

A note from the Head

As parents and carers, I am sure you will be delighted to hear how well the children are focusing on their learning despite the heat, or indeed in between the down-pours.

Most year groups have been taking their NFER tests this week. We use these tests, not only to gauge children's academic attainment but also to provide an opportunity for them to recall information, the retrieval of which helps to strengthen their knowledge across subjects. Well done to all of them for their considerable efforts. These results help our teachers who are busy writing reports to parents at the moment and all but the year 6 ones are due to be out next week.

This is a particularly active time of year; our Year 6s are preparing for transition to secondary school, sports day is coming up and there are still trips/residentials and forest school to plan for. With this in mind, the children are getting together today for a whole school sports day practise. This is traditionally a great event, the older children helping the younger ones and all having fun. Our Year 6s have also been involved in team building this week during NFERs – they have been planning a theme park which involves advertising, maintenance of equipment, budgeting and planning a launch. Our younger children in reception have been learning about Growing Up and in years 1 and 2 about the impact that both Florence Nightingale and Mary Seacole had on nursing which has led to some interesting class discussion.

Luckily, it stayed dry enough...for long enough... on Wednesday morning so that FOKNs could meet on the front playground as part of their planning for the school fair. I am very grateful for the work they are undertaking for the benefit of all of our children – thank you. I know they would be grateful of any help on the day, so do please lend a hand if you are able, it promises to be a wonderful event.

Have a lovely weekend

Mrs S Manning

Deputy Headteacher

DIARY DATES

W/C 26TH JUNE



Saturday 24th June	<ul style="list-style-type: none">◆ Deadline for booking school meals and before school club on the Gateway for w/c 3rd July
Monday 26th June	<ul style="list-style-type: none">◆ PE Lesson: Class 2◆ Forest School Class 1
Tuesday 27th June	<ul style="list-style-type: none">◆ PE lessons: Class 1
Wednesday 28th June	<ul style="list-style-type: none">◆ From 9.15am -11.00am Preschool Stay & Play Beach Party◆ Class 1 Bude Beach Trip - Payment Deadline on Gateway
Thursday 29th June	<ul style="list-style-type: none">◆ PE lessons: Class 2◆ Year 3 Climbing & Camping Residential - 8:45/9am Drop off at Winkleigh◆ FOKNS Ice Lollies - From 3:30pm
Friday 30th June	<ul style="list-style-type: none">◆ PE lessons today: Class 1◆ Year 3 Climbing & Camping Residential - 2pm collection at Winkleigh◆ Yr 6 Surf Residential - Payment Deadline on Gateway◆ Yr 4 Escot residential - Payment Deadline on Gateway
Saturday 1st July	<ul style="list-style-type: none">◆ Booking school meals and before school club on the Gateway W/C 10th July

Emails sent this week: Spellings, School Meal Parent Survey, Summer Fete (FOKN), Kit list Yr 4, Consent forms,

LITTLE WOODLANDS

NEWS FROM THE PRESCHOOL



Preschool

This week has whizzed by!

We have enjoyed lots of fish themed activities including; large scale paintings of sea creatures, sparkly fish collages, making fish shaped pizzas and as part of our maths this week we rolled a dice, counted the spots and added that amount of fish to our bucket. We have enjoyed the story 'The fish who could wish' the children then thought about what they'd like to wish for!



On Wednesday we did some practising for sports day in and out of the rain showers!

Have a wonderful weekend.

Mrs Stapley and the Preschool team



THE LEARNING ZONE

SHARING OUR LEARNING AND A MESSAGE FROM THE TEACHERS



Class 1

This week we have been to Forest School for our second day. We had an amazing time trying to light cotton pads, working as a team to build a fantastic den, as well as making pancakes and flags. Thank you to Mrs Blacker for all her hard work to enable us to do this! This week, Reception have been learning about the life cycle of a human and thinking about how they will change as they grow up and what things they will be able to do in the future. During Maths activities, they have been learning about grouping and sharing. They have been doing this practically, using a wide variety of objects.

