#### Friday 8th November



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#### Dinner Menu Week 3

#### Monday

Southern Style Chicken Wrap with Potato Wedges Jacket Potato

#### Tuesday

Beef Burger with Diced Potatoes

Veggie Plant Burger with Diced Potato

#### Wednesday

Roast British Pork with Apple Sauce and Gravy

Quorn Roast in Gravy

#### Thursday

#### Mild and creamy chicken korma with rice

Quorn dippers with seasoned wedges

#### Fishy Friday

Fish Fillet Fingers with Chips

Veggie Fingers with Chips

EVERY DAY:

Jacket Potato with a choice of either: Cheese, Beans, or Tuna

#### Phrase de la semaine

Our whole school French phrase of the week has been..

#### S'il vous plâit (please)

The next week's phrase is...

je suis désolé (I'm sorry)

It's been a busy first week back at Clapham and we have been delighted at how well the children have settled back into the school routine and expectations. Clubs and Booster Groups are now underway. Please can we ask that club payments are made via school money or directly with outside providers.

In staff news we are delighted to welcome Mrs Sutradhar to the Rockets team. Congratulations to her on securing the role of Play Worker at our after school club. Many of the children will be familiar with Mrs Sutradhar as she also works as a Teaching Assistant and Midday Supervisor at our school.

This week we have enjoyed the launch of our new Topics across the school. Early Years have been creating Rangoli patterns and learning all about the Hindu Festival of Light, Diwali. Year 1 and Year 2 have begun Fire and Fireworks, Years 3 and 4 are going back in time to the Stone Age and Years 5 and 6 sounded the sirens of World War 2. Please keep an eye out for the Knowledge Organisers sent home today.

We also held a successful Trailblazers Coffee morning it was lovely to see those that did attend. Some of our Year 5 have been having some outdoor learning at Leasowe Woods today. Please visit our school  $\underline{X}$  page where you will also be able to see this week's latest indoor and outdoor learning.

On Thursday we had our HSA Halloween Disco, a huge thank you to our fantastic HSA Team who organised and members of staff who supported this fun event for our children. Parents/carers If you are interested in supporting our HSA they are holding their next meeting on Monday at 7.30pm please note the venue has changed to the Micro Pug in Leamington.

Next week we look forward to nursery parent consultations, more trips to the Woods, the Year 6 class assembly, remembrance assemblies, the EYFS Open Session and not forgetting our spots and/or the colour yellow as we support Children in Need on Friday.

Have a great weekend.

Recep-	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6	Whole School
Mihik	Jacintha	Darcey	Iga	Bella	Matthew	Joshua	Alfie S

#### **EMAILS SENT HOME THIS WEEK**

#### SELECTED CHILDREN

KINGS HIGH VISIT

WINTER HAF

NEW READING VOLUNTEERS

#### WHOLE SCHOOL

TOGETHER WITH AUTISM CONFERENCE

CHILDREN IN NEED

HALLOWEEN DISCO

KNOWLEDGE ORGANISERS

YEAR 5 &6—WORLD WAR 2 DAY

### HOW TO GET IN TOUCH WITH US

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# HOW WE GET IN TOUCH WITH YOU...

Please ensure you inform the school office of any amendments to telephone numbers, email or home address. It is vital that these are up to date so that we are able to contact you in an emergency and so that you receive all communications from the school.

# TEACHERS 2 PARENTS AND SCHOOL MONEY TIPS, TRICKS AND UPDATES

**Today's Tip:** If apple pay isn't appearing on your school money app once you've added items to your basket. Close the app and open it again. The items will still be in your basket, but apple pay should now be there as a payment option.

**Snack Shack:** This is now on-going as a payment option - if you know you don't want your child to have snack shack let us know and we can remove your child from the payment reminder list.

#### **DINNER MONEY**

## School Dinner cost is £2.65 per day or £13.25 a week.

Please pay online via SchoolMoney.

You may also pay by cash or cheque to the school office. Please ensure that all cash/cheque payments come in on a Monday in a named, sealed envelope.

If you have any questions please speak to the office who will be happy to help you.

# KEY INFORMATION AND REMINDERS



#### Reading Percentages

Year	%	
R	100	
1	97	
2	91	
3	91	
4	100	
5	93	
6	97	

# WARWICKSHIRE SAFE & ACTIVE SCHOOLS

#### **MEDICATION**

We are only able to administer <u>prescribed</u> medication to children during the school day.

If your child has been prescribed medication it <u>must</u> come through the office and a form <u>must</u> be completed -the office will be happy to help.

#### **PARKING ON DAVIDSON AVENUE**

Please can we remind you to be considerate of our neighbours when parking. We are still continuing to receive complaints from our neighbour regarding this.

Please do **not block drives or pavements**. Where possible please can we encourage you to make active travel choices to reduce the number of cars on drop off and pick up.

