

Forefield Matters



20th December 2024



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Junior School

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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.

Dear Parents, Carers and Children,

What a wonderful, festive time we have had in school over the last few weeks! Admittedly, getting flu last week was **not** a highlight and I would just like to say a huge 'Thank You' to the amazing staff of FJS who kept everything running smoothly – including the Christmas Bingo – in my absence. Each day this week has created some wonderful memories. The parties, disco and panto were certainly lots of fun!



DJ Gary proved, once again, to be a hit with our older children and everyone enjoyed the performance of Cinderella (oh yes they did!) We have already penciled them in for next December.

Since October, the school chess club has provided opportunities for pupils to play friendly games – with Proud Points on offer for notable achievements.

Mr Hall has now introduced a development club, operating on a different lunchtime for those pupils who wish to learn the game.

After Christmas, Mr Hall will return to run a competitive Chess League!

Our Christmas Assembly this morning was a lovely opportunity to reflect on the true meaning of Christmas and the children narrated and sang beautifully. In addition, it was delightful to be able to award 'Pupil of the Term' certificates and open up the book vending machine to hand out the prizes!

The Autumn Term comes to a close at 2:00pm – on behalf of everyone at FJS I would like to wish you all a Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year!

Thank you for all of your support this year,

P A Swift (Headteacher).

Diary for week beginning 6th January 2025

Monday: 12.00 - 12.30
3.30 - 4.30

Y5/Y6 Netball (Miss Berry)
Y3-Y6 Handball (Active Sport)

Tuesday:
8.00 - 8.45
9.00 - 9.30
12.00 - 12.25
12.00 - 12.30
12.00 - 12.30
12.30 - 12.55

SMOOTHIE TUESDAY
Y5/Y6 Sword Fencing (WL Fencing)
Reading Ambassadors (Mr Croot)
Y6 Cricket (Active Sport)
Y6 Board Games (Mrs Russell)
Y6 Infant Buddies
Y3 Football (Active Sport)

Wednesday: 8.00 - 8.45
12.00 - 12.55
12.30 - 12.55
3.30 - 4.30

Y3/Y4 Judo (Judo Education)
Y6 Chess Players (Mr Hall)
Y4 Football (Mr Parry) - **CANCELLED**
Y3-Y6 Dodgeball (Active Sport)

Thursday: 12.00 - 12.30
12.00 - 12.55
3.30 - 4.15

Y5/Y6 Running Club (Miss Smith/Miss Berry)
Y6 Chess Beginners (Mr Hall)
Y5/Y6 Drama (Limelight Speech and Drama Academy)

Friday: 12.00 - 12.30
12.00 - 12.30
12.00 - 12.30
12.30 - 12.55
3.30 - 4.30

Y5 Football (Mr Shannon)
Y5 Craft Club (Mrs Hill)
Y6 Recorders (Mr Croot)
Y3 Multisport (Community Multisports Coaching)
Y4 Dodgeball (Community Multisports Coaching)

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Burger with Potato Wedges & Beans	Big Breakfast (Veggie option also)	Roast Turkey or Quorn Carrots and Peas Roasted Potatoes	Spaghetti Bolognese (Minced Beef or Quorn) Onion Bread	Fishy Friday Garden Peas & Sweetcorn Chipped Potatoes
(V) Mac and Cheese Mixed Green Salad	Tuna Pasta Bake with Crispy Salad	(V) Quorn & Bean Chilli Boiled Rice	(V) Quorn Curry Vegetable Rice	(V) Broccoli and Cauliflower Cheese Pasta Bake
Shortbread Biscuit	Oat, Apple and Honey Slice	Fruit Jelly and Cream	Fruit Sponge and Custard	Chocolate and Banana Brownie