



COVID Update

We are glad to advise that we have now relaxed the class bubbles and children are back in the hall for assemblies and meal times. However, can we please ask for your support that if your child has COVID symptoms, you take a PCR test or LFT and advise school of the result. Public Health have also requested that any staff and pupils/families that people with Covid-19 symptoms or positive tests do not come in to school and follow current guidance.

We will monitor the situation and if there are any concerns about a potentially large outbreak within the school, Public Health will support and advise on the appropriate actions on a case by case basis.

Stars of the Week

Stars of the week for this week and last week as below. Our assemblies have now resumed and we are looking forward to the day we can welcome you back to them.

Reception Acorns	Ethan S
Year 1 Silver Birch	Elizabeth McM
Year 2 Sycamore	Kaylan E
Year 2 Beech	Arabella B
Year 3 Hazel	Elise P
Year 3/4 Rowan	Jenson P
Year 4 Juniper	Max S
Y5 Maple	Henry W
Year 5/6 Oak	Willow W
Year 6 Cherry Blossom	Faizan A
Inspire Sports	Edward K

Lost Property – unclaimed

Despite numerous efforts to return the items, we are finding it extremely difficult due to clothing not being labelled with the child's name. If you feel your child has lost any items of clothing (jumpers, cardigans, shoes, pants, shorts, coats, hats, gloves) please let your child's class teacher know via Class dojo pages and we will endeavour to find them for you.

A farewell message to Miss Moore



On Friday 4th March we said a final farewell to Miss Moore. She started with us as a lunchtime organiser whilst training to be a teaching assistant. Her skills have been sought after and she has been successful in her application to be a TA3 at a school in Ashton. I know how much she will be missed by many of the children, especially those in Y4, Miss Whittaker's class as well as the staff. We took the time on Friday to wish her a fond farewell. I know her new school are very lucky to have her join them.

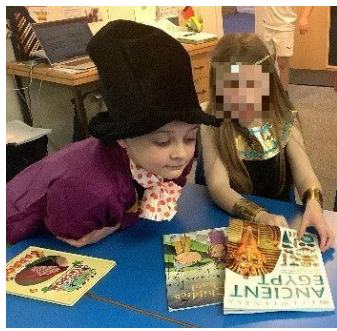
Good Luck Miss Moore, we will miss you!

World Book Day Celebrations



On Thursday, lots of our children and staff celebrated World Book Day by dressing as their favourite book character or non-fiction theme. We started our day with a whole school assembly to find out why we celebrate World book day and we listened to the new song by MC Grammar which contained a variety of story references. In class, children took part in world book day activities and visited another class to share a story with another child in school. Keep your eye on Class Dojo pages for more photographs. Thank you for your support to celebrate this year's World Book Day.

The staffing team had lots of fun dressing up and sharing their favourite children's book too!



In the Spot Light

One of our LKS2 Pupils entered a competition outside school. Sidney entered a 250 words competition with this introduction to his story (see below) and received a certificate.

[The Thing – By Sidney Charles](#)

At midnight I woke up to hear a noise. It sounded like doors banging. I crept onto the landing. I was so scared that I ran back and as my feet touched the stairs to the loft bed they froze in fear. I glanced at the calendar, it was one day until Christmas Eve. "Surely everything will be fine by tomorrow" I said quietly. Feeling more confident, I opened my door and saw hundreds of statues. The statues were solid rock, had wings and their eyes were covered by their hands. Then a burning note flew down.

Dear Sidney,

These statues are vey dangerous. They do anything you want when you are not looking, so be careful.

P.S Do not blink!

Then I was floating in time itself. I was in the Year 2024, December 8th. It was freezing! How would I get warm? But the most important thing was, how would I escape? I decided to have a look around but then I fell into a big hole covered in snow. My hands were too weak and I let go of the edge. "Arrgh!" I landed in a deep pool of water, I seemed to be in a cave. Then I heard footsteps coming. I turned in fear to look but the thing I saw was not very scary at all, in fact, it was cute.



After School Clubs for next Half term

Inspire After School Clubs for this half term:

Bookings made directly with Inspire using this link <https://inspire-sports-coaching.class4kids.co.uk> or QR Code above



We will also be running the following after school clubs:

Cost for these 3 after school clubs will be £3 per session payable for the full half term. Please note that this is only a contribution to the cost of running the club, school will subsidise the rest. However, if any club does not have enough uptake, then the offer will be withdrawn.

Mon	3.15pm – 4.15pm	Multi Sports KS1 (yr1 & Yr2)	Book via school Eduspot online (school shop)
Thurs	8:00am – 8:45 am	Martial Arts	Book via school Eduspot online (school shop)
Thurs	3:15pm – 4:15pm	UPKS2 Netball (Y5 & Y6)	Book via school Eduspot online (school shop)

Gardening Clubs Book via school Eduspot online (school shop)

As the weather begins to improve, Mrs Thompson is starting her Gardening Club once again.

