

Learning for Life

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Class Assembly

Year <u>3WA</u> are holding their class assembly next Friday, <u>31st March</u> at 9.10 am. All parents of these children are welcome to come and watch. Entrance to the hall will be via the Foundation Stage doors.

Year 1 Visit to Tiverton Museum

The children are very much looking forward to their visit tomorrow, where they will be visiting Tiverton Museum to support their learning about toys in the past. Children will need to bring a packed lunch and a drink (no glass bottles).

Year 2 Visit to St Marys Church

A reminder that Year 2 children are visiting the Church tomorrow. Please can all children in 2A and 2R wear their normal school uniform. They do not have PE on this day.

Homework Club

Homework Club will finish on the last week of the Spring term. For Years 4, 5 and 6 it will start again on the first week of the Summer term. There will be no Homework Club for Year 3 in the Summer term.

Uniform

From 17th April we are having to increase the prices of some of the uniform items as the manufacturer has increased their charge. Sweatshirts in sizes 24", 26", 28", 32" and 34" will be £10 and sweatshirt cardigans will be £11.50.

Red Nose Day 2023

The children and staff had a wonderful day on Friday, raising money for Red Nose Day. We're pleased to say we raised a fantastic £246.16. Well Done!

PTFA – The Willand School Bunny Hop!

A reminder that the PTFA Bunny Hop Fun Run around the playground is on Friday 31st March. If you have pre-collected any sponsorship money, please ask your child to bring this into school with their sponsor form. Many thanks for your support.

Y6 Dartmoor Residential

Just a reminder that the final instalment for the Dartmoor Residential is due on 30th March.

Walk or Cycle to School

Between 17th April and 12th May (18 school days) we are encouraging children to cycle or walk to make active journeys to school. Each day the children will record their travel and anyone who can achieve 14 out of the 18 days will receive a water bottle. Children who are cycling will need to have a cycle permit, details of which have been emailed out previously. If you do not live in the village so have to drive, you can still participate by parking further away and walking for part of your journey.

Holiday Activities and Food (HAF) Programme

The aim of the Holiday Activity and Food (HAF) programme is to support children to eat more healthily, be more active over the school holidays and have a greater knowledge of health and nutrition as well as be more engaged with school and other local services.

Priority places will be given to children aged 5-16 years (including 4-year-olds if in Reception) who are eligible for and receiving benefit related free school meals, and their families

See https://www.devon.gov.uk/educationandfamilies/document/haf-providers-easter-2023/ for more information and to book a place.

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EVENTS

Please see the noticeboard outside the school office for the following events

Willand Rovers FC are holding an Easter Fun Day on Sunday, 9th April, starting at 12noon.

Connecting the Culm Project are looking for volunteers to help with the Culm tree planting at Muddifords Farm on Friday, 24th and Saturday, 25th March. For further details please email lucy.jefferson@devon.gov.uk

Please note that we are unable to check on the validity of the companies or the people running the schemes, and if those working with children have the correct police checks.

Willand School Lunch Menu for week commencing Monday 27 March

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Pepperoni pizza	Chicken fajitas	Roast beef	Homemade Sausage Rolls	Fish Fingers
Cheese pizza	Quorn fajitas	Quorn sausage	Cauliflower Cheese	Vegetarian Fingers
Potato Wedges/ Pasta Sweetcorn Salad Bar	Rice/pasta Mixed vegetables Salad Bar	Roast/Mashed Potatoes Yorkshire pudding Fresh Carrots Gravy Salad Bar	Mashed Potato/Pasta Baked Beans Peas Salad Bar	Chips or Pasta Garden Seasonal vegetables Tomato sauce Salad Bar
Meringue nest, peaches and cream Fresh Fruit Yoghurt	Chocolate cake and chocolate sauce Fresh Fruit Yoghurt	Lime jelly and pineapple Fresh Fruit Yoghurt	Fruit Smoothie Cheese and Crackers Fresh Fruit Yoghurt	Homemade Cookie or ginger cake and cream Fresh Fruit Yoghurt

PASTA POTS with Italian tomato sauce, cheese, beans or tuna JACKET POTATO with cheese, beans or tuna WRAPS WITH FILLINGS: Ham, Chicken or Cheese

Keep safe and keep well Anne Hawkins Headteacher

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