

Newsletter



May 2021

Dear Parents and Carers,

We have some staffing updates to share with you, effective from the start of next half term. We are delighted to be welcoming Mrs Wilkins back from her maternity leave. She will be returning on a part-time basis and for the remainder of the term, she will be covering PPA in 6SU, 5MJ and 3IS. She is very well known to the rest of the school and has spent time in Y3 this week getting to know the children. We are delighted to share news that Mrs Davies is expecting another baby in the Autumn term - we are sure you'll join us in sending many congratulations to her and her husband.

Finally, we have reached the end of another busy and productive half term. As always, a big thank you for your support and we wish you all a lovely half term holiday.

(N.B. Reminder that **Monday 7th June is a Teacher training day** and children will return on Tuesday 8th).

Sandra Sutherland, Headteacher

Dates for the diary...

31 st May – 4 th June	Half Term Holiday	
Mon 7 th June	Inset Day	
Tues 8 th June	Children return to school	
Wed 9 th - Fri 11 th June	Yr 6 Trip to Robinwood	Please make sure all outstanding payments are made by 31 st May
Wed 7 th July	Whole County Transition Day	New parents online meeting – time TBC
Fri 9 th July	School Reports out	
Fri 9 th July	Sports day – TBC	
Wed 21 st July	Break up for Summer	
Thurs 2 & Fri 3 Sept	INSET DAYS	
Mon 6 th Sept	Children return to school	

Road Safety

We have recently signed up to the Cars and Kids Don't Mix Campaign through Warwickshire County Council. We were visited by the organiser and the local police, with whom we are working closely to promote safer travel for children and parents.

We will work with the police Safer neighbourhood teams and we can request their support to tackle inconsiderate and unsafe parking. The scheme asks parents to park away from the school entrance and not on yellow zigzag lines.



Tuck Shop

Please remember to send payment for tuck items on Monday morning with your child in a named and labelled envelope that we can quarantine, not loose change, thank you.

Photograph Orders

Please make sure your groups and leavers photo orders are made online or over the phone by **31st May**. Visit photos.jssp.co.uk and enter the access code on your photo proof.

Family Information Service Newsletter

Please follow the link below

<https://mailchi.mp/warwickshire/family-information-service-newsletter1196527?e=56e08a503a>

School Milk

"Fresh milk for your child".... To register your child for school milk under our school milk scheme, please visit

<https://www.coolmilk.com/register>

Families Warwickshire magazine

https://issuu.com/familiesonline/docs/families_warwickshire_mayjune_2021?fr=sZjNjMTM2MzY3NTg

Federation Vacancies

Teaching Assistant Apprentice

Desired Skills: You will be required to support the children in accessing teaching and learning within and outside of the classroom. You will be responsible for establishing and maintaining boundaries whilst also providing a nurturing, safe and inclusive environment.

A good level of numeracy and literacy, good organisation and communication skills, the ability to work as part of a team and the ability to respect confidentiality at all times

Personal Qualities: The candidate should have a caring nature, enjoy playing with and caring for children, be adaptable and patient and have a good sense of humour.

Desired Qualifications: GCSE Maths and English grade C or above.

For further information regarding the role and how to apply please visit <https://www.findapprenticeship.service.gov.uk/apprenticeship/-603424>

Midday Supervisor Vacancies

Emscote Infants and All Saints' Junior School are recruiting for a new Midday Supervisor to join their busy teams. A position is available to start as soon as possible at Emscote and starting from September at All Saints' Junior School.

Hours are 1hr 15mins Monday - Friday, term time only. Please contact the office admin3154@welearn365.com if you are interested in applying.

Year 3

We were very lucky in Year 3 to have Mrs Andleeb come in on the morning of Eid and tell us all about her special Eid celebrations! We enjoyed finding out all about Ramadam and Eid, and it was great to see Mrs Andleeb's celebration clothing.



Parking Issues Addressed

Dear Parents/guardians

It has recently been brought to our attention that over recent weeks there has been a number of issues regarding parking at the beginning and the end of the school day that has led to a number of heated discussions between local residents and parents/guardians over the matter.

