



The Weekly Bulletin

2nd December 2020

Christmas Performance

We are putting together some Christmas performances for parents which will be recorded and put on the school YouTube channel. We will be following the normal permission list, so if you have said you would rather your child didn't go on the website or social media, they will not be part of the recording. If you wish to change your mind just for the Christmas performance please contact the office.



Fence work

KCC are currently planning to put in a new fence and remove trees over on the side that has the temporary fencing. They're planning to do this work in January. We do not have an exact date yet but when we do we will tell you. The path will be out of use for six weeks.



Christmas cards

This year the children can only send Christmas cards to people in their bubble/class. These will be held in the classroom and sorted in class. Please be mindful about licking envelopes.

Kent Messenger Teacher of the Year

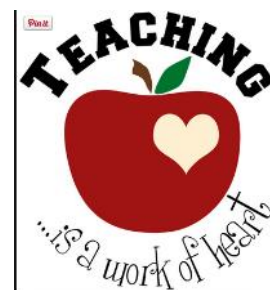


Do you know anyone going above and beyond at your local school or college? Then please nominate them in the Teacher of the Year Awards 2021! 📧 Parents, students, and colleagues can tell us all about their community's unsung heroes here:



www.kmcharityteam.co.uk/TOTY

There are categories for every role from leaders, teachers and support staff to volunteers and teams. Go on, make their day!



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Reading with your Child

Developing Reading Skills:

Each of the boxes on the following page develop a particular skill when reading. These include different styles of questions and are similar to those your child will encounter when undertaking comprehension questions in their Accelerated Reader quizzes and in formal written comprehension assessments in Years 2 to 6.

You may want to begin by asking a couple of questions from one or two of the boxes; try to vary the question types, for example one day you may ask questions about Author Technique Questions and the next night you may use Retrieval Questions and Layout and Organisation Questions.

Retrieval Questions

The answers are right there in what has been read, they just have to be found.

Questions you could ask your child:

Where did the story / event take place?

When did the story take place?

Who are the key characters in the story?

What did he/she/ it look like?

What happened first in the story, how did it end?

Read the part of the story that tells me about...?

Can you find the part when...?

What does the word ... mean?

Inference and Deduction Questions

These are more challenging as the answer is not as obvious; it has to be worked out based on what your child has read and they need to use clues in the text. For example: If your child reads "the boy dragged his feet and slumped his shoulders on the way home" can your child deduce that the character is feeling sad?

Questions you could ask your child:

What words tell you that he is...?

How do you feel about what happens? Why?

What evidence is there that the character felt angry /sad /disappointed /excited /etc ...?

Why do you think he/she behaved in that way?

What sort of person do you think that character is after reading his/her description?

Predict what you think is going to happen. Why do you think that?

Did one of the characters change the story line? How? Why do you think that?

Look at the paragraph beginning ... What impressions of ... do you get? Why?

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Author Technique Questions

Can your child tell you the overall effect the author has created for the reader from their writing? **Questions you could ask your child:**

I wonder why the author has decided to describe the character like that. What do you think?

Why do you think the author chose this setting and described it in this way?

What makes this a good story? Why do you think that?

What is the author trying to tell you about ...?

Why do you think the author has written that sentence in that way? What effect do you think he is trying to have on the reader?

What does the description of this character tell us about how the character is feeling?

I wonder why the author described the character like that, what do you think?

Layout and Organisation Questions

Can your child explain why the text has been set out in a certain way? E.g. why has the author used numbers in a set of instructions?

Questions you could ask your child:

What kind of text is this (fiction, non-fiction, information, narrative) How do you know?

What would you expect to find in a text like this?

Why has this picture been used here?

Why have these words been made to stand out?

Why are these words in italics?

Why are some parts of the text in boxes?

What are the sub-headings for?

What do the arrows tell you?

