

A note from the Head

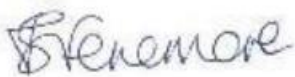
Dear Parents and Carers,

A huge well-done to 3 of our Year 6 children for showing such resilience and enthusiasm at the Football Utilia Cup. We were incredibly proud of their performance and sportsmanship! Unfortunately, they just missed out on qualifying into the next round, but it certainly wasn't through lack of trying.

Class 2 have been busy creating some festive artwork for the Air Ambulance Christmas cover of Nympton News. What a great way to showcase their creativity, I am looking forward to seeing which designs make the covers.

The whole school is looking forward to their trip to Winkleigh for the pantomime Sleeping Beauty it's always a fun-filled event full of laughter and great memories. I am sure everyone will have a fantastic time, there is nothing quite like the magic of a live pantomime, especially coming up to the festive season.

Have a lovely weekend

A handwritten signature in grey ink that reads 'Mrs V Fenemore'.

Mrs V Fenemore. Executive Headteacher

DIARY DATES

W/C 18TH NOVEMBER 2024



Saturday 16th November	<ul style="list-style-type: none">◆ <i>Booking before school club on the gateway for w/c 25th November</i>
Monday 18th November	<ul style="list-style-type: none">◆ School door opens at 8:45am and will shut promptly at 8:55am so that children are in class ready to start their learning at 9am, <u>late arrivals will need to be signed in, in the admin office</u>◆ 11.30am-3.45pm M&M Pantomime at Winkleigh Primary School
Tuesday 19th November	<ul style="list-style-type: none">◆ PE Kit today: Class 2
Wednesday 20th November	
Thursday 21st November	<ul style="list-style-type: none">◆ PE Kit today: Class 1, Class 2◆ 8.45am Clip n Climb whole school trip—drop off at village hall
Friday 22nd November	<ul style="list-style-type: none">◆ PE Kit today: Class 1
Saturday 23rd November	<ul style="list-style-type: none">◆ <i>Booking before school club on the gateway for w/c 2nd December</i>

Emails sent this week: M&M Pantomime consent deadline, Clip n Climb deadline reminder, Tempest Photos, Important message from Mrs Fenemore, Virtual Book Fair, Santa run, KN preschool - Exciting news!, Family Breakfast, Christmas dinner, Clive PiG visit.

THE LEARNING ZONE

SHARING OUR LEARNING AND A MESSAGE FROM THE TEACHERS



Preschool - Mrs Stapley

We have certainly embraced the beautiful autumnal weather. This week we have enjoyed the stories 'Pumpkin soup' by Helen Cooper and 'Leaf man' by Lois Elhert.

From this the children have created their own leaf people, sorted different sized leaves, made pumpkin soup puppets and on Thursday we made our own pumpkin soup. 'The best you've ever tasted!'

Below is a song we have enjoyed singing. I am sure your children will show you the actions!

Have a wonderful weekend. Mrs Stapley and Mrs Tammie

***When all the cows were sleeping
And the sun had gone to bed
Up jumped the scarecrow
And this is what he said!***



***I'm a dingle, dangle scarecrow
With a floppy floppy hat
I can shake my hands like this
And shake my feet like that***



***When all the hens were roosting
And the moon behind the cloud
Up jumped the scarecrow
And shouted very loud***



***I'm a dingle, dangle scarecrow
With a floppy floppy hat
can shake my hands like this
And shake my feet like that***



***When the dogs were in the kennels
And the doves were in the loft
Up jumped the scarecrow
And whispered very soft***

***I'm a dingle, dangle scarecrow
With a floppy floppy hat
I can shake my hands like this
And shake my feet like that.***



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Class 1 - Mrs Betts

The Curious Quest has continued this week. Professor Klunk sent us the book '*Stuck*' by Oliver Jeffers so this was the book that we based our writing adventures on. The children have been learning about creating sentences which make sense, and how to use full stops and capital letters correctly.

In Drawing Club, reception have been creating adventures based on '*Pumpkin Soup*' by Helen Cooper. They also made Pumpkin Soup which was delicious.

In maths, Reception have been investigating the composition of numbers, while KS1 have started their unit on Place Value to 100. We all have been doing lots of counting and really focusing on the difference between 'teen' numbers and 'ty' numbers.

The Woodland Federation subject leader for music, Miss McLean, came in on Monday to teach a music lesson. All the children had a turn at playing different percussion instruments and were learning about the pulse/beat of the music. In dance, we are also learning about the pulse/beat, as well as learning and remembering all the moves in the correct order.

