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Headteacher



St Nicolas C of E Academy

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Spring Term 2— Wednesday 15th March 2023
This term's Christian Value is Perseverance



Red Nose Day - 17th March

RED NOSE DAY

Children are invited to come in **non uniform** to celebrate Red Nose Day on Friday 17th March. Please see below link if you would like to donate (minimum £2) or alternatively, you can bring a cash donation to school if you prefer.

If your child has PE on this day please bring their trainers to school in a named carrier bag.

We are not selling Red Noses in school this year. However, if you want to buy the seed ones from Homebase, we can then use them in school to plant.

https://www.justgiving.com/fundraising/rednoseday23-st-nicolas-c-of-e-academy?utm_source=Sharethis&utm_medium=fundraising&utm_content=rednoseday23-st-nicolas-c-of-e-academy&utm_campaign=pfp-email&utm_term=05bfb787877043ea857083a52ede218d.

THE RED NOSE THAT GROWS

If one Red Nose wasn't enough - meet the Red Nose that Grows! Available from Homebase stores nationwide, this 100% compostable seedbom will transform into beautiful wildflowers, attracting bees and butterflies.

Simply shake it, soak it and plant it outside or indoors (with adult supervision). All profits go to Comic Relief, so buy yours today!

Buy yours now

The advertisement features a woman in a bright pink sweater holding a silver shovel and a yellow seed bomb. The background is a solid teal color.

Midday Supervisor - Job Vacancy

We have two vacancies for a Midday Supervisor at St Nicolas School. Please contact the school office for further information.

Year 3 - Easter Performance

Year 3's Easter Performance will be held at St Nicolas Church on **Monday 27th March at 1:30pm**. Information has been sent out to Year 3 parents.



Year 2 - SATS information

On Thursday 23rd March at 6:00pm, Year 2 parents are invited to school for a SATS Information Evening meeting to find out more about these statutory assessments.



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Year 3—Ancient Greece

Last half term, Year 3 were learning about the Ancient Greeks. In Art, they were learning about Yayoi Kusama and her use of colour and print. They have been designing and creating their own Greek vase using different techniques including printing. They have really enjoyed this and produced some fantastic artwork that we have sent to the Nuneaton Festival of Arts.



Netball



It was a blustery but dry evening for the Netball League on Monday. St Nicolas entered two teams which allowed all the children, who come to training, to take part. Although we did not win any of our games, I was so proud of the skills and determination shown on court. All the children have greatly improved since starting training and I am looking forward to seeing them develop throughout the summer. Player's player went to Aoife and Lilah, whose accurate passing and great sense of space helped to move the ball down court. As always, a big thank you to parents and carers who provided lifts and came to add their support. Also to Mrs. Baines and Mrs. Prisk for giving up their time to help organise and umpire.

School Meal Price Increase

Due to the increase in the cost of food, from Easter Caterlink will increase their meal prices from £2.44 to £2.53, this will be for children in Year 3 - Year 6.



After School Clubs

Our clubs will start on Tuesday 28th February, and will run up to 31st March.

| Day | Club | Year Group |
|-----------|--------------------|------------|
| Monday | Science Club | 3,4,5,6 |
| Monday | Dodgeball Club | 3 & 4 |
| Tuesday | Environmental Club | 3,4,5&6 |
| Tuesday | Netball Club | 5 & 6 |
| Wednesday | Lego Club | 4,5,6 |
| Wednesday | Multi Sport | 1&2 |
| Thursday | Relax Kids | 3,4,5,6 |
| Thursday | Art Club | 1&2 |
| Friday | Choir | 3,4,5,6 |

St Nicolas C of E Primary School Nuneaton. PTA. Pre-loved School Uniform Facebook site.

If you would like to purchase any pre loved uniform please contact Mrs Edge on 07796 157780
<https://www.facebook.com/stnicolasptaprelovedschooluniform/>

PE Timetable

Please can your child come to school wearing their PE kit on their designated days.

| | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
|-----------|--------|---------|-----------|----------|--------|
| Reception | PE | | PE | | |
| Year 1 | PE | | | PE | |
| Year 2 | | | PE | | PE |
| Year 3 | | PE | | | PE |
| Year 4 | | PE | | | PE |
| Year 5 | | PE | | PE | |
| Year 6 | PE | | PE | | |

Eco Club

Dear parents/caters

If you go to the shop for a quick bite to eat and you finish your food instead of throwing rubbish hold it and walk until you find a bin.






















different way you can help.

- Go on litter picks.
- encourage family members to help the world.
- If you have litter and there is no bin take it home.