Term Dates for next Academic Year 2020-2021

Term 2

Monday 2nd November- Fri 18th December

Term 3

Mon 4th January – Fri 12th February

Term 4

Mon 22nd February - Thurs 1st April

Term 5

Mon 19th April – Fri 28th May

(INSET day Friday 28th May)

Term 6

Monday 7th June- Wed 21st July

(INSET day Friday 9th July)

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School clubs Term 2

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Breakfast Club 8am	Breakfast Club 8 am	Breakfast Club 8 am	Breakfast Club 8 am	Breakfast Club 8 am
Fees payable £2.50	Fees payable £2.50	Fees payable £2.50	Fees payable £2.50	Fees payable £2.50
See below	See below	See below	See below	See below
Sports Hall Athletics	Sports Taster	Racket Club	Street Dance	Street Dance
Yrs 5 & 6	(Curling, Boccia, Hockey)	Yrs 5 & 6	Yrs 1 & 2	Yrs 3 & 4
Mr Holliday	Yrs 1 & 2	Mr Holliday	Miss Jenna	Miss Jenna
3:15-4:30	Mr Holliday	3:15-4:30	3:15-4:15	3:15-4:15
No fees payable	3:15-4:30	Fees payable £6 term	Fees payable	Fees payable
Tbc after lockdown	Fees payable £6 term	Tbc after lockdown	Tbc after lockdown	Tbc after lockdown
	Tbc after lockdown			
Toastie club 3:15-5:30	Toastie Club 3:15-5:30	Toastie club 3:15-5:30	Toastie club 3:15-5:30	Toastie club 3:15-5:30
Fees payable £5.75	Fees payable £5.75	Fees payable £5.75	Fees payable £5.75	Fees payable £5.75
See below	See below	See below	See below	See below

Breakfast and Toastie Club

Unfortunately we are unable to offer a refund if your child does not attend a session as we would have already arranged staff cover (unless the cancellation is made in writing by 9am Friday of the preceding week).

Fees need to be paid in advance by Parent Pay or Pay Point. No Toastie Club last day of term

Dates for your diary

Friday 27th November: Deadline for year 6 hoodie orders

Monday 30th November: Deadline for orders for Christmas dinner

Friday 11th December: School Christmas Dinner and Jumper Day



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WEEK ONE - 31st AUG, 28th SEPT, 2nd NOV, 30th NOV, 11th JAN, 8th FEB

MONDAY

Panini Bakes 1.7 v
Shepherdess Pie 9 v
New Potatoes
Sweetcorn
Carrot Sticks
Peaches & Custard 7
Mr Nourish Orange
Biscuit 1
Fruit Pots

TUESDAY

Chicken Pie 1
Cheese, Tomato & Herb Potpie 1.7 v
Mashed Potatoes
Seasonal Vegetables
Ice Cream 7
Mr Nourish Orange
Biscuit 1
Fruit Pots

WEDNESDAY

Roast Pork & Bacon
Frieder Bakes in Tomato Sauce 9
Rustic Roast Potatoes
Biscuit
Diced Carrots
Mandarin
Doritos Cakes 1.5
Mr Nourish Orange
Biscuit 1
Fruit Pots & Yoghurt 7

THURSDAY

Chicken & Coconut Curry 6
Cheesy Fusilli 1.7 v
Rice
Sliced Carrots
Green Beans
Chocolate Twist 1.7
Fruit Pots & Yoghurt 7

FRIDAY

Fish Fingers 1.0 or Salmon Fish Cake 1.0
Bean & Beet Burger 4 9/10
Chips
Corry Cole Slaw 9
Peas
Apricot Cookie 1.6.15
Fruit Pots & Yoghurt 7

Some of our schools may use pre-prepped potatoes or vegetables on occasions. These may contain sulphites and celeriac. Please discuss with your manager.

