

# Fairford Academy Barnehurst

Newsletter Thursday 28th November 2024



Dear Parents and Carers,

We kick started our week at Fairford with Rock Kidz, each class had a workshop based around Anti-Bullying, followed by the whole school grand finale in the afternoon. The children and staff had a truly memorable yet very loud day! On Wednesday we celebrated No Pens Day to raise awareness of Speech Language and Communication needs, in classrooms children focused on speaking and listening as part of their Oracy development.

Year 6 took part in their Crime and Punishments workshop as part of their topic, they even got to see real life weapons! The whole school took part in a live virtual lesson delivered by Lyfta, the focus being to enhance the curriculum with global links, they heard stories from children with various disabilities around the world. Photographs and videos will be posted on social media for you as a snapshot of these amazing experiences.

A reminder that PTA are hosting our Christmas Fair from 3-5pm next Friday, it will be great to see you all there!

Tomorrow (Friday 29th November) is an INSET day so do enjoy your long weekend.

We look forward to welcoming children back at 8.40am on Monday 2nd December.

Have a wonderful weekend!

Ms A. Aujla



Staff Rock Kidz 2024

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# Dates for your diary



Monday 2nd December 2024	Tuesday 3rd December 2024	Wednesday 4th December 2024	Thursday 5th December 2024	Friday 6th December 2024
	<p>** Singing and Dancing Club Y3</p> <p>** Mindful Colouring Club Y3</p> <p>** Football Club Y5 &amp; Y6</p>	<p>** Science/STEM Club Year 5 &amp; Year 6</p> <p>Fine Motor Skills Club EYFS (finish at 4pm)</p> <p>Phonics Booster Club Year 1 (invite only finish 3.45pm)</p> <p>Homework Club Year 6 (invite only finish 4pm)</p>	<p>Year 2 Natural History Museum</p> <p>** Drawing Club Year 1 &amp; Year 2</p> <p>** Young Voices Choir Years 4, 5 &amp; 6</p>	<p>Year 1 Trip to Our Lady of the Angels Church, Erith</p> <p><b>Christmas Fair</b></p> <p><b>3.00pm — 5.00pm</b></p>

\*\*These clubs were bookable via IRIS ParentMail. You will receive email confirmation to confirm your place. These clubs will run from 3.20pm to 4.15pm. Children are to be collected from outside the main office when the club finishes.

## Attendance % & Number of Children Late

Ladybirds	81%	1	<b>Narwhals</b>	<b>94.29%</b>	3
Butterfly	88%	5	Penguins	92.86%	5
Dragonfly	85.20%	5	Polar Bears	92.26%	4
Owls	87.04%	3	Dolphin	93.85%	3
Squirrels	92.69%	8	Shark	89.92%	6
Kangaroos	93.64%	5	Whale	90.31%	6
Koalas	92.73%	4	Giraffe	91.03%	1
<b>Kookaburras</b>	<b>95%</b>	8	Lion	93.10%	6
			Zebra	93.53%	3
			Eagle	90.29%	0
			Falcon	90.37%	5
			Hawk	93.70%	3

For w/e: 28/11/24



Challenge- Let's hit the 96% mark for all classes. Those classes who have had the biggest improvement will win a prize!

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# Menu



# WEEKLY MENUS

**NOURISH**  
GROW WITH US  
NOVEMBER 2024  
TO MARCH 2025

**LOOK OUT FOR OUR THEMED DAYS!**

## WEEK ONE

- 4TH NOVEMBER
- 2ND DECEMBER
- 6TH JANUARY
- 3RD FEBRUARY
- 10TH MARCH

## MONDAY

- Cheese & Bean Lasagne 1,3,4,7,9 V
- Sweet Potato & Chick Pea Curry VG
- Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9
- Rice, Sweetcorn, Peppers
- Rice Pudding & Syrup 7
- Mr Nourish Biscuit 1 VG
- Fruit Pots VG