If you wish your child to be part of the clubs, we will run two sessions per week as follows:

Mondays 3.15-4.15pm for KS1 Children (Years 1 & 2) 6 weeks for £18.00 (£3 per session)
(Due to 2nd May being a Bank holiday)

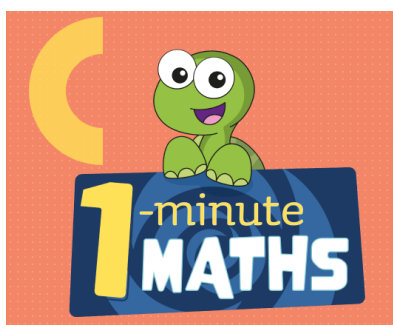
Tuesdays 3.15-4.15pm for KS Children (Years 3 to Y6) 7 weeks for £21.00 (£3 per session)

Bookable to

There are a limited number of places available, so be quick to sign up if you wish your child to participate. Sessions will start next week, 14th & 15th March and run up to 9th & 10th May 2022 inclusive.

Please note that if a session does not have any uptake, these sessions will be opened to different age groups or withdrawn.

Free Maths Resource for EYFS & KS1



EYFS & Key Stage 1 (Reception, Yr1 & Yr2) please check out this FREE fun resource that will assist your child

Check out these 7 top reasons for using 1-Minute Maths!

1. Excellent practice — and no distractions.
2. A clear, intuitive process that children pick up straight away.
3. No login or internet access needed. Just download and play.
4. Enjoyable and motivating... How many can they get correct in one minute?
5. Helpful hints match those used in class.
6. Brilliant for building number fluency and confidence.
7. The mobile app is **completely FREE!**



New Summer Menu

Please find below the new menu for next term. Remember the cost will increase slightly after the Easter holidays to £2.35 per meal.

Dinner Times

CHOICE SUMMER

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

Week 1
18th Apr, 9th May, 30th May, 20th June, 11th July

Week 2
25th Apr, 16th May, 6th June, 27th June, 18th July

Week 3
2nd May, 23rd May, 13th June, 4th July, 25th July

Classic Pizza Margherita (V)
Pasta Neapolitan (VC)
Farmhouse Roll with a Choice of Fillings
Fresh Jacket Potato with a Choice of Filling
Herby Diced Potatoes, Seasonal Salad, Sweetcorn, Salad Bar, Fresh Bread of the Day
Oat Cookie, Ice Cream Roll, Fresh Fruit, Dairy Fruit Yoghurt

Spaghetti Bolognese
Macaroni Cheese (V)
Wrap with Choice of Fillings
Fresh Jacket Potato with a Choice of Filling
Broccoli, Green Beans, Salad Bar, Fresh Bread of the Day
Lemon Cookie, Chocolate Fudge Cake, Fresh Fruit, Dairy Fruit Yoghurt

Roast Chicken
Roast Lentil & Chick Pea Loaf (VG)
Soft Sliced Bread Choice
Fresh Jacket Potato with a Choice of Filling
Roast Potatoes, Savoy Cabbage, Carrots, Cravy, Salad Bar, Fresh Bread of the Day
Rainbow Fruit Jelly & Peaches, Melting Moments, Fresh Fruit, Dairy Fruit Yoghurt

Oven Baked Sausages & Mashed Potatoes
Oven Baked Veg Sausage & Mash (VG)
Wrap with Choice of Fillings
Fresh Jacket Potato with a Choice of Filling
Broccoli, Sweetcorn, Cravy, Salad Bar, Fresh Bread of the Day
Apple Strudel and Custard, Chocolate Muffin, Fresh Fruit, Dairy Fruit Yoghurt

MSC Fish Fingers
Catherine Wheels (V)
Farmhouse Roll with a Choice of Fillings (V)
Fresh Jacket Potato with a Choice of Filling
Chips, Garden Peas, Baked Beans, Tomato Ketchup, Salad Bar, Fresh Bread of the Day
Lancashire Cookie, Summer Fruit Ice Lolly, Fresh Fruit Friday, Dairy Fruit Yoghurt

Classic Pizza Margherita (V)
Plant Based Chilli & Rice
Farmhouse Roll with a Choice of Fillings
Fresh Jacket Potato with a Choice of Filling
Oven Baked Potato Wedges, Peas, Sweetcorn, Salad Bar, Fresh Bread of the Day
Strawberry Ice Cream, Carrot Cake, Fresh Fruit, Dairy Fruit Yoghurt

