



RLI News

20th January 2023

Week 3

Another busy week of learning this week. The children have begun their Taking Care Learning and are sharing their ideas with confidence and great sensitivity. Children are continuing to work hard to show our rules of **ready, respectful** and **safe** in their learning time which is really pleasing to see. For next week we will be working on **kindness** to one another. This week the children have begun nominating others for our Jar of Wonderfulness, they have been looking for acts of kindness and wonderfulness in school.

You will likely be aware that one of the national teaching unions has voted to strike. As things stand, this will impact the school on 1st February, 1st March, 15th March and 16th March. Other teaching unions have now been balloting their members which will likely cause more disruption. We will be taking all reasonable steps to stay open but at the moment no decisions have been made and we will contact you again over the coming days with further details. We appreciate your patience with this and will do our best to keep you updated.

Dates for your Diary

25th January—Cost of Living Coffee Morning

26th January—First PTFA Meeting

27th January—Year 1 Class Trip to the Transport Museum

31st January—4:45pm Bedtime Stories

3rd February—NSPCC Number Day (more info will follow soon)

6th February—Children's Mental Health Awareness Week begins.

14th February—Safer Internet Day

17th February—Last day of term

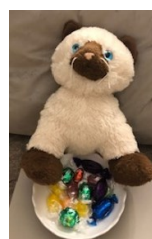
20th—26th February—Half Term

We will be planning opportunities to invite parents and families in to school throughout this term. More information will be coming to you soon.

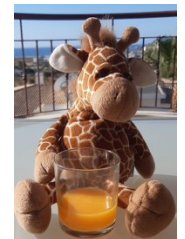
Proud Post!

All of you in our school community will know of or have heard about the amazing work that **Mrs Johnson** does in our school. Jo works tirelessly to support our families whether it be through Early Help, organising Food Vouchers, signposting the right support or being a listening ear. Her hard work and efforts have now been recognised widely amongst the local authority. She has won an Early Help Award for how she "supports families with empathy, patience, compassion and care." We are so proud to have Jo as part of our Race Leys Family.

Attendance



Attendance has been wonderful this week in school and we are all getting used to the earlier starting time of the school day.



SAM (School Attendance Matters) is going to the

winning class... Moorhen Class

OTIS (On Time in School) is spending the week between the winning class Gosling Class.

This week's Whole School Attendance is **90.4%**
We are aiming for a target of 96%.

Library Visits

Heron class enjoyed visiting the library for their book talk lesson today for the first time. They really enjoyed getting comfy on the beanbags.



Fun in Reception

This week the children have been exploring water, colour, books, snow and weight.



Children have made pictures inspired by Barbara Rey.



They have used a mixture of ingredients to make their own snow.



In our Maths learning we have been comparing the mass of many objects using the language heavier and lighter.

Maths Learning in Year 1



In maths this week Year one have been learning about place value. In teams they have independently made their own number lines. They have plotted the number, added a picture of the correct amount of objects and drawn their representation of how many tens and units.

PE Days

These will remain the same as this term
Reception—Tuesday
Year 1—Wednesday and Friday
Year 2—Monday and Thursday

Children must wear PE Kit to school on these days. Can we please ask that the children wear their school jumpers or cardigans on PE Days.

Parking

Can we please remind our families that we have an arrangement with the Collycroft Club for the school drop off and collection times. Due to constant access for our neighbours we avoid using Hurst Road during these times. It should only be Taxi's (prearranged) that use this road.

Science Learning in Year 1



In Science we are learning about materials. This week we sorted different materials in different ways - colours, type of material, gym stuff and not gym stuff. There was lots of great discussion about what the different things were made from and an interesting conversation about why we were not sorting glass objects!

PTFA—First Meeting

Our first meeting is on Thursday in the school hall. We will be meeting at 4:30 until 5:30pm. We welcome parents to come and join us to think about what we can do to raise funds for our school. If you can spare some time we'd love to see you.



Year 2 Learning



Our year 2 learners have the wonderful opportunity to work with **Warwickshire Wildlife Trust** this term. They will be learning about the British Wildlife, how we can support our wildlife and our role as future citizens. Each week a member of the team will come and work with our children to further develop their understanding.

Year 1 Trip to the Transport Museum

Year 1 children will have the opportunity to visit the Coventry Transport Museum as part of their **On the Move** topic learning.

They will be heading out on their trip on Friday 27th January.

Reception and Year 2 classes will have information about their Spring Term trips sent home shortly.





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Educaterers Lunch Menu Week 3

Geventry and Waverley Centre: 18/9, 18/10, 31/10, 21/11, 12/12, 21/12, 29/1, 13/2, 6/3.
 Lakeside Centre: 28/8, 19/9, 10/10, 29/10, 21/11, 18/12, 20/12, 29/1, 13/2, 6/3.
 On-site: 19/9, 10/10, 31/10, 21/11, 12/12, 21/12, 29/1, 6/3.

Meat Free Monday



Cheese and Tomato Pizza D, G.



(v) Veg Korma M, D, E.



(v) Jacket Potatoes Every Day
(v) Cheese/Beans D.



(v) Cheddar Cheese G, D.

Tuesday



Pork Sausages G, S, U.



(vg) Chinese Style Plant Based "Meat" Balls Noodles contain Gluten



(v) Cheddar Beans D.



British Roast Chicken G.

Wednesday



Roast Beef in Gravy, York Pudding D, E, G.



(vg) Quorn Roast G, (v) Tomatoes Peas D, E, G.



Tuna Mayonnaise F, E.



Tuna Mayonnaise F, E, G.

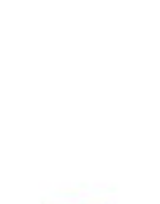
Thursday



Chicken Fajita Wrap G.



(v) Mac 'n' Cheese G, D.



British Ham G.

Friday



Breaded Fish Fillet Fingers F.



(vg) Breaded Vegetable Fingers G.



Egg Mayonnaise G, E.

Week 3 Dessert Menu

Every day we offer:
 (v) Yogurt (D)
 or fresh fruit as alternative dessert options

Monday
 (vg) Homemade Chocolate Crackle

Tuesday
 (v) Chocolate or Strawberry Swirl Mousse D.
 (vg) Homemade Fruity Fapjack G.

Wednesday
 (v) Homemade Iced Sponge
 with Sprinkles G, E and Custard D.

Thursday
 Jelly with Fruit
 (vg) Homemade Carrot and Orange Cookie G.

Friday
 (v) Cheddar Cheese, Crackers and Apple Slices G, D.
 (v) Ice Cream Tub D.

All our meals include a carbohydrate accompaniment, seasonal vegetables and/or salad. We offer a choice of fruit juice cordial, semi skimmed milk or water to drink. Some schools offer a Hydration Station instead, comprising of unlimited chilled water flavoured with fresh fruit.

Accompaniments may vary to those shown.

PLEASE NOTE some schools serve the cold option in a deli bag with vegetable sticks or salad, a dessert and a drink.

Key

- vg = vegan
- V = vegetarian
- D = Dairy
- N = Coconut/ Nuts
- S = Sesame
- E = Egg
- G = Gluten/Wheat
- F = Fish
- N = Mustard
- SU = Soy
- SU = Sulphites