## TUESDAY

- Beef Stew & Dumpling 1
- Pesto Pasta Bake 1,7 V
- Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9
- Herby Bread 1,3,7,9, Green Beans, Carrots
- Apple Crumble 1 VG & Custard 7
- Mr Nourish Biscuit 1 VG
- Fruit Pots VG

## WEDNESDAY

- Roast Gammon & Gravy
- Falafel Burger 1,5 VG
- Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9
- Rustic Roast Potatoes
- Cauliflower, Broccoli
- Fruit Jelly VG
- Mr Nourish Biscuit 1 VG
- Yoghurt 3,7, Fruit Pots VG

## THURSDAY

- Chicken Arbiattata Pasta 1
- Biryani Balls in a Curry Sauce 1,5 VG
- Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9
- Seasonal Vegetables
- Chocolate & Vanilla Cake 1,7
- Mr Nourish Biscuit 1 VG
- Yoghurt 3,7, Fruit Pots VG

## FRIDAY

- Fish Fingers 1,8
- Cheese & Tomato Puff 1,7 V
- Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9
- Chips, Peas, Baked Beans, Coleslaw 9
- Ginger Biscuit 1,15 VG
- Yoghurt 3,7
- Fruit Pots VG

## WEEK TWO

- 11TH NOVEMBER
- 9TH DECEMBER
- 13TH JANUARY
- 10TH FEBRUARY
- 17TH MARCH

## MONDAY

- Chicken & Sweetcorn Pie 1
- Herby Tomato Pasta Twists 1 VG
- Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9
- New Potatoes, Carrots, Peas
- Ice Cream 7
- Mr Nourish Biscuit 1 VG
- Fruit Pots VG

## TUESDAY

- Mild Chilli Beef 4
- Pesto & Pea Penne 1,7 V
- Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9
- Rice, Seasonal Vegetables
- Toffee Apple Pudding 1 VG & Custard 7
- Mr Nourish Biscuit 1 VG
- Fruit Pots VG

## WEDNESDAY

- Roast Chicken & Gravy
- Vegan Sausage Roll 1 VG
- Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9
- Rustic Roast Potatoes
- Cabbage, Sweetcorn
- Chocolate Crispy Cake 1,3,7,16
- Mr Nourish Biscuit 1 VG
- Yoghurt 3,7, Fruit Pots VG

## THURSDAY

- Macaroni Cheese 1,7 V
- Rice & Bean Burrito 1 VG
- Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9
- Baked Wedges
- Green Beans, Cauliflower
- Fruit Loaf 1,3,7,9
- Mr Nourish Biscuit 1 VG
- Yoghurt 3,7, Fruit Pots VG

## FRIDAY

- Salmon Fish Cake 1,7,8
- Margherita Pizza 1,3,7,9 V
- Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9
- Chips, Peas, Baked Beans, Carrot Stricks
- Jaffa Biscuit 1 VG
- Yoghurt 3,7
- Fruit Pots VG

## WEEK THREE

- 18TH NOVEMBER
- 16TH DECEMBER
- 20TH JANUARY
- 24TH FEBRUARY
- 24TH MARCH

## MONDAY

- Katsu Chicken Nugget 1
- Cheesy Pasta Bake 1,7 V
- Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9
- Rice, Sweetcorn, Peppers
- Chocolate Whip 7
- Mr Nourish Biscuit 1 VG
- Fruit Pots VG

## TUESDAY

- Cheese & Onion Pinwheel 1,7 V
- Spaghetti Vegetable Bolognese 1 VG
- Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9
- New Potatoes, Green Beans, Carrots
- Syrup Sponge 1 VG & Custard 7
- Mr Nourish Biscuit 1 VG
- Fruit Pots VG

## WEDNESDAY

- Savoury Beef & Yorkshire Puddings 1,17,9
- Samosa Puff 1 VG
- Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9
- Rustic Roast Potatoes, Cabbage, Peas
- Fruit Jelly VG
- Mr Nourish Biscuit 1 VG
- Yoghurt 3,7, Fruit Pots VG

