



# Hemington News

## 23rd September 2022

### Dear Parents/Carers

I hope you are all well. We have been busy this week with our themes in different subjects. Class 1 have been learning about themselves and their families, looking at meeting new people and making new friends. They have also been looking at fairytales and how they can change them to create their own alternative fairytales. Class 2 have been focusing on finishing their *Fantasy Narrative* in English and looking at animations in their topic work. Class 3 have been reading their class book *Chitty Chitty Bang Bang* while working on finishing their adventure stories. In Maths, children have been looking at Place Value, Addition and Subtraction and in Years 5 and 6, looking at using the four operations (+, -, ×, ÷).

On Monday, we will be celebrating **European Day of Languages**. We have asked all children to come into school wearing a piece of paper on their jumper/cardigan with a greeting written on it in another language (please see information sent by Mrs Cheetham).

We have once again been talking in assembly about respect and celebrating how respectful we can be towards each other.

We are very excited at starting a new **school choir**. Letters have already gone out by email to all families by email and there will be paper copies for all children to bring home too. Choir practice will start on Thursday 29th September at 8am. On 25th January 2023, we will be travelling to Birmingham to join thousands of other children to perform for the Young Voices concert. Details about the concert to follow.

Please keep sending in non-perishable items for our Harvest Festival donation box. We will be celebrating Harvest at St. Mary's Church, Lockington on Thursday 6th October at 10am. All families welcome to join us.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend.

Eimear Davis—Headteacher

### Cross Country Running

Every Wednesday, children in Classes 2 & 3 are invited to train for the Cross Country League which will be held at Charnwood College Grass Pitches on **Thursday 13th October**.

If your child is interested, please ask the office for a permission slip.

**Please label all your child's uniform clearly.**

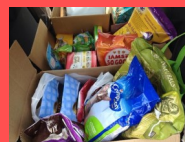


### Football Tournament

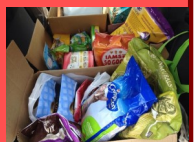


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football team will be taking part in the Charnwood College Mixed and Small Schools Football Tournament on Tuesday 4th October from 3:30—5:45. ***If parents are available that afternoon, we would really appreciate it if you could take your child to Loughborough on that day (leaving at 2:45pm).*** Please let the school office know if you are available.



### **Harvest Festival**



If you can, please bring in donations of non-perishable items to school which will be given to local food banks. Items can include pasta, tinned foods, rice, jam, packet soups, tea, coffee, spices, dried fruit, bottled soft drinks, vinegar, oils, cereals etc. Other donations may include shampoo, shower gel, deodorant, sanitary products, toothpaste etc. Please join us for a Harvest celebration on Thursday 6th October at St. Mary's Church Lockington at 10am.

## HEMINGTON PRIMARY SCHOOL EXPECTATIONS

You may have heard your children speak about our school expectations or noticed that they have received a certificate for RESPECT, RESPONSIBILITY or READINESS. We are very proud of all the children at Hemington for trying their best and ensuring that they are at all times;

**Respectful** of themselves and others

**Responsible** for their learning and behaviour

**Ready** to engage in learning and to do their best.



### Accelerated Reader



Please ensure that your child reads daily. When they finish their book, they complete an online quiz using their Accelerated Reader account.

## TERM DATES 2022-2023

### Autumn Term

School opens for children: Tuesday 30th August

Parents' Evening: Tuesday 11th October

Half term break: Monday 17 to Friday 21 October 2022

Pantomime Trip: Monday 5th December

School Christmas Performance: Thursday 8th Dec

Schools close: Friday 16 December 2022

### Spring Term

New Year Bank Holiday: Monday 2 January 2023

INSET Day: Tuesday 3 January 2023

School opens for children: Wed 4 January 2023

Half term break: Mon 20 to Fri 24 February 2023

Schools close: Friday 31 March 2023

### Summer Term

Schools open: Monday 17 April 2023

May Day Bank Holiday: Monday 1 May 2023

Half term break: Mon 29 May to Fri 2 June 2023

Schools close for pupils: Wednesday 12 July 2023

### Staff INSET days

Wednesday 24 and Thursday 25 August

Tuesday 3 January 2023

## Healthy Eating at School

### REMINDER



Children will be asked to **ONLY** take fruit or a healthy snack for their breaktime. Packed lunches should contain healthier options with only one treat for pudding.

**PLEASE ENSURE THAT ALL LUNCHES/SNACKS ARE NUT FREE.**

We also ask parents to send water in their child's drink bottle.

