



<u>Week commencing Monday 25th March 2019</u>		School dinner menu: Menu Week 2
Monday 25th		Private Music lessons with Mrs Parkes
Tuesday 26th	3pm	Author visit – Steve Smallman – class 1 & 2 Achievement assembly today
Wednesday 27th	4.00 – 5.00pm	Break-time snack- to all those that have signed up to the scheme Academy Choir
Thursday 28th	3.00-4.00pm	SATS booster for year 6
Friday 29th	1.50 – 3.30pm 3.30 – 4.30pm	Guitar lessons with Mr Walters Private & class lessons Mass Sports with Mrs Massam

PERMISSIONS, PAYMENTS AND DEADLINES

Permissions or Payments	Total Amount due	Deadline
Care Club	Amount as charged	weekly
Dinner money	Amount as charged	weekly
Academy Choir	£30	£10 to be paid by the end of each term

*All payments should be made using ParentPay unless stated otherwise. We accept childcare vouchers and tax-free childcare payments for care club. If you wish to pay using tax-free childcare vouchers, please inform the office of your TFC reference so that we can correctly add your payments onto your ParentPay account.

Basic First Aid classes



We are extremely lucky that Mrs Denyer-Smith has offered her time and expertise, to run a variety of First-Aid workshops for all of our pupils. This will be an introduction to basic first aid skills at an age-appropriate level.

The workshops are as follows:

Class 1-Tuesday 2nd April,

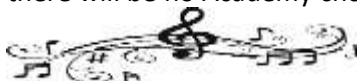
Class 2- Wednesday 10th April,

Class 3 -Wednesday 12th June.

Thank you, Mrs Denyer-Smith!

Choir

Please note that there will be no Academy choir on **Wednesday 3rd April 2019** due to the Whitemoor Lakes Residential for years 3 & 4.



Mothering Sunday

On Sunday 31st March at 9.30am, 'Café Church' will be hosting breakfast followed by a service at 10.15am. The children will be singing a familiar Mothers' Day song. All welcome.

Achievement Assembly in March

Achievements Assembly date	Out of school achievement
26.03.19	Class 1
02.04.19	Class 2
09.04.19	Class 3
16.04.19	Class 1

Snack Wednesdays

If your child would like to take advantage of break-time snack on a Wednesday, then there will be a monthly charge of £3.50. **Payments MUST be made on 'ParentPay' before the start of each month.** We will not be able to add children onto the snack scheme once the month has started so they would have to wait until the next month to be able to take part in the scheme.

The snacks for each month are as follows:

Month	Snack
April	Chocolate dipped fruits

What the classes have done this week

Class 1: It has been another fun-packed week for Class 1. It was our last balance-ability session. Our children certainly impressed the leader with their listening skills and good behaviour. In Maths, we have been learning to add by counting on, using first, then and now frames. In English, we have been writing a newspaper report linked to our class text- 'Supertato'. Last night, Y1 had a fabulous time at the sleepover and today we look forward to preparing our food for the Teddy Bears' Picnic.

Class 2: This week, we have created and written about our own monster vegetables. We have also started reading 'The Day the Crayons Quit'. We have been learning about shape in Maths and the weather in Geography.

Class 3: This week, in English we have studied the ghostly banquet scene from Macbeth - we acted out the scene and have begun to plan out our newspaper reports. In science, we have completed watercolour life cycles of different animals. We have also been working on our rounder's skills in PE.

Y1&2 Sleepover

This was a great success and the children certainly enjoyed sleeping over in Class 3. The behaviour was exemplary and we are really proud of our Y1 &2s. They will certainly sleep tonight and so will we!