We would like to ask that if there are any issues in the future between local residents and people coming to pick up children that you report it to us on 101 so we can record this appropriately. Furthermore, as a reminder, you must not park:

On double/Single yellow lines

On pavements Opposite or within 10m of a Junction

Where it causes an obstruction On Zig-zags

On a dropped kerb.

This could land you with a fixed penalty notice for causing an obstruction on the highway. Please take this as a reminder regarding your responsibility to park appropriately on the highway.

Yours sincerely

Warwick Central Neighborhood Team

Dear Parents and Carers

Following a recent online meeting with local residents of Dale Close, Nelson Avenue and George Street, it has been brought to our attention that there are still a number of issues regarding parking at the beginning and the end of the school day.

Local residents and parents have raised serious concerns about the safety of the children as they walk into school. Amongst the concerns raised were the following:

1. Dangerous driving
2. Reversing out of a space or along the road when children are still arriving
3. Blocking driveways
4. Congestion
5. Aggressive behaviour towards residents
6. Concerns for elderly residents
7. Emergency service access
8. Children kicking walls and fences
9. Parking near corners
10. Trespassing on driveways

To help reduce traffic and avoid further near misses please can we ask that where possible parents drop their children at the top of Nelson Avenue and children walk down, therefore helping to reduce the traffic down Nelson Lane and Dale Close. We also ask that parents do not park by the gates of Dale Close, this area will be blocked off by bollards to prevent parking and reversing in that particular spot.

We aim to further reduce congestion once Covid restrictions ease and we are able to invite parents and children to wait on to the playground or inside the field entrance before school and at pick up times.

We would like to remind you that if there are any issues in the future between local residents and parents coming to collect children that this can be reported to the Police on 101 so that they can record this appropriately.

Thank you in advance for your support and understanding. We hope that by working together as a community we can ensure the safety of all the children as they walk to and from school.

Yours sincerely

Debi Cossins

Executive head



Dear Parents/ Carers,

Our school is taking part in Get Set to Eat Fresh's **Design a Lorry Competition!**

ABOUT GET SET TO EAT FRESH

Team GB and Aldi's **Get Set to Eat Fresh** programme inspires students aged 5–14 to cook and eat healthy, fresh food. It includes a library of free resources to help children both at school and at home build the skills they need to love cooking fresh, healthy meals for themselves and their families.

THE DESIGN A LORRY COMPETITION

The Get Set to Eat Fresh **Design a Lorry Competition** challenges young people aged 5–14 to get creative and design an Aldi lorry that celebrates fresh, healthy food.

The winning design will be selected by a judging panel from Aldi and Team GB. The judges will be on the lookout for an **inventive, exciting and eye-catching design** that **celebrates** good food and will inspire others to **eat well**, so please encourage your child to get creative!

PRIZES

By taking part in the competition our students have the chance to see their designs come to life – with the two winning designs each used on their own Aldi lorry, ready to deliver produce to Aldi stores around the country! The winning student will also receive a Team GB goody bag and £50 of Aldi vouchers to spend on fresh produce or kitchen equipment and their school will win £1,000 of Aldi vouchers for kitchen equipment or ingredients.

ENTERING THE COMPETITION

To help our students take part in the competition we have been learning more about the Aldi lorries, different ways we could celebrate healthy, fresh food and how to create a great design. We now want every student to design their lorry!

- Ask your child to complete their final design on the Design a Lorry Competition Entry Template enclosed with this letter. Please ensure their personal details are filled in and they've created a design for both the **side and back of the lorry** (the side design will appear on both sides).
- Return the Entry Template to the school and we will submit it with a Cover Sheet for all the entries from our school.*
- Please make sure to complete the Entry Template by Thursday 17th June so we can make sure we submit your child's entry by the closing date of 25 June!

