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### **Dear Parents**,

Welcome back and happy New Year wishes to you all. It has been a short week but I have been impressed with our pupils on how quickly and positively they have come back to school.

I welcome a new member of the teaching staff- Mrs Charlotte Woods, who will be working with us predominately in Year 4 with Mr Simmons.

During our INSET day we have looked at the impact of our new guided reading curriculum and how RWInc, in EYFS and Lower school, creates the stepping stones for reading. We spent time reviewing the impact of the foundation subjects' new curriculum so far and sharing good practice seen within the school and next steps.

I would like to give a warm welcome to our new families that have joined us this January.

Next week we will be launching our **school App** for smartphones and tablets. This will be the gateway to all your information you require from the school. There will be links to the Parent Council Blog, which I strongly recommend you read; Parent Evening Booking System, for booking after school clubs and parent meetings; the school lunch menus; important contact details; Bridges and Ladybirds websites plus other key information. I will also have a blog starting that can be accessed through the application. This blog will be different from the newsletter and will focus on different aspects of education and school policy.

Kind regards

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Mrs H Paget-Wall Collins Head Teacher

### **Attendance:**

Whole School – 97%

**Best Year Group** – Year 4 – 99%

**Best Class**: 4AD – 99%

**Nbr 100%** - 360 **Nbr Lates** – 20

### **Second Hand School Uniform**

Uniform will be sold on Monday, Wednesday and Friday Mornings in the key stage 1 canopy at 8:30am - 8:45am. Uniform prices range from 50p - £2.00



#### **Afterschool Clubs**

All afterschool clubs start next week. If you applied for a place for your child via the Parents Evening Booking System then you will have received an email confirmation. Please remember that all clubs finish at 4.15pm and we would appreciate a prompt pickup for all pupils, including Year 6's as it will still be dark and we would prefer that they did not walk home alone at this time.

### **Homework Club**

Homework Club starts again next Friday. Please sign up to participate with this Terms Topic Homework. The homework pop up shop will be available on Friday also where children can purchase resources that they may need to help them complete their topic homework. A text will follow early next week with the topic for Friday's club.

WORD OF THE WEEK -

**ONERUS** 





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# LOOK OUT

If you think your child has infective conjunctivitis (sometimes known as 'pink eye')

Infective conjunctivitis typically involves red or pink eyes that may be sticky or watery and can cause irritation, although the condition is usually pain free. Most cases clear up in a few days without any treatment.

## You DON'T need to:

- · See a GP or practice nurse
- Use antibiotics
- Keep them away from school (unless they are feeling particularly unwell)

## You DO need to:

- Bathe any sticky or crusty coating on eyelids or eyelashes with water and cotton wool
- Keep their eyes uncovered
- Discourage them from touching their eyes
- Encourage them to wash their hands with soap and warm water regularly throughout the day
- Make sure they use their own towels and pillows
- Buy lubricant eye drops over the counter from a pharmacist in severe cases



# Do you need health advice to help children with:



Then drop in and speak confidentially to the School Nurse at Hanwell Fields Community School

Wednesday 25th January 9.30am - 10.30am.

For parents of children in Years 1 to 6.

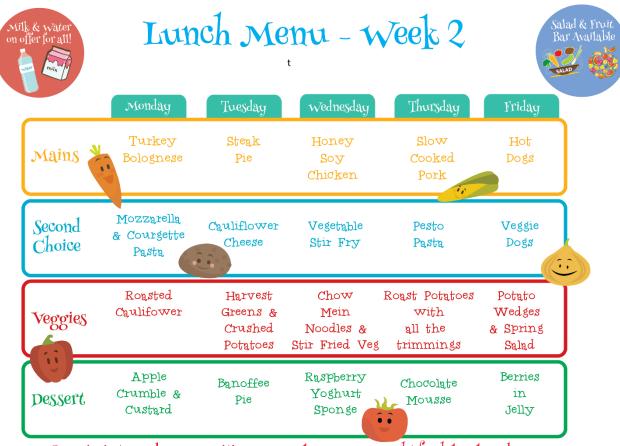
Welcome to come for a cup of tea or coffee and cake from 9am

Sign in at reception



# 6th January 2017

# **Hanwell Lunch Menu**



Our aim is to produce an exciting seasonal menu, we sought fresh local produce. This menu could be subject to change due to fresh produce availability.