Cottage Pie
Cheesy Pasta Bake (V)
Wrap with Choice of Fillings
Fresh Jacket Potato with a Choice of Filling
Broccoli, Carrots, Salad Bar, Fresh Bread of the Day
Sticky Toffee Pudding, Chocolate Orange Cookie, Fresh Fruit, Dairy Fruit Yoghurt

Roast Chicken & Mashed Potatoes
Cauliflower Cheese Loaded Yorkshire (V)
Soft Sliced Bread Choice
Fresh Jacket Potato with a Choice of Filling
Carrots, Cabbage, Cravy, Salad Bar, Fresh Bread of the Day
Apple Pie & Custard, Strawberry Mousse, Fresh Fruit, Dairy Fruit Yoghurt

The Dolce Cheddar Cheese Burger
Plant Based Mince & Potato Hash (VG)
Wrap with Choice of Fillings
Fresh Jacket Potato with a Choice of Filling
Rainbow Slaw, Green Beans, Sweetcorn, Salad Bar, Fresh Bread of the Day
Chocolate & Beetroot Brownie, Cramers Gingerbread, Fresh Fruit, Dairy Fruit Yoghurt

MSC Fish Fingers
Fisherman's Pie
Farmhouse Roll with a Choice of Fillings (V)
Fresh Jacket Potato with a Choice of Filling
Chips, Baked Beans, Garden Peas, Tomato Ketchup, Salad Bar, Fresh Bread of the Day
Iced Vanilla Sponge, Chocolate Crunch, Fresh Fruit Friday, Dairy Fruit Yoghurt

Classic Pizza Margherita (V)
Smoky Vegetable & Bean Jambalaya (VC)
Farmhouse Roll with a Choice of Fillings
Fresh Jacket Potato with a Choice of Filling
Oven Baked Potatoes, Sweetcorn, Carrot Stick Salad, Salad Bar, Fresh Bread of the Day
Scottish Shortbread, Chocolate Ice Cream, Fresh Fruit, Dairy Fruit Yoghurt

All Day Breakfast
All Day Vegetarian Breakfast (V)
Wrap with Choice of Fillings
Fresh Jacket Potato with a Choice of Filling
Peas & Sweetcorn, Mixed Green Salad, Salad Bar, Fresh Bread of the Day
Chocolate Crispy Cake, Apple Flapjack, Fresh Fruit, Dairy Fruit Yoghurt

Roast Chicken
Shepherd's Pie (VC)
Farmhouse Roll with a Choice of Fillings
Fresh Jacket Potato with a Choice of Filling
Roast Potatoes, Carrots, Broccoli, Cravy, Salad Bar, Fresh Bread of the Day
Jam Rock Bun, Vanilla Muffin, Fresh Fruit, Dairy Fruit Yoghurt

Oven Baked Sausages & Mashed Potatoes
Vegetarian Spaghetti Bolognese (VG)
Wrap with Choice of Fillings
Fresh Jacket Potato with a Choice of Filling
Baked Beans, Sweetcorn, Salad Bar, Fresh Bread of the Day
Paris Slice with Custard, Fruit Jelly, Fresh Fruit, Dairy Fruit Yoghurt

MSC Fish Fingers
Baked Bean Quesadilla (V)
Farmhouse Roll with a Choice of Fillings (V)
Fresh Jacket Potato with a Choice of Filling
Chips, Baked Beans, Garden Peas, Tomato Ketchup, Salad Bar, Fresh Bread of the Day
Lime Drizzle Cake, Gingerbread Man, Fresh Fruit Friday, Dairy Fruit Yoghurt

LOCALLY SOURCED FRESH PRODUCE

BREAD AVAILABLE DAILY

Dolce ran a special Hogwarts menu yesterday to celebrate World Book Day. Any child who selected a meal was entered into a draw for a chance of winning a £5 Amazon Voucher. The Cook, Ms Aston, was pleased to announce the winner as Willow from UPKS2 Well done to the winner.

Look out for the next special day menu on Thursday 19th May – Queen's Jubilee Picnic menu.

Looking ahead – Dates for your diary

March 2022

Monday 14th-18th March

Friday 18th March

Monday 28th to 31st March

Wednesday 30th March

Thursday 31st March

April 2022

Friday 1st April

Thursday 7th April

Friday 8th April

Friday 8th April

Monday 25th April

Tuesday 26th April

Whole School Science Week

Science Dressing-up Day

Bikeability—Year 5

Parents Evening 3.30pm—7pm

Parents Evening 3.30pm—5.30pm

Big Sing at Mossley Hollins

Year 4 Timetable Challenge = Mossley Hollins

Special Achievers Assembly 2.30pm

School closes for Easter Holiday @ 3.10pm

Inset Day

School reopens 8.50am for the Summer term