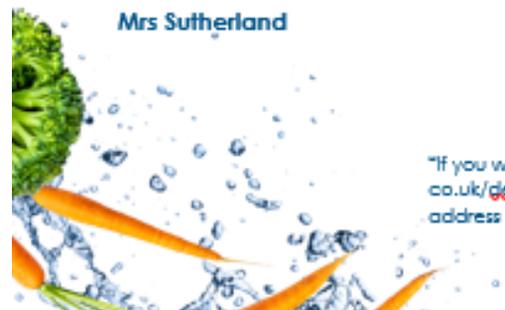
To find out more about the competition, please ask your child's teacher for further details, or visit: getseteatfresh.co.uk/designalorry.

Thank you for all your support and we look forward to seeing your child's design!

Yours sincerely,

Mrs Sutherland

*If you want to send in the entry yourself, download a Cover Sheet for Entries from getseteatfresh.co.uk/designalorry, make sure all the details are completed and send with the entry to the address provided on the cover sheet.

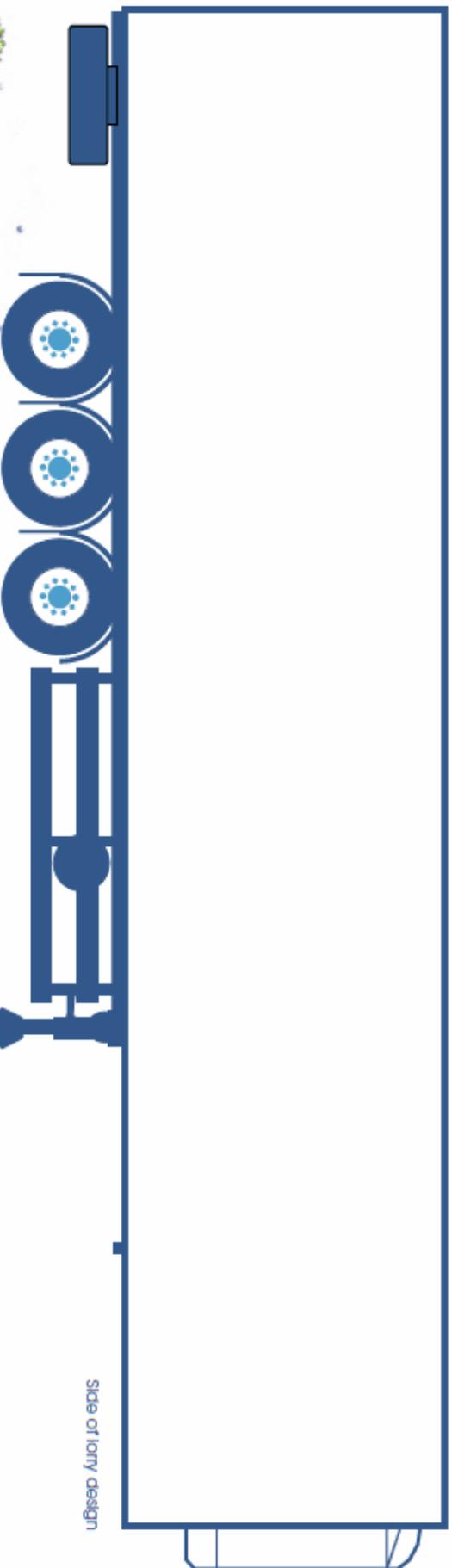




Design a Lorry | Entry Template

DESIGN A LORRY TO CELEBRATE FRESH, HEALTHY FOOD.

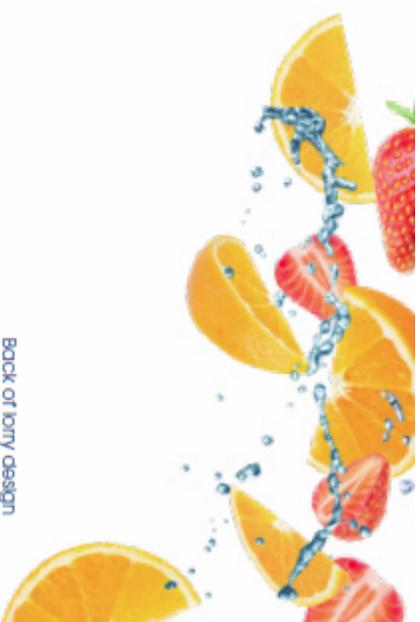
Enter your lorry design into our competition for the chance to win great prizes, including seeing your design on a real Aldi lorry! Don't forget to create a design for both the side and back of the lorry!