Howard Racing

Work on the racing car is going well. If you would like to follow the children's progress, please follow the links below to see what they have been up to this week. ***Pleaser follow us on Twitter and share with your friends.***

Here's this week's video diary from the pupils:

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=N9PEReZTLBY>

And the twitter account also has a few photos from this week's session:

<https://twitter.com/TheHowardRacing>

Attendance

Congratulations to year's 1, 2, 5 & 6 who all achieved 100% attendance for week commencing Monday 11th March 2019

The Small Schools Multi Academy Trust			Trust Attendance
Attendance for week commencing Monday 11 th March 2019			Target 97%
	St. Mary's	Richard Crosse	Howard
Reception	89.86	98.82	93.33
Year 1	96.00	97.86	100.00
Year 2	99.29	96.00	100.00
Year 3	93.33	97.89	96.00
Year 4	98.67	98.89	99.09
Year 5	93.33	100.00	100.00
Year 6	99.17	92.31	100.00
Whole School	95.99	97.65	98.85

WWF's Earth Hour- Saturday 30th March at 8:30pm

Maybe you could get involved at home?



BE PART OF EARTH HOUR 2019

- Fight for your world this Earth Hour. Join millions of people in a global campaign to switch off their lights.
- The world's largest display of support for action to protect the planet.
- Take part with family and friends on 8.30pm, Saturday 30 March



Holiday Club information – Elford Village Hall

Easter superstar bootcamp 2019

ELFORD VILLAGE HALL
Church Road, Elford, B79 9DA

TIME: 9AM - 5PM
Early drop off available.

AGE: 4YRS - 16YRS

DATE: 15th APRIL - 18th APRIL

PRICE: £120
10 % DISCOUNT FOR SIBLINGS

Limited spaces.

Superstar Bootcamp is an action packed week of Singing, Dancing, Acting, DJing & Presenting in a fun, safe and creative environment with our Superstar show at the end of the week.

**#Encourage #Inspire #Motivate #Support
#Dream #Believe #Achieve 🙌**

📞 0800 978 8337

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Direct Message For More Details

All staff are DBS checked



100 Club

Entries for the 2019 '100 club' are now open!!! The cost is £24 per number for the year with a monthly prize draw to win two cash prizes- the more people play the bigger the prize pot!! please contact Anna on 07713487826 to sign up!

Easy Fundraising

Just go to www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/howardps. Log in and type in the name of the retailer and you will be taken to the retailer's website. The donation is made behind the scenes and the Friends benefit. It's really that simple!

Important dates 2018 -2019

Please note these dates are subject to change

March	
Tuesday 26 th	Author visit class 1 & 2 Steve Smallman
April	
Monday 1 st	Health & Wellbeing day – all pupils to come dressed in PE Kit
Tuesday 2nd	Basic first aid Class 1
Tuesday 2 – Wednesday 3 rd	Years 3 & 4 Whitemoor Lakes Residential – letters sent home
Friday 5 th	Non-uniform day in exchange for chocolate
Tuesday 9 th	Garrick performance for Choir children – Letters sent home
Wednesday 10th	Basic first aid class 2
Thursday 11 th	Easter service at St Peters – 2pm
Thursday 11 th	Chocolate bingo 5.30pm start – more details to follow
Friday 12 th	School closes to children and staff
Monday 15 th – Friday 26 th	Easter holidays
Monday 29 th	Children and staff return to school
May	
Monday 6 th	Mayday bank holiday – School closed to children and staff
Monday 13 th	SATs week
Friday 17 th	Year 6 visit to the Adventure Farm
Wednesday 22 nd	Mayday celebrations with May Queen
Friday 24 th May	School closes to children and staff
Monday 27 th – Friday 7 th June	School closed to children and staff
June	
Monday 10 th	Children and staff return to school
Wednesday 12th	Basic first aid class 3
Wednesday 19 th	Race Day Green car – more details to follow
Monday 24 th	Sports Day
July	
Friday 12 th	Summer Fayre
Monday 15 th	End of year church service 1.45pm
Tuesday 16 th – Thursday 18 th	Borth Year 6
Friday 19 th	School closes to students

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