

Temple Meadow Newsletter

Friday 5th January 2023



Dear Parents/Carers,

Welcome back to the Spring Term. I hope everyone had a relaxing and restful break. There has been a lot of illness generally and unfortunately we have started the year with a few staff absent. It has been lovely to welcome our new teachers Mrs Ahmed and Miss Stephenson-Airey who have both settled in really well and have been warmly welcomed by pupils and their colleagues.

We are already planning a variety of trips and events that will be very enjoyable.

We are very much looking forward to our **Arts Mark journey** that has started which will happen over the next 2 years with the aim of achieving **Gold**. Within this journey we are taking part in an **Inside/Outside Arts project** that brings us an artist working with Year 3 for 10 days (this is such an opportunity). Our focus is likely to be silk painting and weaving while at the same time linking the theme to an outside space as a growing area. We will be circulating a lot more information on this as the project unfolds. Mrs Collins leads on Art and DT and she will be communicating on this in future newsletters and sharing the journey.

Communication and keeping you informed

Do check our **website and our dates** to ensure you have an awareness of events as things get added into the calendar for this term.

Early Years Parents we are starting the year with improved communication on Tapestry regarding things I consider really helpful for you to know; such as the topic; events; work shops etc. Your support with learning and posting wow moments is an essential part of positive home/school relationships that benefits all. Miss Williamson is the Early Years Lead as well as Reception Teacher and she is responsible for ensuring that we communicate as effectively as we can.

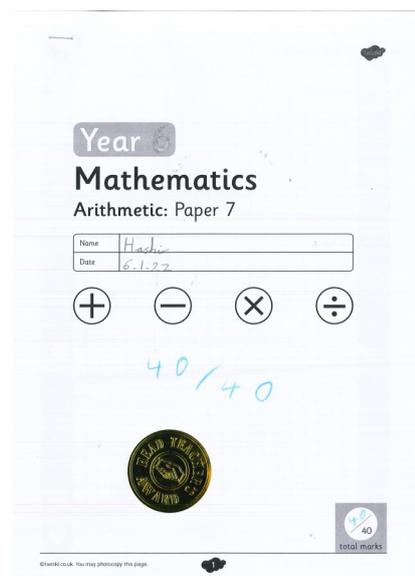
Information has been circulated regarding **Stay and Play sessions with a Phonics focus**—we do hope you can join us for these.

We believe **school uniform** helps promote positive identity and unity, supports discipline and sets standards. We would like to remind Parents/Carers that black trainers are acceptable permitting that they are not branded or contain a logo.

I am celebrating a **phenomenal mathematician in Year 6: Hashir**. The first pupil this year to achieve 40/40 – 100% in mental arithmetic.

The test is done in 30 minutes; you are allowed to do jottings to support your answers. Here are some samples of the questions: something = 5489 + 443; $2.15 \times 7 =$; 30% of 2400; 3146 divided by 13; $\frac{1}{6} \times \frac{2}{3}$

I think you will agree this is phenomenal and accurate maths. Well done Hashir.



Best regards, Ms Walsh – Headteacher



Calendar of Dates

December 2022

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Mon	Tue	Wed	Thu	Fri	Sat	Sun
28	29	30	1 Reception ... Year 5: Pub...	2 Year 5 visit ...	3	4
			+4 MORE			
5	6 Catch-up p...	7 Christmas ...	8 Year 1 Visit...	9 Hub Christ... Years 1, 2 a... Hub Christ...	10	11
12 EFYS Christ...	13 EFYS Christ...	14	15 Year 2 Visit... Year 4, 5&6...	16 Christmas J...	17	18
19	20	21	22	23	24	25
Christmas Holiday						
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2	3 Inset Day	4 Term starts	5	6	7	8

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THURSDAY

1st December

9:00am - 11:00am
Reception and Year 6: Measurement of pupils Heights a...

9:00am - 10:00am
Year 5: Puberty talk

11:15am - 12:30pm
Year 3 & 4: Healthy Eating & the importance of physical ...

12:45pm - 1:30pm
Reception: Hands and Teeth

1:45pm - 2:30pm
Year 2: NSPCC pants session

2:30pm - 3:20pm
Year 6: Emotional health transition to secondary school

FRIDAY

2nd December

9:00am - 3:00pm
Year 5 visit to Think Tank

TUESDAY

6th December

8:00am - 12:30pm
Catch-up photograph day

A reminder that all of our important dates now feature on our School Website.

Any changes to dates/times are updated immediately via the website which means what you see is always live information. To find the dates, simply head to our website, click **Parents & Carers** then **Calendar of Dates**.

