

Dear Parents/Carers

19th November 2021

Wow, week 3 is over already, and what a great week it has been in school. We had our first Open Day for September 2022 starters. The feedback we got from prospective families was brilliant, a huge thank you to Mrs Lacey, Miss Scholes, Mrs Chambers and the Zig Zag team for all their hard work. Our next Open Day is next Thursday 25th November by appointment only, please let all friends and relatives know.

Fundraising

I am so pleased to say that we raised a fantastic £174.10 for Children in Need last Friday. A huge thank you to everyone who donated. We have also had a lovely letter from the Foodbank thanking us for our donations from the Harvest Festival where we raised £49.30 as well as food donations. Well done everybody.

Christmas Tree Festival

You may have seen the beautiful Christmas decorations on the office window created by Mrs Cooney. Once again we have signed up to take part in the Brading Christmas Tree Festival at St Mary's church, and all children will be working on their own tree decoration in school – I am so excited to see what they come up with! The date of the Christmas Tree Festival is Friday 3rd December at 3pm, and all are welcome to see our beautiful tree and decorations on display over the weekend.

Christmas dinner & party lunch

We have set a date for our Christmas dinner, taking place on Monday 20th December. This will be available to pre-order on SchoolMoney from Monday 6th December. You will find the menu on the second page of the newsletter. The following day, Tuesday 21st December, we will be having a party lunch for all the children. There will be no cost to families for this and you do not need to order this through SchoolMoney. The kitchen will not be providing any other meals on this day, so if your child does not want the party food they will need to bring their own packed lunch in from home.

Sickness and diarrhoea

We seem to have had an increase in the number of sickness and/or diarrhoea since last week. Can I remind you that our current guidance is that children can return to school 48 hours after the last episode of sickness/diarrhoea. If you need clarification on this please call the office and they can advise when your child can return to school.

Online Safety

We have been made aware of a number of children playing games that are closely related to those seen on the South Korean TV show 'Squid Games'. As the programme is rated for 15 years + it is inappropriate for primary school children to be watching the series. Please be aware of the dangers of this TV program for your children and reinforce positive behaviours. A reminder to all parents/carers please ensure you are aware of the age restriction of any online or social media apps/websites. As parents/carers and school we have a duty of care to keep all children safe.

Have a lovely weekend and remember my door is always open.

Mrs Gilbert.

Plan a special family meal to have at home. Talk together to decide about what you are going to cook and when. Share jobs out between you. Someone might want to take responsibility for making sure you have the ingredients, someone might be able to lead on making the food, setting the table, even making menus. Enjoy celebrating your great teamwork by enjoying the meal together.

Reflection Questions

Getting Started: When do you find it easier or more difficult to work with others in a positive way?

Intermediate: Have you contributed to the group decision making?

Advanced: How can you encourage others to contribute?

Mastery: How might you help a team if someone was struggling to work together on the task?

 **Teamwork**

Dates for the diary:

Monday 22nd November – Malta class trip to IW Zoo

Tuesday 23rd November – Year 4 swimming @ The Heights Leisure Centre

Friday 3rd December – Mufti day for Lucky Dip prizes

Friday 10th December – Mufti day for Chocolate Tombola prizes

Wednesday 15th December – EYFS Nativity / KS1 Production

Friday 17th December – Mufti day for cakes

Christmas Fayre

Monday 20th December – Christmas Dinner

Tuesday 21st December – Christmas jumper mufti day

Party day & party lunch

Break up for Christmas Holidays (please note change of date)



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main option	Macaroni Cheese	Chicken Filo Pie	Roast Gammon	Beef Bolognese	Fish Fingers
Vegetarian option	Vegetable Burrito Wrap	BBQ Beans with Cornbread	Sweet Potato & Chickpea Roast	Butternut Squash and Tomato Bake with Rice	Veggie Nuggets
Comes with	Green Beans Sweetcorn	Peas Broccoli	Roast Potatoes Carrots Cabbage	Broccoli Sweetcorn	Chips Beans Peas
Dessert	Raspberry Ripple Ice Cream	Brownie	Shortbread Biscuit with Fruit Slices	Berry & Peach Oaty Crumble with Custard	Orange, Sultana & Carrot Cake Slice
Daily favourites include jacket potatoes with a choice of filling or tomato pasta					
Please order all lunches through our SchoolMoney online payment system					



FESTIVE MENU!