## After School Clubs Autumn Term 2022

**Monday** - Little Cooks Club (until 4.30 - all year groups welcome. Currently full)

**Tuesday** - Create and Make Club (until 4.30 - all year groups welcome)

**Tuesday** - Football Club (until 4.30 - open to Years 3, 4, 5 and 6)

**Wednesday** - Lego Club (until 4.15 - open to all year groups)

**Thursday** - Multi-Sports (until 4.15 - open to all year groups)



**Please contact the school office if you have any questions about booking into clubs.**

## School Dinner Menu

From Monday 26th September, we will be choosing from the Week 3 menu.

Week 1					
2022: 22nd Aug, 12th Sept, 3rd Oct, 24th Oct, 14th Nov, 5th Dec, 26th Dec 2023: 16th Jan, 6th Feb, 27th Feb, 20th Mar, 10th Apr, 1st May, 22nd May, 12th Jun, 3rd Jul, 24th Jul					
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
Option 1	Margherita Pizza	Cottage Pie	Roast Lamb of Pork & Apple Sauce	Sticky Chicken	Fish Fingers or Salmon Fish Fingers
Option 2	Vegetable Supreme Pizza (V)	Spiced Bean Tagine (V, VG)	Quorn Picansee	Cheese Fian (V)	Quorn Dippers (V, VG)
CARBS	Pasta in Tomato Sauce Vegetable Rice	Boiled Potatoes Jewelled Cous Cous	Mashed Potato & Carrot ½ Jacket	Herb Jacket Wedges Fluffy Rice	Chips Mashed Potatoes
VEGETABLES	Applelaw Carrots	Green Beans Sweetcorn	Roasted Medley of Seasonal Vegetables Green Beans	Cabbage Broccoli	Baked Beans Peas
SALAD BAR	Mixed Salad Selection				
BREADS	Assorted Breads				
FRUIT	Fresh Fruit Platter/Yoghurt				
DESSERTS	Strawberry Whip	Pear & Chocolate Sponge	Manchester Slice	Apple Betty Layer	Vanilla Ice Cream
Week 2					
2022: 29th Aug, 19th Sep, 10th Oct, 31st Oct, 21st Nov, 12th Dec 2023: 2nd Jan, 23rd Jan, 13th Feb, 6th Mar, 27th Mar, 17th Apr, 8th May, 29th May, 19th Jun, 10th Jul, 31st Jul					
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
Option 1	Margherita Pizza	Farm Assaged Pork Sausages in Gravy	Roast Chicken Stuffing & Gravy	BBQ Chicken Wrap	Battered Fish
Option 2	Chinese Vegetable Stir Fry (V, VG)	Homily pie (V)	Vegetarian Bolognese (V, VG)	Quorn & Vegetable Pasta (V, VG)	Vegetable Fingers (V, VG)
CARBS	Fluffy Rice Herb Jacket Wedges	Mashed Potatoes	Parsley Potatoes Pate	Garlic Bread Potatoes in Skins	Chips ½ Jacket Potato
VEGETABLES	Medley of Seasonal Vegetables Carrots	Sweetcorn Peas	Green Beans Roasted Medley of Seasonal Vegetables	Carrots Broccoli	Baked Beans Peas
SALAD BAR	Mixed Salad Selection				
BREADS	Assorted Breads				
FRUIT	Fresh Fruit Platter/Yoghurt				
DESSERTS	Banana Cake	Carrot Cake Muffin	Chocolate Mousse	Orange Jolly with Mandarins	Strawberry Ice Cream
Week 3					
2022: 5th Sep, 26th Sep, 17th Oct, 7th Nov, 28th Nov, 19th Dec 2023: 9th Jan, 30th Jan, 20th Feb, 13th Mar, 3rd Apr, 24th Apr, 15th May, 5th Jun, 26th Jun, 17th Jul					
Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
Option 1	Organic Meatballs in Tomato Sauce	Turkey Lasagne	Roast Chicken & Apricot Stuffing	Garlic Mushroom & Sweetcorn Pizza	Fish Fingers or Salmon Fish Fingers
Option 2	Vegetable Jambalaya (V, VG)	Vegetable Lasagne (V)	Vegetable Cottage Pie (V, VG)	Sweetcorn Pizza (V)	Vegetable Nuggets (V, VG)
CARBS	Pasta Fluffy Rice	Garlic Bread Parsley Potatoes	Roast Potatoes Sweets & Potato Mash	Jewelled Cous Cous ½ Jacket Potato	Chips Fluffy Rice
VEGETABLES	Green Beans Cabbage	Broccoli Sweetcorn	Carrots Cauliflower	Medley of Vegetables Green Beans	Baked Beans Peas
SALAD BAR	Mixed Salad Selection				
BREADS	Assorted Breads				
FRUIT	Fresh Fruit Platter/Yoghurt				
DESSERTS	Apple Sponge & Custard	Cornflake Tart	Peach Melba Traybake	Seasonal Fruit Crumble & Custard	Chocolate Ice Cream