In English, Year 1 and 2 have started their own story in the style of our sequence text. They have planned their story independently by thinking of whom their main character will be, what this person will be doing and what they will need to go back and collect. In Maths, Year 1 have completed their work on fractions and started their new unit of work on place value within 100. Year 2 have started a unit of work on statistics. They have been making and interpreting tally charts and pictograms.

In other lessons, the children have been learning about Mary Seacole and her significance to nursing, practising for Sports Day in PE, learning about how and where Muslims pray and investigating our sense of hearing using a musical instrument.

Have a great weekend and we will see you at Forest School on Monday.



Mrs Godly



FRIENDS OF KINGS NYMPTON EVENT



Charity Number: 1060471

Summer Fete

Saturday July 1st
1pm till 4pm

Join us for fun, games and summer fun!

Bouncy Castle
Real life unicorn!
Garden games

Pimms o'clock
Afternoon tea
Icecream

Plant sale
Tombola and raffle
Table-top-sale



PRESCHOOL NEWS



STAY & PLAY
SUMMER BEACH PARTY
AT PRESCHOOL
WEDNESDAY 28TH JUNE 2023
9AM TILL 11AM

STAY & PLAY

THE WOODLAND FEDERATION
KINGS NYMPTON
Primary School

PRESCHOOL NEWS



KINGS NYMPTON
Preschool
Kings Nympton, EX37 9ST
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Wednesdays, term time,
from 9.15-11.30am
A friendly session for
babies, toddlers and
their parents/carers
All welcome

SPRING/SUMMER MENU

17th April 2023 to 19th July 2023



Week ONE

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Option 1	Freshly Prepared Margarita Pizza	The Norse Beef Burger in a Bap with Homemade Salsa	Roast Chicken with Stuffing	Freshly Prepared Beef Bolognaise	Battered Fish Fillet
Option 2 (V)	Quorn Burger in a Bap with Relish	Quorn Hot Dog in roll with Relish	Freshly Prepared Vegetable Lentil Loaf	Mediterranean Vegetable Bolognaise	Vegetable Fingers
Sides	Baked Beans Crunchy Salad Herby Diced Potatoes	Sweetcorn, Homemade Coleslaw, Jacket Potato Wedges	Fresh Broccoli Fresh Carrots Roast or New Potatoes & Gravy	Green Beans Wholewheat Spaghetti & Crusty Bread	Baked Beans or Crunchy Vegetable Sticks Wholemeal Pasta or Chips
And for pudding	Flapplejack	Apple & Cinnamon Muffin	Organic Pip Ice Lolly	Chocolate Surprise Brownie	Homemade Custard Biscuit
Jacket Potato	Beans	Cheese			Tuna Mayo
Packed Lunch			Tuna Mayo & Cucumber Wrap	Cheese & Salad Sandwich	Ham & Salad Baguette
Available each day	Freshly Prepared Salad, Bread and Drinking Water. Fresh Fruit or Organic Yoghurt available as a pudding alternatives				
Week starting:	17/04/23—08/05/23—05/06/23—26/06/23—17/07/23—18/09/23—09/10/23				

Week TWO

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Option 1	Freshly Prepared Mac & Cheese	Lemon Herb Chicken	Honey Roast Gammon & Pineapple	Norse's Butchers Sausages	Fishtastic Wrap
Option 2 (V)	Freshly Prepared Roasted Vegetables Pasta Bake	Homity Pie	Homemade Cheese & Leek Parcels	Vegetarian Sausages	Halloumi Pizzola
Sides	Green Beans, Fresh Sliced Carrots, & Crusty Bread	New Potatoes, Green Salad or Corn on the cob	Fresh Broccoli Fresh Carrots Roast or New Potatoes & Gravy	Baked Beans, Tomatoes & Hash Browns	Baked Beans or Crunchy Vegetable Sticks Wholemeal Pasta or Chips
And for pudding	Berry Pancakes	Summer Fruit Salad	Gelato (Arctic Roll)	Chocolate Mousse	Organic Pip Ice Lolly
Jacket Potato		Tuna Mayo		Cheese	Beans
Packed Lunch	Egg Mayo & Cress Sandwich		Fish Finger Roll		Ham & Salad Sandwich
Available each day	Freshly Prepared Salad, Bread and Drinking Water. Fresh Fruit or Organic Yoghurt available as a pudding alternatives				
Week starting:	24/04/23—15/05/23—12/06/23—03/07/23—04/09/23—25/09/23—16/10/23				

