



## Greenhead CE Primary School Newsletter

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### Mrs Hancock & Miss Reynold's Menu w/c 25/6/18

(Please note – this menu may be subject to change)

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Pasta Bolognaise, Bread & Peas	Chicken Curry, Couscous, Sweetcorn & Naan Bread	Gammon & Pineapple. New Potatoes & Beans	Beef Enchiladas, ½ Jacket Potato & Salad	Fish, Chips & Mushy Peas
Strawberry Muffin Cake	Raspberry Cheesecake	Flapjack	Jelly & Ice Cream	Chocolate Brownie & Milkshake
Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt



### Stars of the Week



Reception – Lily for trying hard with her independent writing

Class 1 – Jess for a great effort in her Maths converting time from hours to minutes

Class 2 – Imogen for her beautiful detailed drawing of an insect

Virtues & Values Award – Anabella for courage when she fell over in the playground

Headteacher's Award – Molly for trying so hard with her reading, for not giving up and persevering to get to the next level! Well done Molly!

### Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> June - Federation Sport and Science day

The science based activities will be focused around healthy eating. The children will be taking part in a range of activities including making healthy snacks and they will have the opportunity to make their own healthy pizzas..

They will also be working with a sports coach and taking part in a kick rounders and kwik cricket tournament in their team colours.

Please return the permission slip if you have not already done so.

### Attendance w/c 18/6/18

Reception	90%
Year 1	100%
Year 2	84%
Year 3	100%
Year 4	93.3%
Year 5	88.6%
Overall	92.4%

### Wednesday 11<sup>th</sup> July, Summer Fair

We would like to invite you all to our end of term Summer Fair. There will be a range of stalls, activities, a raffle and face painting.

Tickets are on sale in the school office for the cost of £3 per person which includes a choice of burger, hotdog or veggie sausage, a drink and a piece of tray baked cake.

We would appreciate any donations for our Summer Fair hamper. Hope to see you all there!

## Learning Achievements

**Reception:** we have been writing letters to Little Miss Muffet to explain that she shouldn't be scared of spiders. In Maths we have been looking at using different equipment to solve take away calculations.

**Class 1:** we have been creating our own seed packet for our own flower creation and we have been continuing our Maths work on time.

**Class 2:** have been learning all about deadly bugs and beasts. They then used this new knowledge to create a comic strip. 'Who lives in a home like this' was the focus of our Science lesson with the children matching the mini beast to their habitat. Angles, quadrilaterals, parallel and perpendicular lines were drawn and identified in Maths lessons throughout the week. Looking closely through a magnifying glass at Charles Darwin's pencil sketches of mini beasts allowed the children to recreate them with fantastic results.

For more information please look on our website and Facebook page.

## Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> July - Federation trip to South Shields

The children will be visiting the beach at South Shields as an end of year treat to enjoy some time with their peers and to take part in a mini rounders tournament. The 'Friends' have kindly paid for the cost of the bus.

The children will need sensible footwear, a towel, sun-cream, a filled water bottle, a sunhat/cap and a waterproof coat just in case! This will be a non-uniform day so the children can dress for the beach i.e. shorts and t shirt.

Your child can have a packed lunch provided by school if they wish (£2.30 for Years 3, 4 & 5). Please complete and return the permission slip. We expect to return for 4.30pm (to be confirmed).

## School Games Mark

We are delighted to learn that we have been awarded a Gold Award from School Games for our sporting activities. Our range of sporting opportunities, After School clubs, participation at tournaments, specialised coaching and staff training have all been contributory factors. If we can gain the award for three years in a row we will be awarded platinum status (only three schools in the North East have achieved this!)

## GDPR

**If you have not already done so, please complete the GDPR pack that was sent out over 3 weeks ago and return to the school office as we are unable to publish information on the website or Facebook page without it. We would also ask that you return the consent form concerning the school dog.**

Please can you also ensure that any permission slips are returned promptly – it is very time consuming when reminders have to be sent.

## Parent Lunch

A reminder that you are invited to join the children and staff for lunch on Thursday, 12<sup>th</sup> July at a cost of £5. Please return the slip if you would like to join us.

## Celebration Assembly

You are invited to join us in church at 9.15am on Friday, 20<sup>th</sup> July for a celebration assembly.

## Key Stage 2 – Train trip

To re-inforce train safety, Key Stage 2 will be having a train trip to Carlisle on Monday, 2<sup>nd</sup> July. There is no charge for this. We would ask you to bring your child/ren to Haltwhistle train station for 9.00am – if this is not possible please let us know so we can make arrangements. Please complete and return the permission slip. More details to follow next week.

Yours,



Sarah Hutchinson  
Executive Headteacher

**School Trip, Thursday, 9<sup>th</sup> July**

I give permission for ..... to visit South Shields.

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My child would like a packed lunch provided by the school (£2.30 for Years 3, 4 & 5)

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My child will bring their own packed lunch

Signed .....

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**Train Trip to Carlisle (Key Stage 2)**

**Monday, 2<sup>nd</sup> July**

I give permission for ..... to travel to Carlisle on the train.

Signed .....

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**Parent Lunch**

**Thursday, 12<sup>th</sup> July**

Name .....

I would like ..... lunches and enclose ..... (£5 per person).

Signed .....