Spring 2022 Menu

Autumn Winter 2022 Central Menu

| | | Monday | Tuesday | Wednesday | Thursday | Friday |
|---|------------|--|--|--|--|---|
| Week One 31/10/22 21/11/22 12/12/22 02/01/23 23/01/23 13/02/23 13/03/23 | Option 1 | Cheese & Tomato pizza with New Potatoes | Chicken Curry with Rice   | Roast of the Day with Stuffing, Roast Potatoes and Gravy | Beef Burger or veggie burger Served with Potato Wedges  | Fishfingers/ Salmon Fishfingers with Chips |
| | Option 2 | Tomato Pasta  | Veggie Wrap Stack with Rice  | Quorn Fillet  | | Cheese Omelette with Chips |
| | Vegetables | Cauliflower Courgettes | Mixed seasonal Vegetables | Carrots Cabbage | Roasted Peppers Broccoli | Mushy Peas Baked Beans |
| | Dessert | Frit Flapjack | Yoghurt & Raisin Cake | Cheese & Biscuits | Seasonal Root Cake | Ice cream & Fruit |
| Or a choice of Yoghurt & Fresh Fruit available daily | | | | | | |
| Week Two 07/11/22 28/11/22 09/01/23 30/01/23 27/02/23 20/03/23 | Option 1 | Ham macaroni cheese | Chicken Pie with Mashed Potato  | Sausage, Onions and Gravy with Roast Potatoes | Chilli Con Carne with Rice  | Fishfingers with Chips |
| | Option 2 | Macaroni Cheese | Vegetable Fajita  | Quorn Sausage served with roast potatoes and gravy  | Veggie Chilli with Rice | Vegetable Pasty with Chips  |
| | Vegetables | Carrots Tomato and onion slaw | Broccoli Cauliflower | Mixed Seasonal vegetables | Carrots Roasted Butternut Squash | Peas Baked Beans |
| | Dessert | Apple Flap Jack | Jelly with Mandarins  | Cheese & Biscuits | Chocolate and mandarin sponge | Oaty Cookie   |
| Or a choice of Yoghurt & Fresh Fruit available daily | | | | | | |
| Week Three 14/11/22 5/12/22 16/01/23 06/02/23 06/03/23 27/03/23 | Option 1 | Cheese and Tomato Pizza served with wedges  | Sausage Hot Dog with Potato Wedges | Roast Turkey served with roast potatoes | Spaghetti Bolognaise with Garlic Bread  | Fishfingers with Chips |
| | Option 2 | Vegetable Curry served with rice | Veggie Hot Dog with Potato Wedges  | Quorn Fillet served with roast potatoes and gravy  | Vegan Spaghetti Bolognaise   | Cheese Quiche with Chips |
| | Vegetables | Carrots Courgettes in a tomato sauce | Baked Beans Sweetcorn  | Vegetable Medley | Broccoli Carrots | Mushy Peas Baked Beans |
| | Dessert | Fruity Shortbread | Chocolate Cookie | Cheese & Biscuits | Banana Sponge | Ice Cream & Fruit |
| Or a choice of Yoghurt & Fresh Fruit available daily | | | | | | |

Available Daily:

- Freshly cooked jacket potatoes with a choice of fillings (where advertised)
- Bread freshly baked on site daily
- Daily salad selection

ALLERGY INFORMATION:

If your child has an allergy or intolerance please ask a member of the catering team for information. If your child has a school lunch and has a food allergy or intolerance you will be asked to complete a form to ensure we have the necessary information to cater for your child. We use a large variety of ingredients in the preparation of our meals and due to the nature of our kitchens it is not possible to completely remove the risk of cross contamination.

Easter Disco PTA - Dates



We are pleased to announce that we will be having an Easter School Disco in school. Children can come to school dressed in party/disco clothes. If it is your child's PE day please bring in their trainers in a named bag. Children will be given a biscuit and a drink of squash. They will dance and play games with their friends until 4:15pm. Children will come out of the door where you normally collect them. The cost of the club is £2.00. You will be able to make the payment on ParentMail by selecting payment then shop. By making the payment this will give permission for your child to take part in the disco. If you do not make the payment we will assume you will be collecting your child after school as usual. The money raised will be put towards VR equipment.

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| Monday 17th April | Year 1&2- 3:15pm-4:15pm |
| Tuesday 18th April | Year 5&6 - 3:15pm-4:15pm |
| Wednesday 19th April | Year 3&4 - 3:15pm-4:15pm |
| Thursday 20th April | Foundation Stage - 3:15pm-3:45pm |

Diary Dates—2022-2023 Dates are inclusive - September

March

Friday 17th March - Red Nose Day - Children can wear Non Uniform

Thursday 23rd March 6pm - Year 2 SATS meeting

Monday 27th March - Year 3 Easter Service at St Nicolas Church 1:30pm

Thursday 30th March - Year 5 Rainforest Day

April

Monday 3rd April - Friday 14th April Easter Holidays

Monday 17th April - Children back to School

Monday 17th April—Thursday 20th April School disco

Monday 24th April - Wednesday 26th April - Whitemoor Lakes Year 5

Monday 24th April — Year 4 Trip to Tamworth Castle

May

Monday 1st May - Bank Holiday - School Closed

Monday 8th May - Bank Holiday - School Closed

Wednesday 17th May - Year 1 Warwick Castle

Monday 29th May - Friday 2nd June - Whitsun Half Term

June

Monday 5th June - Children back to school

Tuesday 6th June - Class photos

Sunday 11th June—Wednesday 14th June - Condoover Hall - Year 6

Thursday 15th June - 'Alive 2023' Stoneleigh Park - Years 3,4&5

Tuesday 20th June - Year 1 Conkers

Saturday 24th June 12pm—3pm—Summer Fayre

July

Thursday 6th July - Year 4 Kingsbury Water Park

Monday 10th and Tuesday 11th July - Year 6 Show at Abbey Theatre PM

Tuesday 25th July - Children break up for Summer Holidays