



# Hadleigh Infants and Nursery School

## Newsletter No 19 - 7th February 2025

### Message from Mrs Fynn :

This week we have been celebrating Children's Mental Health Week, this year's theme is Know Yourself, Grow Yourself. The children have been exploring the idea that having a healthy mind is as important as having a healthy body. They have been taking a look at ideas such as mindfulness and using breathing techniques to help them feel calm when they feel upset or worried.

Thank you to those of you who took the time to complete the parent survey, the results were overwhelmingly positive which is fantastic to hear. As always, there are some things for us to consider as a school and we will be looking at what we can do to respond to those requests over the next few weeks.

**Dates for your Diary -** please note that details for some diary items is not yet available and will be communicated in due course.

**14th February** - Staff Development/Non-Pupil Day

**28th February** - Wales Class St David's Day Celebrations

**6th March** - World Book Day

**13th March** - Parent Consultation Evening

**10th - 14th March** - British Science Week

**12th March** - Racquets Festival (Year 1 and 2)

**18th March** - Parent Consultation Evening

**21st March** - Comic Relief 40th Anniversary Non-Uniform Day

**25th March** - Greece National Day Celebrations

**4th April** - Last Day of Term - School Closes at 1.30pm -  
After School Club finishes - 3.15pm

**22nd April** - Earth Day

**23rd April** - England St George's Day

### Holiday Dates -

17th-21st February - Half Term

7th-21st April - Easter Break

22nd April - Welcome Back!

26th-30th May - Half Term

2nd June - Welcome Back!

22nd July - Last Day of Term

I AM EASY TO LIFT  
BUT HARD TO  
THROW. WHAT AM I?



@weareteachers

**Find the answer on page 2**



## WEEK 2 LUNCH MENU – Week Commencing 10th February 2025

**Monday** – Cheese or Rainbow Pizza served with Oven Baked Wedges and Carrot/Cucumber Slices followed by Mousse and Fresh Fruit

**Tuesday** - Chicken Nuggets or Crispy Dippers served with Oven Baked French Fries, Peas and Carrots followed by Fresh Fruit and School's Favourite Cake

**Wednesday** - Homemade Pork Sausage Roll or Vegetarian Sausage Roll served with Creamy Mashed Potato and Spaghetti Loops followed by Fresh Fruit Platter

**Thursday** - Cheese and Tomato Pasta Bake or Jacket Potato with Cheese/Beans/Tuna served with Crusty Bread and Fresh Broccoli followed by Jelly with Cream and Fresh Fruit

**Friday** - Fish Fingers or Omelette served with Oven Baked Chips and Baked Beans followed by School's Favourite Cookie and Fresh Fruit



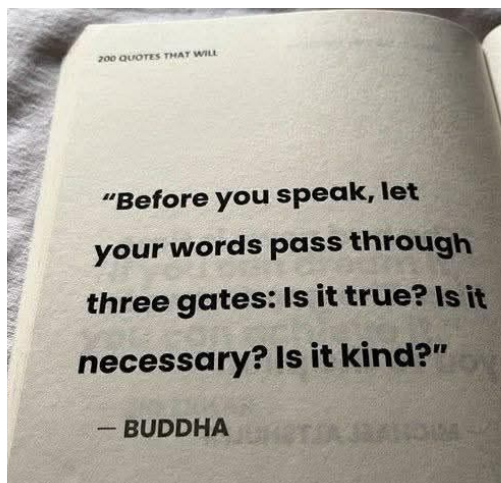
### THE HADLEIGH KITCHEN WINTER MENU 2024/2025





