish Biscuit 1<br>Fruit Pots, Yoghurt 1.17                       | Ginger Biscuit 1.15<br>Yoghurt 1.17<br>Fruit Pots   |
| <b>11th Mar</b>                   |  |  |   |   |   |
| <b>Week 2</b>                     | Macaroni Cheese 1.17 V<br>Rice & Bean Burrito 1.46<br>Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 1.69                                 | Chicken Noodles 1.17, 1.16<br>Vegetable Mugglets & Tomato Sauce 1.46<br>Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 1.69 | Roast Pork & Gravy<br>Roast Vegetable Yorkshire Pudding Wrap 1.17, 1.16<br>Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 1.69 | Mild Chili 1<br>Cheesy Pasta Bake 1.17 V<br>Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 1.69              | Salmon Risotto 1<br>Margherita Pizza 1.55, 1.19 V<br>Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 1.69 |
| <b>6th Nov</b>                    |  |  |   |   |   |
| <b>4th Dec</b>                    |  |  |   |   |   |
| <b>15th Jan</b>                   | Baked Wedges<br>Seasonal Vegetables  | Rainbow Rice, Carrots, Peas  | Rustic Roast Potatoes<br>Cabbage, Sweetcorn   | Rice, Carrots, Green Beans  | Chips, Peas, Baked Beans<br>Cucumber Sticks   |
| <b>19th Feb</b>                   | Ice Cream 7<br>Yr Flourish Biscuit 1<br>Fruit Pots   | Toffee Apple Pudding 1.9<br>& Custard 7<br>Yr Flourish Biscuit 1<br>Fruit Pots                                 | Popcorn & Raisin Pot<br>Yr Flourish Biscuit 1<br>Fruit Pots, Yoghurt 1.17   | Sunshine Bar 1.15, 1.16<br>Yr Flourish Biscuit 1<br>Yoghurt 1.17<br>Fruit Pots                  | Jaffa Biscuit 1<br>Yoghurt 1.17<br>Fruit Pots   |
| <b>18th Mar</b>                   |  |  |   |   |   |
| <b>We are on Week 3 this week</b> | Cheese & Tomato<br>Garlic Dough Balls 1.17 V<br>Spaghetti Vegetable Bolognese 1.46<br>Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 1.69 | Chicken Curry<br>Tomato & Herb Pasta 1.46<br>Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 1.69                            | Roast Gammon & Gravy<br>Cheese & Onion Pinwheel 1.17 V<br>Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 1.69                  | Chicken & Sweetcorn Pie 1<br>Pesto Pasta 1.17 V<br>Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 1.69       | Sausages 1.16<br>Quorn Sausage 1.46<br>Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 1.69               |
|                                   | 11ew Potatoes<br>Green Beans, Carrots  | Rice, Sweetcorn<br>Onion Slaw  | Rustic Roast Potatoes<br>Cabbage, Peas  | 11ew Potatoes<br>Seasonal Vegetables  | Chips, Peas, Baked Beans<br>Roasted Onions  |
|                                   | Chocolate Whip 7<br>Fruit Pots, Yr Flourish Biscuits 1   | Jam Sponge 1.9 & Custard 7<br>Yr Flourish Biscuit 1<br>Fruit Pots  | Fruit Jelly<br>Yr Flourish Biscuit 1<br>Fruit Pots, Yoghurt 1.17  | Sweet Potato Cake 1.9<br>Yr Flourish Biscuit 1<br>Fruit Pots, Yoghurt 1.17                      | Apple Flapjack 1.15<br>Yoghurt 1.17<br>Fruit Pots   |
| <b>Week 4</b>                     | Margherita Pizza 1.55, 1.19 V<br>Vegetable Biryani 1.46<br>Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 1.69                            | BBQ Chicken<br>Tomato Spaghetti 1.46<br>Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 1.69                                 | Roast Chicken & Gravy<br>Vegan Sausage Roll 1.46<br>Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 1.69                        | Bolognese Penne Pasta 1<br>Cheesy Cajun Wedges 1.17 V<br>Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 1.69 | Fish Fingers 1.69<br>Bruschetta 1.17 V<br>Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 1.69            |
| <b>20th Nov</b>                   |  |  |   |   |   |
| <b>1st Jan</b>                    | Rainbow Pasta 1<br>Sweetcorn, Peppers  | Rice, Seasonal Vegetables  | Rustic Roast Potatoes<br>Green Beans, Carrots   | Cauliflower, Broccoli   | Chips, Peas<br>Baked Beans, Cole Slaw 9   |
| <b>29th Jan</b>                   | Strawberry Mousse 7<br>Yr Flourish Biscuit 1<br>Fruit Pots   | Banana Loaf 1.9<br>& Chocolate Custard 7<br>Yr Flourish Biscuit 1<br>Fruit Pots                                | Fruity Cornflake Cake 1.17<br>Yr Flourish Biscuit 1<br>Fruit Pots, Yoghurt 1.17                                   | Jam Swirl 1<br>Yr Flourish Biscuit 1<br>Fruit Pots, Yoghurt 1.17                                | Caramel Cookie 1.17<br>Fruit Pots, Yoghurt 1.17   |
| <b>4th Mar</b>                    |  |  |   |   |   |

LOOK OUT FOR OUR THEMED DAYS!



K&E PG Vegan V Vegetarian  
Just before Daily: Selection of Salads 9, Homemade Bread 1, 3, 7, 9.  
Some of our schools may use pre-prepped potatoes or vegetables on occasions. These may contain sulphites and cereals. Please discuss with your manager.