



NOTLEY GREEN
PRIMARY SCHOOL

Weekly Update

After lots of market research, the children have begun to plan and make their DT products and we are very much looking forward to sharing these with parents at our DT afternoon on the 8th February.

Today we held our SEND tea and chat, and it was so lovely to see so many of our parents join us. Thank you for warmly welcoming Mrs Christian, our new SENCO, who will be joining us permanently after the Easter holidays.

Mrs Hume



This week in pictures: Year 2 enjoyed a lesson at the Church. Reverend Rachel taught them about different types of Baptisms where children took on roles of parents and Godparents as they learnt about the different features of the Church that are involved in a Baptism ceremony.



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Learning Links

Home learning:

[Notley Green Primary School - Home learning links \(compassps.uk\)](https://compassps.uk)

Autumn term knowledge organisers:

[Notley Green Primary School - Knowledge Organisers \(compassps.uk\)](https://compassps.uk)

Yearly overviews:

[Notley Green Primary School - Curriculum \(compassps.uk\)](https://compassps.uk)

Little Wandle Phonics scheme parent support page:

[For parents - Letters and Sounds \(littlewandlelettersandsounds.org.uk\)](https://littlewandlelettersandsounds.org.uk)

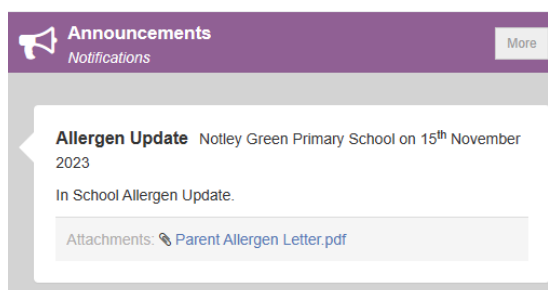
School notices

Office opening times 8.30am-3.45pm or email: nqcontact@compassps.uk

Change in Communication



You may have noticed that some notifications and letters have been added to the announcements page on your My Child at School (MCAS) app.



Over the next few weeks will be using this as a way to send communication to parents in addition to emails.



We are hopeful that from after Half Term we will only be using the announcements page for general communication.

Correspondence sent home this week



- Parents workshop flyer
- DT open afternoon email
- MiniMe Course (Send)



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	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Parking and car park letter• Revision guides email
School Council Message 	<p>Notley Green's dedicated School Council Reps have been busy both collecting feedback from their peers and reporting back key messages to their respective classes to help promote student voice.</p> <p>Last term, the School Council Reps worked collaboratively to consider how to continue to encourage all community members to make the right choice and place their litter in the bin. They have created a litter poster competition and are establishing the final details of the project. They will be launching this exciting project in assembly soon.</p> <p>Most recently, the School Council Reps created a survey to gather information on what is working well with our student lunches, as well as allowing children to offer suggestions. In addition to gaining student voice with the school dinners, our proactive reps have been asking their classmates what playground equipment might make playtime even better.</p> <p>Thank you!</p>
RE Lessons 	<p>We are reviewing our RE lessons and would love to make them more memorable for our children.</p> <p>If you would be happy to come into school to talk to a group of children about your religion please let Mrs Amato or Mrs Dann know.</p>
Reception Parents Message 	<p>Please can you ensure that your child's learning card, reading book and yellow reading record are sent to school in their book bags every day.</p> <p>As we are now reading in groups it can be challenging when the children do not bring their books in due to a limited number of copies. We would also like to remind you that you should be reading with your child 5 times a week at home. This can be their phonics reading book, their picture book from the book corner or a book from home. Please ensure that this is written in your child's yellow book.</p> <p>We would like to ask that alongside reading the tricky words in your child's learning card, that you begin to encourage them to</p>



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	spell these too. Please continue to share any learning or exciting experiences on Tapestry.
Trading Cards 	<p>Can we please remind parents that trading cards should not be brought into school at any time, including wraparound care.</p> <p>If these are found in school, they may be confiscated.</p>
Wet Play Boxes 	<p>We are in the process of making up some wet play boxes for each year and would welcome any donations to fill the boxes.</p> <p>Please bring in any unwanted games, jigsaws, arts and crafts, fidget toys etc.</p>

WINTER MENU

W/C 6/11/23, 27/11/23, 18/12/23, 8/1/24, 29/1/24, 26/2/24, 18/3/24, 8/4/24

Our Tasty Menu 2

Code		Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
H	Hot Option 1	Macaroni cheese V, VE, GF, MF, EF options	Coconut chicken curry with Rice GF, MF, EF, SF Options available	Roast Beef GF MF, EF options	Sausage or bacon bap GF, MF, EF options	Fish finger and chips V, VE, GF, MF, EF options
V	Hot Option 2	Tomato pasta bake V, VE, GF, MF, EF options	Jacket potato with various toppings V, VE, GF, MF, EF options	Vegan sausage roll V, VE, MF, EF options	Vegan sausage bap V, VE, GF, MF, EF options	Quorn dippers and chips V, VE, GF, MF, EF options
	Side Dishes	Salad bar	Salad bar	Roast potatoes, Yorkshire pudding, seasonal vegetables and gravy	Salad bar	Sweetcorn and salad bar
P	Cold Option 1	Cheese and tomato wrap V, VE, GF, MF, EF options	Ham and cucumber sandwich GF, MF, EF options	Cheese baguette V, VE, GF, MF, EF options	Ham pasta GF, MF, EF options	Chicken and mint yoghurt wrap V, VE, GF, MF, EF options
F	Cold Option 2	Tuna and sweetcorn wrap GF, MF options	Egg mayo and cress sandwich V, GF, MF options	Tuna baguette GF, MF options	Cheese pasta V, VE, GF, MF, EF options	Tuna mayo wrap GF, MF options
	Dessert	Fruit Platter	Fruity flapjacks	Chocolate beetroot cake	Yoghurts	Jelly pots

V=VEGETARIAN
VE=VEGAN
GF=GLUTEN FREE
MF=MILK FREE
EF=EGG FREE

Our salad bars contain various items such as cucumber slices, carrot sticks, tomatoes, orange slices, melon, olives, pickles, bread, pasta shapes and potatoes. We vary the salad bars every day to include as many options as possible. All children having school lunches have access to the salad bar, fresh milk and fresh fruit each day

COMPASS

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DIARY DATES

DATE	LOCATION/EVENT/TIME
4 January	Return to school
1 February	Bag2School 9am/Drop Off
5 February	E-Safety Week
6 February	SLT Cuppa and Chat 9-10am in the Main Hall
6 February	Safer Internet Day
7 February	Year 2 Duxford Trip
8 February	DT learning celebration and evaluation - parents welcome 2-3pm in the classroom As per email sent 22 January
9 February	School Disco - <i>Details TBC</i>
12 February	Termly Learning Conference 3.30-6pm in the Main Hall
14 February	Valentines Bake Sale FoNGS 3.15pm
15 February	Termly Learning Conference 4:30-7pm in the Main Hall
16 February	Last day of half term
26 February	Return to school
1 March	FoNGS Bingo 7.45pm
4 - 8 March	Usborne Book Fair
5 March	SEND Cuppa and Chat 2-3pm in the Main Hall
7 March	World Book Day – Favourite story character dress up
21 March	Year 3 Museum of Power Trip
27 March	Art Gallery – <i>Details TBC</i>
28 March	Easter Egg Hunt FoNGS 3.15pm
28 March	Last day of Term Easter Church Service for children
15 April	Return to school
19 June	Sports day
17 July	Performing arts day