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Headteacher



St Nicolas C of E Academy

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Summer Term1— Wednesday 17 May 2023

This term's Christian Value is Respect



Football

On Tuesday 16th May, year 5 and year 6 pupils were chosen to play in a football tournament at Queens School. The 9 players were split into 2 different teams that rotated every game. Amazingly, St Nics won 4 out of 4 group games finishing as the group stage winners. We Progressed straight into semi final to face a well organised and physical St Michaels. After a well fought battle St Nics went 3 goals ahead and managed the game fantastically to keep the lead.

In the final the team mixed once again and they didn't disappoint playing some beautiful forward football, defending hard and taking their chance well and were finally rewarded with 4 superbly taken goals.

St Nics eventually got their hands on the overall winner title and captain Jamie collected the cup and raised it with his team mates.

Match report written by Louie and Jamie.



PTA

We look forward to arranging and welcoming you to our Summer Sensation 2023.

Thank you to everyone that has volunteered their time so far. If you do think of any suggestions or are able to offer a contribution to this fundraising event please complete the following link.

<https://forms.office.com/e/iGaeb4T8rW>

Please complete the above form to show how you are able to help by Wednesday 17th May

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Eco Green Flag School Award

St Nicolas have won the Green Flag Award! A massive congratulations to everyone involved! We are very proud to have received this!

'It's great to read how your Environmental Review findings inspired so much positive action, such as recycling, lobbying your CEO and litter picking, as well as highlighting the brilliant work you had already done to conserve water at your school. The ideas and thoughts outlined in the Review demonstrate a reflective and considered approach to your Eco-Schools work. Your Eco-Committee has done a great job of writing your clear and incisive Action Plan with its SMART (Specific, Measurable, Achievable, Relevant and Time Bound) targets. We love how your Action Plan foci were informed by your pupils' passions and interests, and that these were shared and promoted diligently across whole school assemblies to encourage optimal buy-in. Fantastic work! We love how broadly you have embedded environmental topics into your curriculum, with the thread of wildlife and global impact woven through them.'

St Nics Eco Rap

This is our St Nics Eco Rap. This was written as part of our Eco Award. Thank you Year 5 with helping to write this!

Put your litter in the bin
Recycle waste from paper to tin

Take care of wildlife and give them a home
So they will thrive and are free to roam

Turn off the taps it's a waste of water
It really helps so tell your friend, neighbour and daughter.

Look after our planet- you know it's cool
Together we will flourish as an Eco School



Nature in May

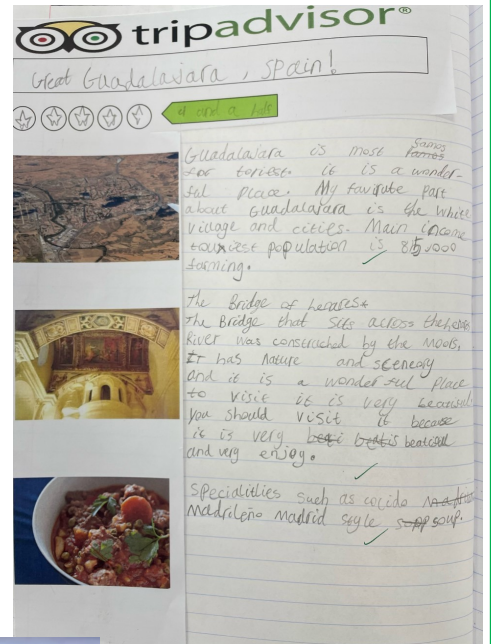
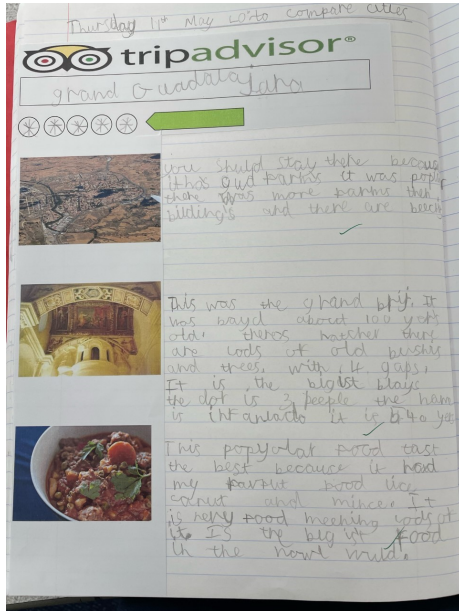


Year 3

Year 3 are learning about Spain in Geography this half term.