Bikes and Scooters

If you are bringing a bike or scooter to school These must be walked and not ridden across the playground.

#### **SESAME AND NUT FREE SCHOOL**

Please can we remind everyone that we have a number of children with severe allergies and that we are a sesame and nut free school.

Please be conscious of what you are including in your child's lunch box. Any items which contain nuts or sesame, including sushi, will have be confiscated and your child will not be allowed to eat them.

Thank you for your support with this.

# CODE OF CONDUCT FOR PARENTS, CARERS AND OTHER VISITORS TO SCHOOL

Please can we remind everyone of our Code of Conduct which can be viewed in full <a href="here">here</a>. Thank you for your continued support with this.



#### **ROCKETS BOOKINGS**

We are unable to accept last minute bookings for Rockets and Breakfast club, apart from in an absolute emergency.

Bookings should be made by Friday the week prior at the latest to enable us to appropriately staff this service.

Please note that any bookings made will be charged even if cancelled.

Please also be aware that emails sent between 5pm and 8am will not be seen or actioned until the morning.

#### ROCKETS BREAKFAST AND AFTERSCHOOL CLUB

Open Monday—Friday (term time only)

Places are available on all days. **Ring:** 01926 423404 (opt.3); or

Email: rockets@welearn365.com

## GETTING IN TOUCH WITH US OUTSIDE OF OFFICE HOURS

If you need to speak to someone in Rockets please call the school number and choose option 3. The phone will be manned during Breakfast club and Rockets hours. Outside of this please feel free to leave a voicemail or speak to someone in the school office.

Breakfast Club	8am -	£4.40
Rockets (from 3.15pm)	Until 4pm	£4.40
Rockets (from 3.15pm)	Until 5pm	£8.50
Rockets (from 3.15pm)	Until 6pm	£11.00

# WE LOOK FORWARD TO WELCOMING OUR NEW RECEPTION CHILDREN TO ROCKETS CLUB FROM NEXT WEEK

If you would like to sign your child up for breakfast and/or after school club please get in touch with the Rockets team (see details above)

#### **IMPORTANT NOTICE**

Please look out for our emails and invoices from 'Nursery In A Box' which will keep you up to date with all Rockets information.

Please check your invoices and bookings. If there are any problems or amendments please contact Miss K Fletcher via the school office on 01926 423404 or email rockets@welearn365.com. Please let Miss Fletcher know any amendments to your bookings for this half term.

#### Collection times

Please ensure you collect your child on time from Rockets and let us know if you are running late.

As per our handbook if you arrive after your booked pick-up hour you will be charged until the following hour. After 6pm you will receive a late charge of £4 per 5mins late.

**Bookings** - If you have booked your child's place for the half term you will be charged for your booking even if you are unable to use it, unfortunately this is Rockets policy. If you require an extra session, this will need to be requested via email on the Friday the week before at the latest due to staff ratios being adhered to. We do not accept bookings on the day unless its an emergency. Of course we appreciate a lot of our parents require wrap around care and we do try our best to accommodate when we are able and given notice, this is why we encourage all parents to book spaces as soon as possible.

Please call the office or email Miss Fletcher at <a href="rockets@welearn365.com">rockets@welearn365.com</a> if you have any questions or require an extra session to be booked.

#### SNACK MENU

Week 1 - Toast/cheese

Week 2– Ham/cheese wraps

Week 3 - Cheese and crackers

Week 4 - Brioche

Week 5 - Crumpets

Week 6- Hot dogs

Week 7- Jam/ham sandwiches

Week 8 - Toast/cheese

Fresh fruit, carrot and cucumber sticks will be offered daily.

#### **NOTICE BOARD**

We update our notice boards in the Rockets corridor every half term informing you of all the fun activities your child will have the opportunity to take part in daily/weekly. Please ask if you would like to see more detailed plans.

Please could we ask that Rockets Parents do NOT use the staff car park for dropping off and collecting children from Rockets as a health and safety precaution.

Please ask any member of staff in Rockets and we will all be happy to let you know how your child/children have been and what activities they have been taking part in during their time at Rockets.

## NEW DATES ARE ADDED IN RED

#### **HSA DATES ARE IN PURPLE**



#### Teacher Training Days 24/25

Monday 6th January 2025

Monday 2nd June 2025

Monday 21st July 2025

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#### Monday 18th November

Leasowe Woods Visit Year 5 Groups A and B

Drummers to perform to parents—more info to follow

Protective Behaviours Reception—more info to follow

#### Thursday 21st November

Year 5 Space Camp

#### Friday 22nd November

Year 2 Open Session—Reading Focus 9.00am approx.