Hope you all have a great weekend

Mrs Betts and Mrs Blacker



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Class 2- Ms Rae

Class 2 have had another busy week this week. In English we have continued our work based around the poetry book *I Bet I Can Make You Laugh* and worked on prepositional phrases and expanded noun phrase and then put these into some poem of our whilst thinking about the rhyming structure and syllabic length and the final results really were wonderful. Everyone though was surprised by how tricky it was to write stanzas that follow a certain criteria.

Maths has seen year 3 starting a new unit focusing on multiplication and division which has shown that their perseverance in Round The World is worth it as they know so many multiplication and division facts as a result. Year 5 and 6 have continued their work looking at fractions and all of the children feel so much more confident than they were at the start.

On Monday, Miss McLean came over to do a music lesson where the children had the opportunity to play a ukulele. This was more complicated than they first thought but they all soon got the hang of it and were jamming together.

Finally, I would like to say a very big well done to three Year 6 boys that represented the school at the EFL Kids Cup on Monday. Our team was so close, missing out on progressing just by goal difference, but the effort the boys put in and the resilience they showed was awesome and made us all very proud.

Have a fantastic weekend!



VIRTUAL BOOK FAIR

25TH NOVEMBER 2024 - 1ST DECEMBER 2024



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AUTUMN/WINTER MENU

4TH NOVEMBER 2024 - 4TH APRIL 2025



1	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Hot Option 1	Cheese & Tomato Pizza	Mild Chicken Curry & Rice	Honey Roast Gammon	Meatballs in a Tomato Sauce	Fish Fingers
Hot Option 2	Golden Veggie Fingers	Cheese & Cauliflower Pasta Bake	Veggie Slice	Veggie Balls in a Tomato Sauce	Vegan Veggie Fritters
Served with	Herby Diced Potato Coleslaw or Sweetcorn	Broccoli	Roast Potatoes Cabbage & Carrots Gravy	Pasta, Green Beans & Crusty Bread	Chips & Peas or Baked Beans
Jacket Potato	Cheese or Beans	Cheese or Beans	Cheese or Beans	Cheese or Beans	Cheese or Beans
Dessert	Strawberry Mousse	Chocolate Surprise Brownie	Pip Organic Lolly / Warm Fruit Compote with Greek Yoghurt	Sticky Toffee Cake with Sauce	Oat & Sultana Cookie
Week One: 4 Nov 25 Nov 16 Dec 20 Jan 10 Feb 10 Mar 31 Mar					

2	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Hot Option 1	Macaroni Cheese	Butcher's Sausages & Gravy	Roast Pork & Apple Sauce	Beef Lasagne	Fillet of Fish
Hot Option 2	Tomato & Basil Pasta Bake	Vegetarian Sausages & Gravy	Yorkshire Pudding Stuffed with Quorn Pieces	Vegetarian Lasagne	Veggie Nuggets
Served with	Broccoli & Garlic Bread	Mashed Potatoes & Carrots	Roast Potatoes Cabbage & Carrots Gravy	Green Beans or Coleslaw Crusty Bread	Chips & Peas or Baked Beans
Jacket Potato	Cheese or Beans	Cheese or Beans	Cheese or Beans	Cheese or Beans	Cheese or Beans
Dessert	Pip Organic Lolly / Warm Fruit Compote with Greek Yoghurt	Apple Crumble & Custard	Crispy Chocolate Cornflake Cake	Homemade Carrot Cake	Homemade Shortbread Biscuit
Week Two: 11 Nov 2 Dec 6 Jan 27 Jan 24 Feb 17 Mar					

3	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Hot Option 1	Cheese & Tomato Pizza	Fish Pie	Sausage Roast Sage & Onion Stuffing	Beef Bolognese	Fish Fingers
Hot Option 2	Frittata	Cheesy Wheels & Herby Diced Potatoes	Quorn & Leek Pastry Puff	Mediterranean Vegetable Pasta	Margherita Wrap
Served with	Potato Wedges Sweetcorn or Winter Coleslaw	Peas or Baked Beans	Roast Potatoes Broccoli & Carrots Gravy	Penne Pasta Green Beans & Crusty Bread	Chips & Peas or Baked Beans
Jacket Potato	Cheese or Beans	Cheese or Beans	Cheese or Beans	Cheese or Beans	Cheese or Beans
Dessert	Arctic Roll	Iced Chocolate Cake	Fruit Jelly	Flapjack	Pip Organic Ice Lolly
Week Three: 18 Nov 9 Dec 13 Jan 3 Feb 3 Mar 24 Mar					

SOUTH WEST
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As of the 4th November you can order lunch till 8am on the same day.

KS1 children are all entitled to free school meals.

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



SCAN ME

Advice and guidance

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



Are you entitled?

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