WEEK TWO - 7th SEPT, 5th OCT, 9th NOV, 7th DEC, 10th JAN

MONDAY

Macaroni Cheese 1.7 v
Rice & Bean Burrito 1 9/10
Garlic Bread 1.3.7.9
Runner Beans
Sliced Carrots
Ice Cream 7
Mr Nourish Shortbread 1
Fruit Pots

TUESDAY

Homemade Sausage Roll 1.5
Quorn Sausage 1.7.9.16 v
Mashed Potato
Cauliflower, Carrots
Baked Beans
Banana & Chocolate Custard 7
Mr Nourish Shortbread 1
Fruit Pots

WEDNESDAY

Roast Chicken & Gravy
Roast Pepper & Beans Parcel 1 9/10
Rustic Roast Potatoes
Seasonal Vegetables
Crispie Cake 1.15
Mr Nourish Shortbread 1
Fruit Pots & Yoghurt 7

THURSDAY

Mexican Rice 4
Tomato Basil Bake 1.2
Rice
Broccoli
Carrots
Homemade Hobnob
Apple & Orange
Yoghurt 7

FRIDAY

Pizza Bar -
Mediterranean 1.3.9
Homemade 1.3.9 v
Chips
Peas
Corry
Coleslaw 9
Fruit Pots & Yoghurt 7

- 1 Wheat Gluten
- 2 Crustaceans
- 3 Soybean
- 4 Mustard
- 5 Sesame
- 6 Sulphites/Sulphur Dioxide
- 7 Milk

FRIDAY

Chicken Bouillons 1
Bruschetta 1.7 v
Chips
Baked Beans
Peas
Carrot Sticks
Ginger
Cookie 1.5
Fruit Pots & Yoghurt 7

Available Daily:
Jacket Potatoes with a Choice of Toppings 7.0.9
Selection of Salads 9
Homemade Bread 1.3.7.9.
Key: Vg Vegan
V Vegetarian

- 8 Fish
- 9 Egg
- 10 Peanuts
- 11 Molluscs
- 12 Celery/Celery
- 13 Nuts
- 14 Lupins
- 15 Out Gluten
- 16 Barley Gluten

WEEK THREE - 14th SEPT, 12th OCT, 10th NOV, 14th DEC, 25th JAN

MONDAY

Soury Quorn & Vegetable
Mince with Yorkshire
Pudding 1.2.9 v
Vegetarian Sausage Roll 1.16 9/10
Mashed Potato
Baked Beans
Green Beans
Carrots
Homemade Hobnob
Bread 1.2.9 v
Ice Cream 7
Mr Nourish Orange
Biscuit 1
Fruit Pots

TUESDAY

Chicken Steak & Dumplings 1
Cheesy Potpie 1.7 v
Sweetcorn
Carrot Sticks
Chocolate Rice Pudding 7
Mr Nourish Orange
Biscuit 1
Fruit Pots

WEDNESDAY

Roast Chicken & Gravy
Chick Peas & Beans
Vegetable Lot 9 v
Mashed Potatoes
Diced Carrots
Cabbage
New Potatoes
Herb Potpie 1 9/10
Mince
Beef Pie 1
Tomato & Sweetcorn

THURSDAY

Fish Fingers 1.0
Roasted Vegetable
Fritrito 7.9 v
Chips
Peas
Baked Beans
Corry
Carrot Sticks
Doritos
Biscuit 1.5
Fruit Pots & Yoghurt 7

THURSDAY

Bolognese Mince 1
Cauliflower 8
Chick Peas
Zesty 9/10
Rice
Seasonal Vegetables
Ginger
Orange
Yoghurt 7

WEDNESDAY

Roast Chicken & Bacon
Quorn Sausage & Beans
Rustic Roast Potatoes
Spring Beans
Diced Carrots
Fruit Jelly
Mr Nourish Orange
Biscuit 1
Fruit Pots & Yoghurt 7

TUESDAY

Cottage Pie
Tomato & Sweetcorn
Fusilli 1 9/10
Sliced Carrots
Broccoli
Apple Crumble 1
& Custard 7
Mr Nourish Orange
Biscuit 1
Fruit Pots

MONDAY

Margherita Pizzzo 1.3.2.9 v
Taru Biryani 3 9/10
New Potatoes
Sweetcorn
Grated Carrots
Strawberry Whip 7
Mr Nourish Orange
Biscuit 1
Fruit Pots