



Headteacher's Introduction

We have had another great work of learning both in school and at home with the snow creating much excitement to Tuesday morning!

This week we have introduced group Google Meet Show and Tell sessions for our Early Years and Year 1 children. These were wonderful and such a success and it was lovely for the teachers and children to interact with one another. Next week, Year 2 - 6 will be beginning these group Google Meet sessions. These sessions will be run as a small group, giving all children a chance to share and interact. All information your child will need will be shared over Google Classroom, including the day and time of their session and what the focus of the session will be. We are all very much looking forward to these and how they will further enhance our home learning offer.

Mr Haynes & Mrs Innes

WisePAY & ParentPay

All children have been issued with a letter with log on details to create a new account for ParentPay. Thank you to those of you who have activated your account. All accounts with a credit on WisePAY will be transferred to Parent Pay, however if you have been sent a reminder to clear your debit, please can this be completed by Monday 8th February to assist with the transfer.

If you are wanting a new link sent to check your balance on WisePAY please email the office at office@hempland.pmat.academy

Staffing News

Mrs Caul has now started her maternity leave and will hopefully have a few weeks rest before her new arrival! We all wish her well and are looking forward to hearing exciting news soon and will of course share this with you.

Online Music Activities

This is a message from City of York music service:

I am pleased to announce that we are now running a new weekly online musical session with Diane Martin - called Musical Activities with Mrs. Martin - Body percussion and Rhythmic Fun and Games.

These sessions will be for 30 minutes every Thursday at 4.00pm starting this coming Thursday (11th February) and are FREE. (Sessions do not currently run in school holidays).

This information is also available on our [website](#)

Join on your computer or mobile app

[Click here to join the meeting](#)

Parent Governor Vacancy

We are looking for new parent governors for the Governing Body to help deliver Hempland's future. If this is of interest, or you would like to know more information, please contact Mr Haynes who will provide more information.



Starting Primary School in September 2021

The following message is from City of York Council Admissions Team:

If you have a child born between 01 September 2016 and 31 August 2017, they are due to start primary school in September 2021. If you have not yet made a school application or contacted the Admission Team, please do so as soon as possible. The closing date for applications was 15 January 2021.

Applications can be made at <http://www.york.gov.uk/schooladmissions>

If there is a reason why you have not made an application, for example, you are planning to move out of the area or you are applying to an independent school, we must be informed and we will amend our records accordingly. Parents/carers will log into their Parent Portal account on 16th April 2021 to find out your child's allocated primary school. Please make sure that you know your username (email) and password for Parent Portal before 16th April 2021.

If you would like further information about the school admissions process please contact us at education@york.gov.uk

Menu

Please see below the menu for the first two weeks back after half term. Please remember to send choices through to the office by 4pm Thursday of the week before. Thank you.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
w/c 22nd February				
Macaroni Cheese	Sausage, Mashed Potato & Gravy	Roast Chicken with Yorkshire Pudding, Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Chicken Korma with rice	Battered Fish and Chips with Tomato Ketchup
Jacket potato with Cheese	Jacket potato with Beans	Quorn Sausage Mashed Potato & Gravy	Jacket potato with Cheese	Jacket potato with Beans
Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables
Oat and Raisin Cookie	Fruit & Chocolate Pinwheel (50%)	Jelly & Peaches	Marble Cake with Custard	Berry Muffin
w/c 29th February				
Beef Pasta Bolognese with Garlic Bread	Margarita Pizza & Pot Wedges	Pork Sausage with Yorkshire Pudding, Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Beef Burger in a Bun with Wedges	Fish Fingers and Chips with Tomato Ketchup
Jacket potato with Beans	Jacket potato with Cheese	Quorn Sausage Toad in the Hole, Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Quorn Burger in a Bun with Wedges	Jacket potato with Beans
Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables	Seasonal Vegetables
Iced Cake	Orange Drizzle Cake	(50%) Ice Cream & Fruit Compote	Jam Roly Poly Custard	Chocolate Sponge and Chocolate Sauce