Week Three

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Option 1	Homemade Cheese Wheels	Meatballs in Tomato Sauce	Roast Loin of Pork & Apple Sauce	Bubble Salmon	Fish Fingers
Option 2 (V)	Quorn Sausages	Veggie Balls in Tomato Sauce	Veggie Roast	Vegetable Enchilada	Sweet Potato, Spinach & Feta Frittata
Sides	Baked Beans, Peas & Herby Diced Potatoes	Green Beans, Wholewheat Spaghetti & Crusty Bread	Fresh Broccoli Fresh Carrots Roast or New Potatoes & Gravy	Stir fry Vegetables & Potato Salad	Baked Beans or Crunchy Vegetable Sticks Wholemeal Pasta or Chips
And for pudding	Orange & Sultana Oaty Cookie	Chocolate Cracknel	Fruit Jelly	Lemon Drizzle Cake	Organic Pip Ice Lolly
Jacket Potato	Cheese	Tuna Mayo		Beans	
Packed Lunch			Tuna Mayo & Salad Sandwich	Jays Sausage Roll & Veggie Sticks	Ham & Salad Baguette
Available each day	Freshly Prepared Salad, Bread and Drinking Water. Fresh Fruit or Organic Yoghurt available as a pudding alternatives				
Week starting:	01/05/23—22/05/23—19/06/23—10/07/23—11/09/23—02/10/23				

ATTENDANCE



UK Health
Security
Agency



Should I keep my child off school?

Yes

Until...

Chickenpox	at least 5 days from the onset of the rash and until all blisters have crusted over
Diarrhoea and Vomiting	48 hours after their last episode
Cold and Flu-like illness (including COVID-19)	they no longer have a high temperature and feel well enough to attend. Follow the national guidance if they've tested positive for COVID-19.
Impetigo	their sores have crusted and healed, or 48 hours after they started antibiotics
Measles	4 days after the rash first appeared
Mumps	5 days after the swelling started
Scabies	they've had their first treatment
Scarlet Fever	24 hours after they started taking antibiotics
Whooping Cough	48 hours after they started taking antibiotics

No

but make sure you let their school or nursery know about...

Hand, foot and mouth	Glandular fever
Head lice	Tonsillitis
Threadworms	Slapped cheek



Advice and guidance

To find out more, search for health protection in schools or scan the QR code or visit <https://qrco.de/minfoc>.



Families with children in Class 1 who are eligible are encouraged to apply as the funding is in addition to Universal Free School Meals!

If your circumstances have changed and you are now in receipt of one or more of the following:

- Universal credit (provided you have a net income of £7400 or less)
- Income support
- Income-based jobseekers' allowance
- Income-related employment and support allowance
- Support under Part IV of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- The guaranteed element of state pension credit
- Child tax credit, provided that you are not also entitled to working tax credit and have an annual gross income of £16,190 or less

You may be eligible for pupil premium funding for Kings Nympton Primary School, which entitles your child/ren to receive Free School Meals.

It takes less than a minute to apply.

Visit the Citizen Portal Devon

https://oneonline.devon.gov.uk/CCsCitizenPortal_LIVE

or call the Education Helpline on 0345 155 1019.

If eligible, please send a screenshot of your confirmation to admin@kingsnympton.devon.sch.uk