Design a Lorry | Entry Template

DESIGN A LORRY TO CELEBRATE FRESH, HEALTHY FOOD.



Back of lorry design

Your details *Please do not show these if sharing a photo of your design on social media*

First name

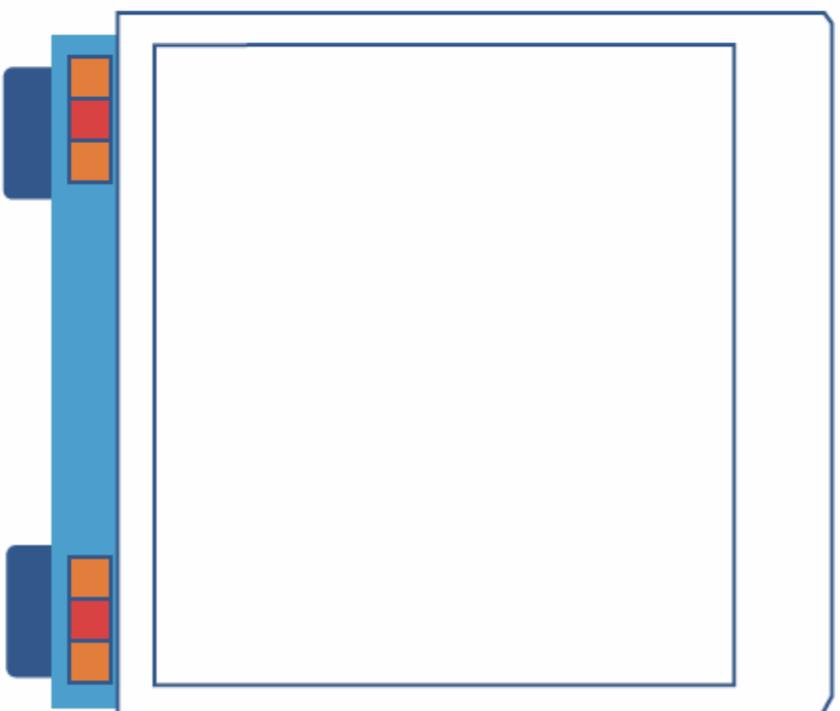
Surname

Age

Year group

School name

School postcode



School Uniform Recycling Scheme

Do you have uniform (for local schools) that you no longer need? Why not donate your old uniforms and help others?



We can accept the following items which must be in good condition and can be school branded or not

- Blazers
- Jumpers
- Trousers
- Skirts
- PE kit items
- School branded shirts (we cannot take plain shirts)



We can also accept donations of new school uniforms. If you can afford to help a family out and buy an extra piece of uniform when for your own children we will be happy to accept it.

All items will be professionally cleaned by Learnington Launderette before being re-distributed

If you or someone you know is struggling to buy uniform please get in touch with us on 01926 422123

There is no judgement and we will support you in confidence.

All donations can be dropped off to us at Brunswick Hub or at Learnington Launderette and OneStop cleaners in Learnington Spa



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- be nice, say hello, share the space
- follow local signs and keep to marked paths unless wider access is available

Protect the environment

- take your litter home - leave no trace of your visit
- take care with BBQs and do not light fires
- always keep dogs under control and in sight
- dog poo - bag it and bin it - any public waste bin will do
- care for nature - do not cause damage or disturbance

Enjoy the outdoors

- check your route and local conditions
- plan your adventure - know what to expect and what you can do
- enjoy your visit, have fun, make a memory

www.gov.uk/countryside-code



Compass

National Smile Month: 17th May–17th June Primary school resource

National Smile Month is a great time to talk about how we can best look after our teeth and the positive impact this has on our oral and overall health. This year, there are 3 key messages to focus on:

- regularly brushing our teeth
- reducing how much sugary food and drink we consume
- regularly visiting the dentist.

