



School News

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SCHOOL DIARY

Friday, 14th January - Year 3 Class Worship at 9.00am in the School Hall

Parents/carers of children in Year 3 are invited to join us for their Class Worship which will be held in the school hall at 9.00am. (Please remember to wear a face mask.)

Friday, 14th January - Partnership with Parents Meeting Virtually at 9.40am

This meeting will take place via zoom after the Year 3 Class worship at approximately 9.40am. All parents and carers are warmly invited to attend. This term we will be discussing the curriculum. Feedback from previous sessions has been invaluable to us to plan how we can improve the school for your children.

Join Zoom Meeting

<https://us04web.zoom.us/j/75038785804?pwd=wqoBsV0LcGvLDs5rS08rb8EXQktLa.1>

Meeting ID: 750 3878 5804

Passcode: k6uYFS

Thursday, 20th January - School Census

School Census day is on Thursday, 20th January. As part of the School Census we have to supply information about those children in Fledglings, Year 1 & Year 2 who take the Universal Free School Meal on Census day. This information effects the amount of funding the school receives and so it would make a big difference if this goes unclaimed. We are therefore asking children, particularly in Fledglings, Year 1 & Year 2, to have a school dinner on Thursday, 20th January. To help with this Whole School Meals are providing a special menu of;



Hot Dog or Veggie Dog
Curly Fries
Baked Beans/Cucumber Sticks
Cookie



Thank you for your support.

Thursday, 20th January - Year 3 Swimming

Friday, 21st January - Year 2 Class Worship at 9.00am in the School Hall

Parents/carers of children in Year 2 are invited to join us for their Class Worship which will be held in the school hall at 9.00am. (Please remember to wear a face mask.)

OTHER SCHOOL NEWS

Clubs for Term 3

Thank you for returning your forms to attend one of our after school clubs this term. Further to our email sent on Tuesday, all those who applied have been successful in gaining a place at the club they have requested unless you have been contacted separately. Please be advised that Parachute Club is now full for this term.

My Mum 2022

Children in Fledglings, Year 1 & 2 will have brought home information this week regarding the KM Newspapers 'My Mum 2022' supplement to be printed in March for Mother's Day. **All entries need to be returned by 25th January** so that these can be forwarded to the KM to meet their publishing deadline.

Last Minute Changes to the School Menu

Whole School Meals have recently been experiencing some disruption to their food deliveries where items they have ordered have been unavailable, often at short notice. This may mean that occasionally an item on the menu may be replaced with an alternative. Please be advised that Salmon Bites are currently unavailable, and also this Monday the herby diced potatoes will be replaced with curly fries. Whole School Meals will do their best to replace any items with similar products wherever possible.



Second hand uniform shop

Our second-hand uniform shop is now up and running!

We have lots of good quality second hand uniform for sale.

A list of items available will be posted on Dojo this week and will be updated regularly.

Most items are 50p but PE shirts/ PE shorts and school T shirts will be sold at 2 items for 50p

If you would like items from the list, please send a Dojo message or an email to Mrs Inglis or Miss Bowers (office@eastry.kent.sch.uk) and we will get the items to you. Payment in cash should then be sent in to school in an envelope clearly marked with your **child's name** and **uniform shop**.

Thank you for all of the donations of second-hand uniform, monies raised will add to our school funds and pay for more resources for the children. You will also be participating in a great recycling venture.

INTERNET/ONLINE SAFETY SECTION



Does your child use WhatsApp?

Although WhatsApp has a minimum age of 16 we are aware that some parents may allow their child to use this App or may be considering allowing them to use this in the future. Childnet has produced a very helpful document giving you information about WhatsApp and how you can ensure they are safe when using it. This can be accessed on the following link; <https://www.childnet.com/blog/helping-your-child->

OTHER NEWS



The NHS have produced a new 'NHS Food Scanner App' which makes it easier for families to find healthier food and drink options.

Once downloaded you scan the barcode of your child's favourite food and then swipe to see healthier alternatives which you can then choose to swap to when you next shop.

Kind regards

Mrs Sarah Moss
Headteacher

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS	
Week commencing 17.1.2022	
MONDAY	N/A
TUESDAY	Yes
Dance Club (3.30-4.30pm)	Yes
WEDNESDAY	Yes
Parachute Games Club (3.30-4.00PM)	Yes
Girls Football Club (3.30-4.15pm)	Yes
THURSDAY	Yes
Singing Club (8.00-8.35AM)	Yes
Multi-Sports Club (3.30-4.30pm)	Yes
FRIDAY	Yes
Football Club (3.30-4.30pm)	Yes