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Dear Parents and Carers,

It's been so lovely to see all the children come back to school looking refreshed and ready to learn from the Christmas break. The school comes back to life when the children are around and learning loads. I love hearing the hum of learning and the sounds of laughter resonating around the school.

I had hoped for a more normal return to the term but I feel that we are likely to get more of the same in terms of COVID; at least we're open and there are no signs of an impending lockdown (fingers crossed!!). As I have previously said in my message to you all earlier this week, the same COVID restrictions are in place as they were before the Christmas holidays. This means that we are still having to suspend after school, and in school time, clubs. Once the risks are reduced and we get the go-ahead to do so, we will reintroduce them as soon as we can. Some inter-school sporting competitions may well take place but I will risk assess these on an individual basis.

All the classes have started the term with their new topics and you will receive a '100% sheet' from your child's class teacher via class dojo. These are slightly different to a traditional topic overview as they lay out the key knowledge and vocabulary we want the children to know and learn this term. The teachers will be teaching lots of other knowledge and skills as well but the '100% sheets' help us all focus on the key knowledge that the children need to help build on subsequent learning.

This means that we know that future lessons will build on what they already know rather than having to reteach the same knowledge again. This also helps the children learn and retain more of what they've already learnt. This is something we've been doing for a while and the children are knowing and remembering more as a result.

There are curriculum long term plans for each class on the school website if you want to see all the knowledge and skills they are being taught for each term.

I hope you all have a safe and relaxing weekend, and I look forward to seeing you all next week, for our first full week of 2022!

Yours

Richard Lucas
Executive Headteacher

January 10th

There will be no after school club on January 10th as the staff have safeguarding training that they all need to attend.

Caterlink

There has been no change to the Caterlink Menu for Spring 2022. It's the same as the Autumn Term.

The menu is attached to the end of the newsletter and is on the school noticeboard. If you would like a copy, please pop into the School Office to collect.

Happy New Year to everyone

Proud Cloud Certificates:

Robins: Abigail

Starlings: Lucas

Owls: Max

Values Certificates:

Robins: Zeliha

Starlings: Anna-Mae

Owls: Harry M

Growth Mindset Certificates:

Robins: Honey – For fantastic reading both at school and at home.

Starlings: Tess – For improving her paper aeroplane in DT

Owls: Harry P – for working really hard when adding fractions. You never gave up – Well done.

January Dates

Monday 10th January – No After School club

Wednesday 19th January - Netball for year 5 and 6. This may not happen but is provisionally in the diary.

Friday 28th January - Swimming Gala – Again, this may not happen but is provisionally in the diary.

We'll send out some more information if these events are confirmed.

Please note- Dates and times are subject to change, and depend on Covid restriction updates. We will advise you of any changes as soon as possible.

WE ARE COALEY - We Believe We Respect We Belong

Spring Menu 2022

Monday

Vegetable and Bean Fajitas with Rice
 Macaroni Cheese
 Jacket Potato with Filling
 Green Beans
 Carrots
 Sticky Toffee Apple Crumble with Custard

Tuesday

Sausage roll with 1/2 baked potato
 Tomato, Lentil pasta bake
 Tomato soup with filled baguette
 Peas
 Sweetcorn
 Oaty Cookie

Wednesday

Roast Chicken with Stuffing, Roast Potatoes and Gravy
 Vegetable Wellington with Roast Potatoes and Gravy
 Jacket Potato with Filling
 Cauliflower
 Savoy cabbage
 Manarrah Jery

Thursday

Beef Spaghetti Bolognese
 Vegetable sausage hotdog with Potato Wedges
 Jacket Potato with Filling
 Carrots
 Broccoli
 Pineapple Sponge

Friday

MSC Fillet/Salmon fish fingers, with Chips and Tomato Sauce
 Cheese and Tomato Pinwheel with Chips
 Jacket Potato with Filling
 Baked Beans
 Garden Peas
 Apple, Cheese and Biscuits

Added Plant Power
 Vegan
 Wholesome

Available Daily:

- Freshly cooked jacket potatoes with a choice of fillings (where advertised)
- Bread freshly baked on site daily
- Daily salad selection

ALLERGY INFORMATION:

If your child has an allergy or intolerance please ask a member of the catering team for information. If your child has a school lunch and has a food allergy or intolerance you will be asked to complete a form to ensure we have the necessary information to cater for your child. We use a large variety of ingredients in the preparation of our meals and due to the nature of our kitchens it is not possible to completely remove the risk of cross contamination.

Week 1
03/01/2022
14/01/2022
14/02/2022

Week 2
16/01/2022
31/01/2022

Week 3
17/01/2022
07/02/2022

Or a choice of Yogurt & fresh fruit available daily

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Cheese and Tomato Fizzo with Wedges

Vegetable Taghine with Couscous

Jacket Potato with Filling

Peas
Sweetcorn

Fruit Crumble with Custard

Option 1

Option 2

Option 3

Vegetables

Desert

Sausage & Mash

Roasted Cauliflower Curry with Rice

Jacket Potato with Filling

Carrots
Green beans

Lemon Drizzle Cake

Roast Pork with Roast Potatoes and Gravy

Roasted Quorn with Roast Potatoes and Gravy

Jacket Potato with Filling

Broccoli
Carrots

Chocolate Shortbread

Mediteranean Chicken with Rice

Vegetable Lasagne

Tomato soup with 1/2 sliced baguette

Sweetcorn
Savoy Cabbage

Peach Pudding with Custard

Roast Cornish with Roast Potatoes and Gravy

Mixed Vegetable Loaf with Roast Potatoes and Gravy

Jacket Potato with Filling

Sweeds
Broccoli

Fruity Shortbread

Vegetable Hotdog

Veggie Meatballs in Tomato Sauce with Rice

Jacket Potato with Filling

Broccoli
Sweetcorn

Ever Pudding with Custard

Option 1

Option 2

Option 3

Vegetables

Desert

Beef Burger with 1/2 Baked potato

Shepherd's Pie

Tomato Soup with filled baguette

Garden Peas
Carrots

Vanilla sponge with chocolate sauce

Chicken Pie with Mash and Potatoes

Vegetable Pasta Bake

Jacket Potato with Filling

Green Beans
Cauliflower

Pear and Chocolate crumble and Custard

Roast Cornish with Roast Potatoes and Gravy

Mixed Vegetable Loaf with Roast Potatoes and Gravy

Jacket Potato with Filling

Sweeds
Broccoli

Fruity Shortbread

MSC Fillet/Salmon with Chips and Tomato Sauce

Vegetable Pastry with Chips

Jacket Potato with Filling

Baked Beans
Garden Peas

Apple Flapjack

Chicken Pie with Mash and Potatoes

Vegetable Pasta Bake

Jacket Potato with Filling

Green Beans
Cauliflower

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Mixed Vegetable Loaf with Roast Potatoes and Gravy

Jacket Potato with Filling

Sweeds
Broccoli

Fruity Shortbread

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BBQ Quorn with Chips

Jacket Potato with Filling

Baked Beans
Garden Peas

Apple Flapjack