Year R Cake Sale

Thursday 28th November

Young Voices-WSF event approx. 4pm-8.30pm

#### Tuesday 26th November

Year 1 Warwick Castle trip (more info to follow)

#### Friday 29th November

Pyjama Day -in exchange for a luxury item for the Christmas Fair

EYFS Open Session 9.00am

Year 1 Open Session—Writing Focus 9.00am approx.

#### Monday 2nd December

Bake Off Week—Year 5 and Year 6

#### Wednesday 4th December

Year 5 Class Assembly 9.00am

#### Friday 6th December

Christmas Fair—more info to follow

Tuesday 10th December

EYFS and KS1 Production 9.15am

#### Wednesday 11th December

EYFS and KS1 Production 9.15am

#### Friday 13th December

Christmas Jumper and Christmas Dinner Day

#### Tuesday 17th December

Pantomime at the Spa Centre 1.15pm Years 2 to Year 6

#### Wednesday 18th December

Smeds and the Smoos Warwick Arts Centre Year R  $\,$  and Year  $\,$  1

House Event—Year2 to Year 6

#### Thursday 19th December

House Event EYFS and Year 1

Year 3 Stone Age workshop

#### Friday 20th December

Year 4 Stone Age workshop

Carols led by Key Stage 2 at 2.30pm

Finish for Christmas Holidays

#### Monday 6th January

Teacher Training Day

#### Tuesday 7th January

Return to School

#### Tuesday 14th January

Trailblazers Coffee Morning 9am approx.



#### **Resonant Recorders**

Year 4 have started learning how to play the recorder. Each Wednesday they go into the music room and add to their skills every week. Miss Hall teaches different techniques and recorder playing skills and different notes. Miss Hall said, "Year 4 made a great start and are already learning a song." Willow W commented, "I think that we are getting much better," while Emmie's view was that "Some children are really improving."

By CTCN reporters Ana and Bella, Year 4

#### **Year 4's Spectacular Swimming Sessions**

This half term year 4 are going swimming at Newbold Common Leisure Centre every Tuesday until the end of term. The lessons are about half an hour long and the swimming teachers place children into groups depending on their ability assessed in the first lesson. It is a chance for them to improve on swimming skills learned last year and get more confident in the water. Afterwards, Year 4's class teacher, Miss Hall, gives house points to whoever gets changed first. She said, "The children made a great start and I can't wait for them to go again!"

By CTCN reporters Emmie & Willow W, Year 4

#### If you please ....

This week, our new French phrase to learn was *S 'il vous plaît* (please) which we have been using around school and especially in the classroom when asking for something. Year 3 have been practising saying it during the morning register when giving their lunch orders each day.

#### **Children in Need**

On Friday 15<sup>th</sup> November, we are celebrating Children in Need Day to raise money for the charity. Children can make donations and take part in a scavenger hunt. They can also choose to wear something yellow, something spotty or Pudsey accessories.

Mrs Hallam said, "All the children enjoy this every year and it's a chance for us to help a good cause."

By CTCN reporter Antonia, Year 5

#### WW2 Topic in year 5

On Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> of November, Year 5 began on their new History topic on World War 2. The first activity took place outside: everyone was given an event and then had to arrange themselves in chronological order to make a timeline of the war. "Everyone enjoyed it and we had fun doing the activity," said Cody in Year 5. They will be covering the events of WW2 including the city bombings, evacuation and how people lived during war time.

By CTCN Reporter Ali, Year 5

#### **Horrifying Halloween Disco**

This week, on Thursday, was our terrifying Halloween disco organised by the HSA. As usual, there was fantastic food, tasty treats and lots of fun and games at our creepy Clapham. All the children dressed up in their scary costumes. Miss Alder said, "I cannot wait for the Halloween disco; it's a great chance for everyone to dance with their friends."

By CTCN reporters Cody, Year 5 & Rowan, Year 4



# EVENTS THAT SUPPORT OUR FUND RAISING

#### Thursday 7th November 2024

Halloween Disco—Just for children

Monday 11th November

HSA Meeting 7.30pm—Micro Pug, Leamington

Friday 15th November 2024

Autumn Night Out for parents/carers—see flyer

Friday 29th November 2024

Pyjama Day

Friday 6th December 2024

Christmas Fair

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#### **FRIDAY CAKE SALE DATES**

Year 1 15th November Year R 22nd November





The Easyfundraising app is a great way to raise funds for Clapham Terrace HSA! By signing up via the link below, we will get a £5 donation and if you shop in one of the 7,000+ brands we can earn even more!

If you need to shop online ahead of Christmas or are thinking of booking your 2025 summer holiday make sure you sign up to easy fundraising and follow the simple instructions to raise more funds to spend on our wonderful children at Clapham.

https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/support-a-good-cause/step-1/?
char=7943&invite=ca9786&referral-campaign=s2s

#### WELCOME TO THE FAMILY INFORMATION SERVICE NEWSLETTER









