

Fairford Academy Barnehurst

Newsletter Friday 18th October 2024



Dear Parents and Carers,

What an incredible half term it has been! Today we had our final Learning Showcase in Year 4, I would like to thank you for taking the time to come in to see your children's work and celebrate their achievements so far. We are immensely proud of the children for their positive attitudes and resilience this half term. The children have conducted themselves very well during trips and workshops which have enriched their learning this half term.

You will be aware that attendance has been a huge focus for us and we recorded our highest attendance figures ever this term. Next term I would like to build on this further, in order to do so, collaboration between home and school is key. Today we gave out 254 badges for 100% attendance, this is fantastic!

The PTA events have been a huge success, thank you to PTA and to all staff for dedicating their time to provide experiences for the children. The PTA will be in touch very soon about how they intend to spend the money raised so far. If you would be willing to join the PTA please do get in touch with them as they are looking to recruit new members to facilitate future events.

I hope you all have a lovely two week half term break and we look forward to welcoming you back on Tuesday 5th November.

Ms A. Aujla
Head of School



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Dates for your diary



Monday 21st October 2024	Tuesday 22nd October 2024	Wednesday 23rd October 2024	Thursday 24th October 2024	Friday 25th October 2024
HALF TERM				
Monday 28th October 2024	Tuesday 29th October 2024	Wednesday 30th October 2024	Thursday 31st October 2024	Friday 1st November 2024
HALF TERM				
Monday 4th November 2024	Tuesday 5th November 2024	Wednesday 6th November 2024	Thursday 7th November 2024	Friday 8th November 2024
INSET DAY School Closed	Super Starts Children Return to School		Reception 2025 Open Morning 9.30am – 10.30am 11.00am—12.00pm 1.30pm—2.30pm Theme Day Lunch 'World Vegan Day' Young Voices Choir Years 4, 5 & 6 3.20pm—4.15pm	Baby & Toddler Stay & Play Session 1.30pm— 3.00pm

Attendance %

Ladybirds	83.33%	Narwhals	99.29%
Butterfly	92.50%	Penguins	95%
Dragonfly	86.15%	Polar Bears	98.06%
Owls	91.92%	Dolphin	99.23%
Squirrels	94.23%	Shark	93.33%
Kangaroos	95.22%	Whale	96.40%
Koalas	89.55%	Giraffe	96.55%
Kookaburras	94.17%	Lion	98.57%
		Zebra	91.48%
		Eagle	94.44%
		Falcon	96.92%
		Hawk	91.48%

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 Celeries/Celery 13 Nuts 14 Lupins 15 Oat Gluten 16 Bailey Gluten

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Information / Reminders



POPPY APPEAL

We will be raising money for the poppy appeal after half term.

If your child would like a poppy, please send them into school with their donation in a named envelope.



REMEMBER to sign up for the Parents Consultation Evenings on Monday 11th and Tuesday 12th November 3.30pm—6.00pm.

* Eagles Class will be held on Mon 11th & Wed 13th Nov



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

fairfordadmin@illuminateminds.org



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WORLD VEGAN DAY

THURSDAY
7TH NOVEMBER
2024

WORLD VEGAN DAY IS ACTUALLY ON SATURDAY 1ST NOVEMBER AND THE FIRST ONE WAS IN 1994 WHEN THE WORD VEGAN WAS FIRST USED.

FALAFEL WRAP 1 VG
CREAMED SPINACH & TOMATO TART 1,3 VG
JACKET POTATO WITH BAKED BEANS VG

ROASTED NEW POTATOES
GARDEN PEAS
SWEETCORN

STICKY GINGER CAKE 1 VG
MR NOURISH BISCUIT 1 VG
FRUIT POTS VG

VG Vegan V Vegetarian

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

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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:

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