



PARKGATE INFANTS &
NURSERY SCHOOL

5th May 2023



Coronation!

Dear Parents/Carers,

Despite the best attempts of the weather we had a fantastic time celebrating the coronation of King Charles III on Friday with Parkgate Junior school. The weather held off whilst we had our street party on the playground. The children then thoroughly enjoyed a disco followed by an assembly in which we sang a few Coronation themed songs.

Mr Pritchard

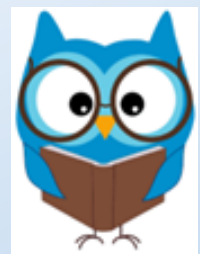


Reading at Parkgate Infants & Nursery School

Reading is at the heart of our curriculum and the teaching of reading is prioritised across the school. We understand the importance and value of children reading at home and encourage all parents to actively support this and record this reading in the reading record diary.

The children's home reading books will be changed every week.

Your child will not always read their home reading books to an adult in school. This does not mean they are not reading.



Every day children take part in Guided reading. Through the week the children read to an adult who teaches the children to decode the text and develop their understanding of what they are reading.

Guided reading and home reading are both important to develop children's ability to read with fluency as well as developing their love of reading.

EYFS Wish List

Have you got any old tool boxes (empty) that you could donate to Reception for our construction area or children's balance bikes that you don't need anymore? If you would like to donate these then pass them on to the school office.



Attendance

Well done to **Rabbit class** who had this weeks best attendance!



Badger Class	93.1%
Fox Class	96.1%
Rabbit Class	100%
Squirrel Class	99.4%
Mole Class	98.8%
Hedgehog Class	88%

WEEK 1 (w/c 17/4; 8/5; 5/6; 26/6; 17/7; 4/9; 25/9; 16/10)

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Bean & Vegetable Grill with Diced Potatoes or Wholemeal Pasta (Ve)	Chicken Pie with Potato Wedges or Tricolour Pasta	Roast Gammon with Gravy with Roast Potatoes or Wholemeal Pasta	Beef Burger in a Bun with Diced Potatoes or Tricolour Pasta	Battered Fish Fillet with Oven Chips or Wholemeal Pasta
Macaroni Cheese with Garlic Bread (V)	Spanish Omelette with Potato Wedges or Tricolour Pasta (V)	Veggie Sausages with Yorkshire Pudding and Gravy with Roast Potatoes or Wholemeal Pasta (V)	Pea & Lemon Risotto (V)	Cheese and Tomato Pizza with Oven Chips or Wholemeal Pasta (V)
Cheese Sandwich	Tuna Roll	Chicken Mayo Wrap	Ham Sandwich	Egg Roll
Jacket Potato with Tuna	Jacket Potato with Cheese	Jacket Potato with Baked Beans	Jacket Potato with Cheese	Jacket Potato with Baked Beans
		Halal Roast Chicken with Yorkshire Pudding with Roast Potatoes or Wholemeal Pasta		

Stars of the Week



Badger—Eden
 Fox— Prisha
 Rabbit— Maya
 Squirrel—Maya S.
 Mole— Asher
 Hedgehog—no consent given

**Well done to our
 Stars of the Week**

Learning Awards



Badger—Kavithan
 Fox— Grace
 Rabbit—Penelope
 Squirrel—Pearl
 Mole—Scarlett
 Hedgehog—Ibrahim

Well done!

DATES TO REMEMBER

Mon 8 th May	Coronation Bank Holiday (no school)
Wed 10 th May	Class Photos
Fri 26 th May	PTA Frozen Friday—Ice lolly Sale
29 th May—Fri 2 nd June	Half Term
Mon 5 th June	Inset Day (no school for children)
Tues 6 th June	Fox Class Assembly
Tues 13 th June	Badger Class Assembly
Friday 16 th June	PTA Break the Rules Day
Tues 20 th June	Squirrel Class Assembly
Thurs 22 nd June	2.30ppm Musical Extravaganza
Tues 27 th June	Rabbit Class Assembly
Friday 30 th June	Sports Day
Tues 4 th July	Hedgehog Class Assembly
Friday 7 th July	Reports sent home.
Tues 11 th July	Mole Class Assembly
Friday 14 th July	Year 2 Leavers Assembly/Party
Monday 17 th July	5-6.30pm Family Evening
Thursday 20 th July	Theme Day
Friday 21 st July	1.15pm End of term

We will be sending more information home regarding the above dates in due course.

This week in Parkgate Pirates.....

This week's wraparound club theme was "Star Wars -May the Forth be with you".

Children really enjoyed colouring Star Wars pictures and making space ships using Lego pieces.



EYFS requests

We are looking for the following items to improve the sand and water area of our EYFS garden:

Dustpan and brush
Scoops
Plastic bowls
Spoons
Forks
Combs
Cooking utensils
Shells
Pebbles
Stones
Conkers
Logs
Plastic bottles
Funnels
Sponges
Nets
Large paint brushes
Whisks
Syringes/pipettes
Turkey basters
Corks
Bottle brushes
Ping pong balls
Various sized container, bowls, measuring jugs and buckets.
Diggers, tractors and vehicles
Buckets, spades and rakes

If you have any of the above items, we would be most appreciative. Please hand them to our Nursery or Reception staff.

Many thanks!

This week in Hedgehog class...

King's Coronation

We have enjoyed learning about the King's Coronation this week. We learnt all about the Crown Jewels and the Coronation ceremony. We had a lovely time on Friday when the Junior's came to celebrate Parkgate Day with us.

We dressed up as Princes and Princesses and enjoyed our street party.



Superstar Sports

Dear parent/carer,

As Super Star Sport work with our children currently, we wanted to make you aware that they will be running a sports/activity camp at a local primary school during the May/June half term! Some of their activities include:

- A variety of sports
- Arts and crafts
- Water fights
- Party days

Please find the flyer and schedule below:

SUPER STAR SPORT

MAY/JUNE HALF TERM

PARTY DAY

ARTS & CRAFTS

KARATE/BOXING WORKSHOP

WATER FIGHTS

BOYS & GIRLS WELCOME

A VARIETY OF SPORTS

Watford Field Infant and Nursery School
Neal St, Watford WD18 0WF

30th May - 2nd June
8:45AM - 3:30PM

£22 PER DAY

£85 FOR FULL WEEK

SCAN HERE TO BOOK!

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MAY HALF TERM ACTIVITY CAMP

30th MAY - 2nd JUNE

PARTY
DAY

Boys &
Girls
Welcome

Ages
4+

Watford Field Infants
Neal St, Watford WD18 0WF

TUESDAY

★ Arts & Crafts

THURSDAY

★ Sports day

WEDNESDAY

★ Water fight

FRIDAY

★ Party day

For more information:

Contact Harry on 07984 136 650 or
email us at harry@superstarsportnwl.com

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TO BOOK!

Sports Courses this Half-Term



Join us for some sports fun this half-term

Courses running in

Aylesbury - St. Mary's School (Multi Sports)

Bushey - Bushey Manor School (Multi Sports)

Chartridge - Chartridge School (Multi Sports)

Hemel H'stead - Holtsmere End Junior School (Football)

St Albans - Windermere School (Football)

Tring - Bishop Wood School (Football)

Watford - Coates Way (Football)

Multi Sports includes: Football, Basketball, Dodgeball and Tennis



Game On
Sports Coaching 

COURSE DETAILS

- Courses open to children in Years 1-6
- 9 am - 3 pm
- £22 for 1-day, £42 for 2-days
- Indoor facilities available in the event of bad weather
- Fully qualified coaches who work full time in local primary schools
- Children who attend 2+ days will receive a special Game On gift

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