## THURSDAY

- Sweet Chilli Chicken Noodles 1,3,16
- Potato & Vegetable Cake
- Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9
- Garlic Bread 1,3,7,9, Seasonal Vegetables
- Cinnamon Roll 1,3,7,9
- Mr Nourish Biscuit 1 VG
- Yoghurt 3,7, Fruit Pots VG

## FRIDAY

- Sausages 1,6
- Quorn Sausage 1 VG
- Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9
- Chips, Peas
- Baked Beans, Roasted Onions
- Apple Flapjack 1,15 VG
- Yoghurt 3,7, Fruit Pots VG

## WEEK FOUR

- 25TH NOVEMBER
- 30TH DECEMBER
- 27TH JANUARY
- 3RD MARCH
- 31ST MARCH

## MONDAY

- Margherita Pizza 1,3,7,9 V
- Meatfree Meatballs in Tomato Sauce VG
- Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9
- Rainbow Pasta 1 VG, Sweetcorn, Peppers
- Strawberry Mousse 7
- Mr Nourish Biscuit 1 VG
- Fruit Pots VG

## TUESDAY

- Chicken Curry
- Tomato Spagheffi 1 VG
- Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9
- Rice, Seasonal Vegetables
- Banana Loaf 1 VG & Chocolate Custard 7
- Mr Nourish Biscuit 1 VG
- Fruit Pots VG

## WEDNESDAY

- Beef Bolognese Penne Pasta 1
- Cheesy Cajun Wedges 4,7 V
- Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9
- Cauliflower, Broccoli
- Jam & Vanilla Cake 1 VG
- Mr Nourish Biscuit 1 VG
- Yoghurt 3,7, Fruit Pots VG

## THURSDAY

- Fish Fingers 1,8
- Bruschetta 1,7 V
- Jackets with a Choice of Toppings 7,8,9
- Chips, Peas
- Baked Beans, Coleslaw 9
- Coconut Cookie 1,7
- Yoghurt 3,7, Fruit Pots VG

## FRIDAY

- 3 OPTIONS

**AVAILABLE 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.

VG Vegan V Vegetarian  
1 Wheat Gluten 2 Custardians 3 Soybean 4 Mustard 5 Sesame 6 Sulphites/Sulphur Dioxide 7 Milk  
8 Fish 9 Egg 10 Peanuts 11 Molluscs 12 Celeraia/Celery 13 Nuts 14 Lupins 15 Oat Gluten 16 Barley Gluten

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**EAT YOUR VEGGIES!**

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FRI 6TH DEC  
15:00-17:00

# Xmas Fete

Christmas Raffle | Santas Grotto | Crafts & Stalls | Food & Bar

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## Free Entry!

If you are interested in holding a stall please email [our.fab.pta@gmail.com](mailto:our.fab.pta@gmail.com)

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# Information / Reminders



Fairford Academy Barnehurst



## Reception 2025 Tour dates

Is your child due to start school in September 2025?

Come and visit our fabulous, friendly, inclusive school. Speak to our staff and children, view our amazing learning environments and have a tour of our extensive school grounds.

### Daytime tours

Thursday 7th November &  
Tuesday 3rd December  
9.30-10.30am, 11-12pm or  
1.30-2.30pm

### Evening tours

Tuesday 19th November  
4-5pm  
Thursday 5th December  
5-6pm

### Saturday tours

Saturday 16th November  
9.30-11.30am  
Saturday 11th January  
9.30-11.30am

For more information or to book a place please contact:

[fairfordadmin@illuminate minds.org](mailto:fairfordadmin@illuminate minds.org)  
01322 333998



## DONATIONS NEEDED

PLEASE HELP OUR SCHOOL

Christmas Decorations

Filled jar tombola

Filled bottle tombola - e.g. pickles, shampoo, alcohol, water etc (must be unopened)



New Dates for SEN Surgeries

Wednesday 11th & Thursday 12th December

2024

Info will be sent out next week

If you would like to speak to a member of the school leadership team please email

[fairfordadmin@illuminate minds.org](mailto:fairfordadmin@illuminate minds.org)



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