Last week we learnt about the town that Nuneaton is twinned with, Guadalajara!

We wrote a Trip Advisor report about the town. We learnt about their food, places to visit and the geographical area.



Official Ballot Paper

Your child will be coming home today with a Ballot Paper for you to nominate a Parent Governor. Please return your completed forms to either your class teacher or to the office.



Book Fair - 18th and 19th May

We will be holding a school book fair in school on **Thursday 18th and Friday 19th May**. This will be in our school hall from 3:15pm—4:15pm.

We hope that the book-fair, with its amazing titles will inspire the children to continue and develop their love of reading.



Reception service

Foundation stage participated in their Church service in school last week. Reverend Chris came into school to conduct the service. Thank you to parents/carers that were able to come and support your child.



Maths— Supporting your child

We will be holding a parent workshop for you to attend to see how you can support your child at home with their maths.

Tuesday 6th June - Parents of children in Year Reception, Year 1, Year 2 at 6pm in School Hall

Wednesday 7th June - Parents of children in Years 3,4,5 at 6pm in School Hall

PE Timetable

	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		

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

CHURCH SERVICES

Years 1-5 group will be singing songs, taking part in a short service and saying a prayer at St Nicolas Church. Children will walk to the church in time for the service at 1:45pm. You are able to take your children home after the service if you so wish to. We will be sending out forms on ParentMail for you to advise staff of the arrangements. Foundation Stage will have their service in school.

Date	PM 1:45 – 2:30
Thursday 25 th May	Year 5 - At St Nicolas Church
Thursday 22 nd June	Year 4 - At St Nicolas Church
Thursday 29 th June	Year 3 - At St Nicolas Church
Tuesday 4 th July	Year 1 - At St Nicolas Church
Thursday 6 th July	Year 2 - At St Nicolas Church

Eco Council

The Eco Council are passionate about recycling so have signed up to take part in Bags2 School. This is a great way to raise some funds and do something to save the planet. Therefore, we are asking you to donate any unwanted clothing:

- Men's, Ladies' and Children's clothing
- Paired shoes (tied together or elastic band around)
- Handbags
- Hats
- Bags
- Scarves and ties
- Jewellery
- Lingerie
- Socks
- Belts
- Soft toys
- Household linen
- Household curtains
- Household towels

Household bedding (bed sheets, pillow cases and duvet covers)

Bags2School DO NOT accept:

- *Duvets and blankets*
- *Pillows and cushions*
- *Carpets, rugs and mats (including bath, shower and toilet mats)*
- *Soiled, painted, ripped or wet clothing*
- *School uniforms with and without logo*
- *Corporate clothing and workwear*

Textile off cuts, yarns or threaded material

We are giving lots of advanced warning as I am sure lots of you will be having a 'wardrobe sort out' as we move into Spring/Summer. Please bring your binbags of unwanted items into school on the **MORNING of Tuesday 23rd May.**