School Lunch Menu

Check with your school for full details

NEW FOR 2022/23

FILLED JACKET POTATO AND SANDWICH MEAL OPTIONS AVAILABLE DAILY



Week 1

MEAT FREE MONDAY

Fish Fingers, Mash Potatoes, Peas & Carrots

Vegetable Lasagne, Garlic Bread, Peas & Carrots or Assorted Salads

Jacket Potato with Cheese Assorted Salads

Chocolate Pinwheels
Strawberry Mousse
Fresh Fruit Slices

BBQ Chicken Wrap, Sauté Potatoes, Peas & Carrots or Salads

Jacket Potato, Tuna

Cheese & Beans, Assorted Salads

Toffee Cake & Custard
Fruit Jelly
Fresh Fruit Platter

Brunch Lunch (Sausage, Bacon, Beans, Omelette, Hash Brown)

Veggie Brunch (Veggie Sausage, Beans, Omelette, Hash Brown)

Jacket Potato with Cheese and Beans Assorted Salads

Warm Pancakes & Strawberry Sauce
Muller Yoghurt
Melon Slices

Chicken Meatballs in Tomato Sauce, Pasta & Assorted Salad

Margarita Pizza, Seasoned Wedges, Sweetcorn & Salad

Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayo Assorted Salads

Sprinkle Tray Bake & Custard
Cheese & Biscuits with Apple
Fresh Fruit Salad

Harry Ramsden's Junior Pollock, Chips, Peas, Assorted Salad

Quorn Nuggets, Chips, Peas, Assorted Salad

Jacket Potato with Cheese and Beans Assorted Salads

Iced Shortbread Biscuit
Frozen Strawberry Yoghurt
Fresh Fruit Salad

06/06/22, 27/06/22, 18/07/22, 05/09/22, 26/09/22, 17/10/22, 14/11/22, 05/12/22, 09/01/23, 30/01/23, 27/02/23, 20/03/23

Week 2

MEAT FREE MONDAY

Veggie Burger, Diced Herby Potatoes, Green Beans, Salad

Quorn & Sweet Potato Curry, Naan Bread, Rice, Salad

Jacket Potato with Cheese and Beans Assorted Salads

Apple & Banana Cake & Custard
Cheese & Biscuits with Apple
Fresh Fruit Slices

Beef Grill in a Bun, Cajun Wedges & Baked Beans, Salad

Roasted Vegetable Bake, Crusty Bread, Assorted Salads

Jacket Potato with Beans Assorted Salads

Oat & Raisin Cookie & Glass of Milk
Arctic Roll
Fresh Fruit Platter

Sweet Chilli Chicken Breast, Rice, Veg Medley & Coleslaw

Fishless Finger, Sauté Potatoes, Veg Medley & Coleslaw

Jacket Potato with Cheese and Beans Assorted Salads

Chocolate & Orange Mud Pie
Muller Yoghurt
Melon Slices

Beef Bolognese, Spaghetti & Garlic Bread

Loaded Pizza, Pasta, Sweetcorn & Salad

Jacket Potato with Cheese Assorted Salads

Lemon Drizzle Cake & Custard
Fruit Jelly
Fresh Fruit Salad

Fish Fingers, Chips & Baked Beans

Cheese & Red Pepper Flan, Chips, Baked Beans, Salad

Jacket Potato with Cheese and Beans Assorted Salads

Chocolate Crunch & Custard
Frozen Toffee Yoghurt
Fresh Fruit Salad

13/06/22, 04/07/22, 12/09/22, 03/10/22, 31/10/22, 21/11/22, 12/12/22, 16/01/23, 06/02/23, 06/03/23, 27/03/23

Week 3

MEAT FREE MONDAY

Baked Enchiladas, Peas & Sweetcorn Salad

Quorn Southern Style Burger, Herby Potatoes, Peas & Sweetcorn, Salad

Jacket Potato with Cheese Assorted Salads

Banana Muffins
Muller Yoghurt
Fresh Fruit Salad

Pork Sausage, Yorkshire Pud & Gravy, Veg Medley & Cauliflower

Cheese & Potato Pie, Veg Medley & Cauliflower

Jacket Potato with Cheese and Beans Assorted Salads

Melting Moments & Glass of Milk
Cheese & Biscuits with Apple
Fresh Fruit Slices

Roast Chicken & Gravy, Roast & Boiled Potatoes, Broccoli & Carrots

Vegan Meatballs, Gravy, Roast & Boiled Potatoes, Broccoli & Carrots

Jacket Potato with Beans Assorted Salads

Carrot Cake & Custard
Fruit Jelly
Melon Slices

Mexican Beef Chilli, Rice, Sweetcorn & Salad

Loaded Pizza, Sauté Potatoes, Baked Beans & Salad

Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayo Assorted Salads

Oaty Apple Crumble & Custard
Vanilla Ice Cream Tub
Fresh Fruit Platter

Harry Ramsden's Junior Pollock, Chips, Peas, Assorted Salad

Veggie Sausage, Chips, Peas, Assorted Salad

Jacket Potato with Cheese and Beans Assorted Salads

Cornflake Tart & Custard
Chocolate Whip
Fresh Fruit Salad

20/06/22, 11/07/22, 19/09/22, 10/10/22, 07/11/22, 28/11/22, 02/01/23, 23/01/23, 13/02/23, 13/03/23

Dates:

SERVED DAILY: BREAD BASKET, FRUITY WATER, ASSORTED SALAD, SEASONAL VEGETABLES SERVED AT THE COUNTER.

Dishes may change without prior notice. This is a generic menu and may differ to the menu bespoke to your school, check your school's website for full details.

N New **V** Vegetarian **ve** Vegan **B** Boosted by hidden fruit and vegetables

We have more FRESHLY COOKED FOOD on our menus than ever before!