



Forefield Matters

16th January 2026

Dear Parents, Carers and Children,

Fortunately, we have had a more 'typical' week, this week! I wonder how many New Years' Resolutions are still in place? This morning in assembly, lots of children confirmed that they have been reducing their 'screen time' after school – hopefully parents have noticed too!

Last week, as an alternative to screens, I challenged everyone to create a portrait instead. We have had brilliant entries all week and I will be awarding a prize very soon. To keep the momentum going... Mrs Russell has challenged everyone to find ways to reduce their energy use next week – including spending less time using electronic gadgets and more time playing games or joining in craft activities. Children are invited to create a poster promoting 'saving energy' and send it in before Friday.



A selection of portraits – can you work out who they are?

Last Friday, a Year 4 gymnastic squad took part in a competition at Chesterfield – competing against 12 more teams and came away with first place and a clutch of gold medals! Well done everyone!

It is 4MP (Miss Mawdsley and Mr Parry's) class assembly on Wednesday. As always, parents/carers are very welcome to attend. Please wait at the main entrance ready for a 9:00am start.

Our attendance figures have improved this week – with 2 classes sharing the Attendance Trophy: 4W and 5R both had 100% attendance this week contributing to an overall figure of 96.4%. We would love to improve this further... with only 20 more days in school before February half-term, why not aim to be here, on time, every day? Every minute matters!

Have a lovely weekend!

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Term Time Absence:

Please note that term time absence can only be authorised in **exceptional circumstances** and that in-line with government guidelines, Sefton LA may issue penalty notices to families taking holidays during term time.

Diary for week beginning 19th January 2026

Monday:	9.45 – 11.15 10.15 – 11.45 12.15 – 12.40 3.30 – 4.30	4H Swimming 5S Swimming Y5/Y6 Girls' Football (Miss Cain) - CANCELLED Y3/Y4 Football (Active Sport)
Tuesday:	8.00 – 8.45 9.00 – 9.30 9.00 – 2.45 12.15 – 12.45 3.30 – 4.15 3.30 – 4.30	Y3/Y4 Sword Fencing (WL Fencing) SEN Coffee Morning in the Studio (Mrs Barton) 5H and 5S at Liverpool Museum Board Games Club (Mrs Russell) Y5/Y6 Choir (Mrs Harding) Y6 Football (Miss Cain)
Wednesday:	8.00 – 8.45 9.00 12.15 – 1.15 12.45 – 1.15 3.30 – 4.30	Y3/Y4 Judo (Judo Education) 4MP Class Assembly Y6 Chess (Mr Hall) Y3/Y4 Choir (Mrs Barton) Y3-Y6 Dodgeball (Active Sport)
Thursday:	12.15 – 12.45 12.15 – 1.15 3.30 – 4.15 3.30 – 4.30	Y5/Y6 Doodle Club (Mrs Schwartz) Y6 Chess (Mr Hall) Y5/Y6 Drama (Limelight Speech and Drama Academy) Y3-Y6 Football (Marine FC)
Friday:	12.15 – 12.45 3.30 – 4.30	SMOOTHIE FRIDAY Y5 Football (Mr Shannon) Y5 Badminton (Community Multisports Coaching)

MENU

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Sausage Roll & Baked Beans Oven Baked Mini Potato Waffles	Cottage Pie Diced Carrots	Roast Chicken & Gravy Broccoli, Cauliflower & Carrots Roast Potatoes	Spaghetti Bolognese Crusty Bread	Fishy Friday Peas & Skinny Fries
(V) Quorn Curry Rice Naan Bread	Cheese (V) or Pepperoni Pizza Slice Coleslaw & Wedges	(V) Quorn Mince & Vegetable Pie Roast Potatoes	Quorn (V) or Chicken & Bacon Pasta Broccoli	(V) Vegetable Burrito & Salad Tomato & Sweetcorn Salsa
Cherry Shortbread	Jam Tart & Custard	Fruit Jelly & Cream	Apple & Raisin Flapjacks	Lemon Drizzle Cake

