

2<sup>nd</sup> February 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

The Importance of Free School Meals (FSM): Currently, children in the infants are entitled to universal free school meals and many children choose a packed lunch. However, it is still important that families whose children are eligible for FSM apply. The school receives additional funding for all children entitled to FSMs which is used to support learning and provide other support your child or family may need. It is your entitlement. Also, currently, families entitled to FSM receive £15.00 per week Asda vouchers per child during the school holidays – a voucher code is sent by text to your phone.

As a Sefton resident, you are eligible for free school meals if you receive any of the following benefits:

- Universal Credit and have a net household income of less than £7400 per annum
- Income Support
- Income based Jobseekers Allowance
- Income related Employment and Support Allowance
- Child Tax Credit ONLY (not entitled/receiving Working Tax Credit) and have an income of less that £16190.00
- Guaranteed element of State Pension Credit
- Working Tax Credit run-on (paid for the four weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit)
- Support under VI of the Immigration & Asylum Act

If you are unsure, please pop into the school office and Miss Taylor will help you complete a quick eligibility check. Alternatively, contact the School Admissions and Pupil Support Team on: 0151 934 3456. Please remember that children do not know who is paying for a meal and who is receiving a free one – our children simply line up and collect their meal with no cash changing hands. If you think you may be entitled, please apply.

Children's Mental Health Week will take place from 5<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> February. This year's theme is My Voice Matters which is explained by the children's mental health charity, Place2Be:

"As adults, we should empower children and young people, and provide them with time, space, and opportunities to express themselves. We must also ensure they have opportunities to influence aspects of their worlds that directly - or indirectly - affect their wellbeing."

We will be thinking carefully about how to use our voices in a positive way to support our mental health and the mental health of others. We will also think about how we can use our voices appropriately so that they are heard. Hatton Hill pupils are always bubbling with ideas!

**Class Charts:** The Class Charts shop is now open for Years 1 to 6. Please allow your child to spend their hard-earned points. The shop will close promptly on Monday, 5<sup>th</sup> February at 9.00am.

Mufti Day: We will be holding a Mufti Day on Friday, 9th February to raise money for our School Fund. School Fund allows us to invest in some of the most popular aspects of school life, such as our libraries, Class Charts prizes and school trips. We thank parents for your support and ask for donations of £1.00 please.

School finishes for the half-term holiday on Friday, 9th February at normal time. We return on Monday, 19<sup>th</sup> February.

Yours faithfully, Mrs Anna James Headteacher



## CHILDREN'S MENTAL HEALTH WEEK

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Monday

Lunchtime Sports Club Selected classes (rota)

Indoor PE lesson – remember shorts & pumps
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Outdoor PE lesson

Year 6

Reception
Year 3

MHST Resilience Workshop J5

15:15-16:00 Handwriting Club Selected Year 3 Children
15:15-15:45 RM Maths Club Selected Children

**Tuesday** 

Lunchtime Sports Club Selected classes (rota)

Indoor PE lesson – remember shorts & pumps

Dance Club

RM Maths Club

Year 1 & J6

Year 2

Selected Children

15:15-16:00 Phonics Club Year 2 – selected children

Wednesday

15:15-16:00 15:15-15:45

Indoor PE lesson – remember shorts & pumps Year 2 & 3

Outdoor PE lesson Reception & Year 5

15:20 KS2 SAT Meeting for Parents Year 6 https://forms.gle/9sA1CpECXncKPKQW6

15:15-15:45RM Maths ClubSelected Children15:15-16:00Multi SportsYear 2 – selected children15:15-16:00Phonics ClubYear 1 – selected children

15:15-16:15Singing ClubJuniors15:15-16:15Footy TrainingTeam

Thursday

Valentine Menu Reception to Year 6

Lunchtime Sports Club Selected classes (rota)

Indoor PE lesson – remember shorts & pumps
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Outdoor PE lesson

Year 4

Nursery

J5 & Years 6

13:30-15:30 Swimming J5

15:15-15:45 RM Maths Club Selected Children

Friday

MUFTI DAY
The Tiger is Coming to Tea

ALL
Nursery

Lunchtime Sports Club Selected classes (rota)

Indoor PE lesson – remember pumps Reception
Outdoor PE lesson Years 1, 2 & 4

This Week's Menu

\*\*\*Dinner money must be paid in advance. £2.42 per day\*\*\*

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	
V Cook's Choice	Chicken Curry	Honey Glazed	$\mathcal{S}$	Fishy Friday	
Pizza	50/50 Rice	Gammon	Valentine's Menu	Mushy Peas	
Coleslaw	Naan Bread	Cauliflower & Broccoli		Chipped Potatoes	
Mixed Salad		Carrots	Heart shaped Pizza		
½ Jacket Potato		Gravy	wm "You're Fabulous"		
		Paprika Roasted Potato	with Tou Te Fabulous		
V Sweet & Sour	V Home-made Cheese	V Slicked Quorn Fillet	Fries and "Bestie"	V Roasted Vegetable	
Boiled Rice	Pie	Cauliflower & Broccoli		Pesto Pasta	
	Baked Beans	Carrots	Beans	Crispy Salad	
		Gravy	or Cupid's Bow Pasta		
		Paprika Roasted Potato	or Cupiu's Bow Pasta		
Or			with Kind Quorn		
Jacket Potato with	Jacket Potato with	Jacket Potato with		Jacket Potato with	
Various Fillings	Various Fillings	Various Fillings	Bolognese Sauce	Various Fillings	
Deli Bar (Y3,4,5&6)	Deli Bar (Y3,4,5&6)	Deli Bar (Y3,4,5&6)	$\Diamond$	Deli Bar (Y3,4,5&6)	
Dessert					
Shortbread Biscuit &	Ice Cream Pot	Rice Pudding & Jam	Love-Heart Sweetie	Fairy Cake	
Sliced Fruit		Sauce	Cake		
Plus, the option of Fresh Fruit Drinks:				Fruit juice or fresh water	