These useful links can help you promote National Smile Month at school and encourage children to keep their teeth healthy.



Change4Life – Keeping our teeth healthy

A fun KS1 and KS2 lesson to teach pupils about dental health.

Change 4 Life – KS1 Food Detectives // KS2 Food Detectives

Learn all about fruit, vegetables and appropriate sugar intake.

Make Brushing Amazing – Activity booklet

Contains lots of fun activities for children to complete, including colouring, word searches, healthy habit activities and more.

Rock Your Smile Word Search

Help Flossy find the words. Why not research what the words are after you find them.

Oral Health Foundation – Primary Resources

Dental Buddy have worked with teachers and oral health professionals to develop a range of resources for all primary school ages to help deliver better oral health to all.





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Step 3

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Burton upon Trent, DE13 0LL
- 2 **Birmingham**
Kings Norton boys
Northfield Road
Birmingham, B3 0DY
- 3 **Solihull**
Tutor Grange Academy
Circle Lane, Solihull
West Midlands, B91 3PD
- 4 **Warwick**
Leamington College
Warwick New Road,
Leamington Spa, CV32 5JE
- 5 **Stratford-upon-Avon**
Newbold &
Tredington School
Manor Farm Road,
Shipston-on-Sour, CV36 4NZ
- 6 **Northampton**
Brackley Church
of England Junior School
Manor Road, Brackley,
Northamptonshire, NN3 6EE
- 7 **Oakway Academy**
Oakway, Westborough
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*Due to ofsted regulations, reception children under 5 years old may only book for half days. See website for details.

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Let's put our children's safety first

If you drive your children to school it's too easy to try and park as near as possible to the school. However if everyone does the same it can cause major problems:

- Let's all work together to keep all our children safe outside school.
- Keep your speed down near the school.
- Please don't park or drop off children on our School Keep Clear markings.

We're sending this reminder home with your child as we are concerned about children's safety around our school.



Please park away from our school!

Here's what's happening May Half Term 1st June to 4th June 2021

Arts & Crafts, Dance, Multisports, STEAM, (Fun Science Experiments!)
Forest School Activities* and Easter Egg Hunts!

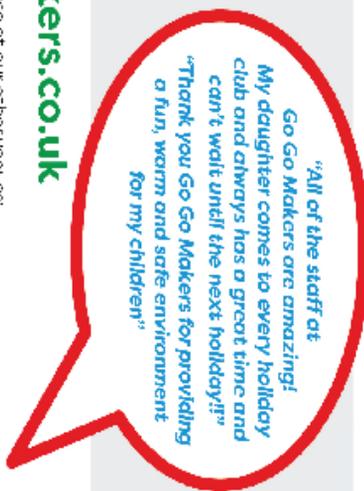
Early drop off 8am	£4.00	Breakfast included
9am - 3.30pm	£20.95	
9am - 4.30pm	£23.95	Includes a drink and a biscuit at 3.45pm
9am - 5pm	£24.95	Includes a drink and a biscuit at 3.45pm plus a wrap and fruit at bedtime.



9am - 5.30pm	£25.95	Includes a drink and a biscuit at 3.45pm plus a wrap and fruit at bedtime.
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Priest Field Primary School, Clinton Lane, Kenilworth, CV8 1BA. OPEN EASTER 2021

Telford Junior School, 60 Telford Ave, Leamington Spa CV32 7HP. BACK OPEN SOON...

Whitnash Primary School, Langley Road, Whitnash, Leamington Spa, CV31 2EX. BACK OPEN SOON...

*Forest School activities only available at
Priest Field Primary School, Kenilworth.