*****Please do not send them in any sooner as we have not got the capacity to store them.*****

Summer 2023 Menu

SPRING/SUMMER MENU		MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
WEEK ONE 17 April 8 May 5 June 26 June 17 July 28 August 18 September 9 October	Option one	French Bread Pizza with Potato Wedges	Beef Burger served in a Bun	Roast Turkey, Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Quicky Bird BBQ Chicken	Fishfingers with Chips & Tomato Sauce
	Option two	Crunchy Topped Vegetable Bake with New Potatoes	Vegetable Burger served in a bun	Quorn Roast with Roast Potatoes	BBQ Vegan Quorn with Jollof Rice & Salads	Cheese & Bean Puff with Chips and Tomato Sauce
	Vegetables	Mixed Salad Coleslaw	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Peas Baked Beans
	Dessert	NEW Syrup Snap Biscuit	Fruit Jelly with Mandarins	Freshly Chopped Fruit Salad	Iced Vanilla Sponge	Oaty Cookie
WEEK TWO 24 April 15 May 12 June 3 July 24 July 4 September 25 September 16 October	Option one	Mac and Cheese Concept	Pork Sausage Hot Dog with Potato Wedges	Minced Beef Onion Pie with Roast Potatoes	Chef's Special Chicken Korma with Rice	Fishfingers with Chips & Tomato Sauce
	Option two	Macaroni Cheese with Ham and sweetcorn Or Macaroni Cheese	Vegan Sausage Hot Dog with Potato Wedges	Vegetable Pie served with Roast Potatoes	Vegetable Wellington with New Potatoes & Gravy	NEW Beet Burger with Chips & Tomato Sauce
	Vegetables	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Peas Baked Beans
	Dessert	Summer Lemon Cake	Apple Flapjack	Fruit medley	Peach Crumble with cream	Vanilla Shortbread
WEEK THREE 1 May 22 May 19 June 10 July 11 September 2 October	Option one	French Bread Pizza	Spaghetti Bolognese	Roast Chicken, Roast Potatoes, Stuffing & Gravy	Yamas! NEW Greek Chicken Pita with Seasoned Wedges or Vegetable Wrap with Seasoned Wedges	Fishfingers with Chips & Tomato Sauce
	Option two	Lentil & Sweet Potato Curry with Rice	Vegan Spaghetti Bolognese	Vegan Quorn with Stuffing, Roast Potatoes & Gravy	Vegetable Wrap with Seasoned Wedges	Cheese & Red Pepper Frittata with Chips & Tomato Sauce
	Vegetables	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Vegetables of the Day	Fresh Salad Rainbow Slaw	Peas Baked Beans
	Dessert	Peaches with cream	Carrot & Courgette cake	Fruit platter	Chocolate Shortbread	NEW Cornflake Tart
MENU KEY - Freshly cooked jacket potatoes with a choice of fillings (where advertised) - Bread freshly baked on site daily - Daily salad selection Available Daily: - Freshly cooked jacket potatoes with a choice of fillings (where advertised) - Bread freshly baked on site daily - Daily salad selection		Added plant power	Wholemeal	Vegan	Chef's Special	ALLERGY INFORMATION: If you would like to know about particular allergens in foods 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.

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After School Clubs

Day	Club	Date	Year Group
Monday	Science Club	15th May - 10 July	3,4,5,6
Monday	Football	24 April - 10 July	3 & 4
Tuesday	Environ-	25 April - 11 July	3 & 4
Tuesday	Netball	25 April - 11 July	4 & 5
Tuesday	Rounders	25 April - 11 July	5 & 6
Wednesday	Multi Sport	26 April - 12 July	1 & 2
Wednesday	Lego Club	26 April - 12 July	
Thursday	Art Club	27 April - 13 July	R, 1, 2 3
Thursday	Relax	27 April - 13 July	3,4,5,6
Friday	Choir	28 April - 14 July	3,4,5,6

Diary Dates—2022-2023 Dates are inclusive - September

May

Wednesday 17th May - Year 1 Warwick Castle

Thursday 18th May - School book fair in School Hall

Friday 19th May - School book fair in School Hall

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

June

Monday 5th June - Children back to school

Tuesday 6th June - Maths workshop for parents in Years—Reception, Year 1&2

Wednesday 7th June - Maths workshop for parents in Years 3,4,5&6

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

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

Monday 19th June - Class photos

Tuesday 20th June - Year 1 Conkers

Wednesday 21st June - New Foundation children Information Evening 18:00pm

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

Thursday 13th July - Sports day

Friday 14th July—School reports go out

Tuesday 25th July - Children break up for Summer Holidays

September

Friday 1st September, Monday 4th and Tuesday 5th September - Inset Days
Children return to school on Wednesday 6th September 2023