MAINS

£2.15

Roast Turkey with a Mini Pork Sausage
or
Roasted Vegetable & Cranberry Slice (v)
Served with Roast Potatoes, Carrots, Broccoli, Stuffing and Gravy



DESSERTS

Festive Chocolate Orange Brownie
or
Fruit Salad

DON'T FORGET! SCHOOL MEALS ARE FREE FOR ALL PUPILS IN RECEPTION, YEAR 1 OR YEAR 2.

PLEASE SPEAK TO YOUR SCHOOL FOR MORE INFORMATION AND TO SIGN UP TODAY!

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**SCHOOL LUNCHES ARE £2.15
SANDWICH/BAGUETTE FILLING
CHOICES ARE HAM, CHEESE OR
TUNA.**

PE DAYS – COME TO SCHOOL IN PE KIT

MONDAY – MALTA & GALAPAGOS
TUESDAY – MALTA & GALAPAGOS
WEDNESDAY – ZIG ZAG, ICELAND & JAMAICA
THURSDAY – MALDIVES & NEW ZEALAND
FRIDAY – ICELAND & JAMAICA

SNACK CHOICES ARE:

**TOAST – 25p
JUICE (APPLE / ORANGE) – 30p
MILK – 50p**

USEFUL INFORMATION

**BREAKFAST CLUB RUNS EVERY
MORNING FROM 7:45AM.**

**THIS MUST BE BOOKED AT LEAST A
WEEK IN ADVANCE AND IS £2.50 PER
CHILD PER SESSION.**

**PLEASE PICK UP A BOOKING FORM
FROM THE OFFICE.**

**ALL ABSENCES NEED TO BE
CONFIRMED IN WRITING EITHER
FILLING OUT ONE OF OUR SLIPS,
SENDING IN A NOTE FROM
HOME OR VIA EMAIL**

**WE OFFER AFTER SCHOOL CARE.
SESSIONS RUN FROM 2:30-4:00PM,
2:30-5:00PM OR 2:30-6:00PM.**

**THIS NEEDS TO BE BOOKED AT LEAST A
WEEK IN ADVANCE.**

**PLEASE PICK UP A BOOKING FORM
FROM THE OFFICE.**

**PLEASE MAKE SURE ALL
UNIFORM, PE KITS, LUNCH
BOXES AND WATER BOTTLES ARE
NAMED TO PREVENT THEM
FROM GETTING LOST.**

Update from Malta Class -

This week in Malta Class, we have had a science day learning about where all of the body parts belong. In geography, we were looking at the different climate zones. We learnt that we live in a temperate climate zone because we have cold winters and mild summers. Finally, to prepare for our visit to the zoo on

Monday, we have been watching the lions live on Webcam.



Congratulations to our Kindness Stars of the Week



WIN CHRISTMAS!

25 WIN

HUGE
FOOD HAMPER

LUXURY
CHRISTMAS TREE

TABLE & TREE
DECORATIONS

FESTIVE
DOOR WREATH

BUBBLY &
CHOCOLATE

LIGHTS, CANDLES
& STOCKINGS

- Give a little back by supporting our lottery
- Help boost school fundraising
- Tickets cost just £1 a week
- Weekly cash prizes, up to £25,000

To play now, go to:

www.yourschoollottery.co.uk

and search for: Brading



Supporters must be 16 years of age or older. Offer ends 11th Dec 2021. Terms and conditions apply (see website).

The Wight Brainy Bunch Christmas Market at Ryde Fire Station

Saturday 4th December 10am - 4pm

**Magical Grotto • Kids Craft Corner
Inflatable Snow Globe**

Turning on of Ryde Fire's Christmas Lights at 4pm

Live Entertainment

Seasonal Stalls

Festive Refreshments