Please contact the Go Go Makers team on:

01926 935377

or email:

hello@gogomakers.co.uk



Warwick School May Action Courses

Our May Action courses will be running on the following dates:

Dates	Course	School Year	Time	Cost
Tues 1st to Fri 4th June (4 days)	Cygnets	Reception and School Year 1	9.00am - 16.30pm	£152
	'Super Six' Activities	School Years 2 to 7 (up to and including 12 year olds)	9.00am - 16.30pm	£152

PLEASE NOTE: To help reduce the number of different children within each group, and thus minimise the risk of cross infection, **we are still not able to offer individual day or part-week bookings.**

Our May Action groups are as follows:

- Cygnets – for children in Reception and School Year 1
- Swans – for girls in School Year 2 and 3
- Kestrels – for boys in School Year 2 and 3
- Kingfishers – for girls in School Year 4 and 5
- Hawks – for boys in School Year 4 and 5
- Herons & Eagles – for girls and boys in School Year 6 and 7 (including 12 year olds)

Activities will range from Multi-Sports, Bouncy Castle and Indoor Archery, to Badminton, Outdoor Games and Bo Karts! Furthermore – our specialist activities for May Action will include Art & Craft, Martial Arts, Interior Design, Bouldering, Fencing, Gymnastics and Fun Cookery!

Please note: There are still no Early Risers, Early Birds Swim or Night Owls options available for this period due to COVID-19 restrictions. All courses are running from 9.00am until 16.30pm.

Please visit our website and click on **BOOK TODAY** to make your booking.

<https://www.warwickschool.org/may-half-term-2021>



Find out more
Luntromanfort.org

May Half Term at Coventry Museums

LUNT ROMAN FORT

The Romans Return

2 & 3 June | 10.00am – 12.00pm & 1.00pm – 3.00pm

Join us at the Lunt Roman Fort this May Half Term for two days of fun and games!

Test your investigative skills with our challenging Roman scavenger hunt, and claim your reward by taking part in an interactive soldier's drill, led by our costumed guides!

[Book online in advance](#) | Site entrance fee applies

Adult: £4.63, children and concessions: £3.83, family ticket (2 adults & 2 children): £12.45, under 4s free

COVENTRY TRANSPORT MUSEUM

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This Makes That With These: Star Inventions

29 May & 1 June | 10.30am – 12.30pm & 2.00pm – 4.00pm

Take everyday things apart to understand how they work, and use your imagination to rebuild your own invention.

Embrace and discover your engineering skills and get hands-on, making star inventions from household objects.

[Book online in advance](#) | £5.98 per child, including one accompanying adult

Find out more
Transport-museum.com

Make And Play Engineers: Playing with Stars

2 & 3 June | 10.30am – 12.30pm & 2.00pm – 4.00pm

5 June | 10.30am – 12.30pm

Embark on a playful adventure of creativity, engineering, and mathematical thinking with this hands-on workshop.

Playing around with measurements, symmetry, and construction with fun equipment, you can see your own star take shape!

[Book online in advance](#) | £5.98 per child, including one accompanying adult

Find out more
theherbert.org



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Art Gallery & Museum

May Half Term – Wildlife Wonder & Nature

29, 31 May & 1 – 5 June | 10.30am - 12.00pm & 2.00pm - 3.30 pm

Discover the awe and wonder of our natural environment, with its colourful wildlife and plant forms.

Daily activities:

29, 31 May & 1 June

Into the Wild Sculptures: Get messy with Modroc! Sculpt your favourite wild creatures using this versatile material.

2 & 3 June

Picturesque Pastel Drawings: Explore your favourite nature-scape and discover beautiful scenes of wildlife, using dry pastel to draw onto card.

4 & 5 June

Willow Wood Coasters: A beautiful way of combining visual art and nature. Create your very own colourful coasters using a selection of natural willow branch slices.

[Book online in advance](#) | £5.98 per child, including one accompanying adult

Art Masterclass: Wet Felting Art

3 June | 10.30am – 12.30pm & 2.00pm – 4.00pm

Explore nature through the world of wet felting.

Take inspiration from our exhibition 'UnNatural History' and explore different techniques of blending merino wool fibres and get hands on with some wet felt making.

[Book online in advance](#) | £11.37 per child, including one accompanying adult