WEEK 1	WEEK 2
<b>Monday</b>	<b>Monday</b>
Pepperoni Pizza or Cheese Pizza	Cheese Pizza or Rainbow Pizza
Served with Oven Baked Crispy Cubes, Carrots and Cucumber Slices	Served with Oven Baked Wedges, Carrots and Cucumber Slices
Ice cream /Fresh fruit	Mousse /Fresh Fruit
<b>Tuesday</b>	<b>Tuesday</b>
Homemade Tomato Sauce with Pasta or Jacket Potato with Cheese/Tuna/Beans	Chicken Nuggets or Crispy Dippers
Served with Homemade Crusty Bread and Fresh Broccoli	Served with Oven Baked French Fries, Peas and Carrots
Fresh Fruit Platter	School's Favourite Cake/Fresh Fruit
<b>Wednesday</b>	<b>Wednesday</b>
Hot Dog or Vegetarian Hot Dog	Homemade Pork Sausage Roll or Vegetarian Sausage Roll
Served with Oven Baked Hash Brown and Baked Beans	Served with Creamy Mashed Potato and Spaghetti Loops
Homemade Muffins/Cupcakes/Fresh Fruit	Fresh Fruit Platter
<b>Thursday</b>	<b>Thursday</b>
Homemade Spaghetti Bolognese or Quorn Bolognese	Cheese and Tomato Pasta Bake or Jacket Potato with Beans/Cheese/Tuna
Served with Wholemeal Pasta, Garlic Bread and Green Beans	Served with Crusty Bread and Fresh Broccoli
School's Choice of Cookie/Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Jelly with Cream /Fresh Fruit
<b>Friday</b>	<b>Friday</b>
Fish Fingers or Crispy Dippers	Fish Fingers or Omelette
Served with Oven Baked Chips, Peas and Sweetcorn	Served with Oven Baked Chips and Baked Beans
Fruit Crumble/Fruit Yoghurt	School's Favourite Cookie/Fresh Fruit



Fresh fruit, bread or breadsticks, salad options and fresh water available daily  
 ● Vegetarian Option ● School Dinner Option

**Riddle answer:**  
**A feather**





 <b>BRONZE</b> 50 reads 				
Wales	England	France	Sweden	Japan
Violet	Gwynnie	Carter	Mabel-Rose	Ayren
Fikayo	George	Ellie	Oliver	
Isaac	Freddie		Olivia P	
Reeva	Sofia-Mae			
	Sophia			
	Evie			

 <b>SILVER</b> 100 reads 		
England	France	Kenya
Edie	Amelie	Oliver
	Lottie	

## Hadleigh Heroes



Jaxon from France Class was awarded Star Swimmer of the Month on Tuesday evening at Runnymede Swim School in his Stanley 7 group for his attitude and effort at each lesson. Well done Jaxon so lovely to see your hard work has been recognised.

Amelie completed her second Junior Park Run on Sunday and finished the 2km course with a personal best time of 12 minutes 25 seconds. Amelie finished 19th out of 47 runners and was 5 in the female 10 years and under category. How fabulous Amelie, we know your family are proud and we are too!





### Certificate of Achievement:

Explorers:	Freya R	Sweden:	Lewis
England:	Harry	France:	Rory
Wales:	Reeva	Brazil:	Harrison
Scotland:	Lyla	Japan:	Cinar
Greece:	Edie Me	Kenya:	Matilda

### Attendance Heroes:

Greece:	Tommy G
Sweden:	Nathan
France:	Parker
Brazil:	Charlie M
Japan:	Ava Chap
Kenya:	Ada

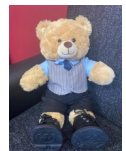
### Star of the Week:

Explorers:	Molly	Greece:	Dolly	Brazil:	Louie
England:	Benji	Sweden:	Nathan	Japan:	Ayren
Scotland:	Jace	France:	Uyanga	Kenya:	Ada
Wales:	Fikayo				

### Class Attendance Award:

The class with highest attendance this week was Kenya with 98.3%. Well done to them! Unfortunately, no other classes reached our 96% target. Our overall attendance was 93.9%

Greece -	90.7%	Brazil -	95%
Sweden -	89.4%	Japan -	95.5%
France -	94.3%	Kenya -	98.3%





# Parents Association



Thank you to the participants at our PA Quiz Night last Friday, and a huge well done to 'Only Here for the Wine' who were the winning team!

We raised an amazing £353.59!

## Could you win our

### Matchbox Challenge?

During the February half term, The Parents Association would like to challenge every pupil to see who can fit the most DIFFERENT items into the matchbox supplied, a winner from each class will receive a prize!

We will be providing each child with identical empty matchboxes to fill with as many different items as possible. This is an event the whole family can get involved in, and we hope you will have fun doing so.

#### The rules are simple.. But please read them!

1. You must only use the one matchbox provided to you.
2. You can only have ONE of each item. For example, you cannot fill the box with just rice or sand.
3. You must be able to close the matchbox.
4. PLEASE do not include any insects or creatures (alive or dead), animal droppings, or anything that has come from your body (nail clippings, hair or bits from your nose)
5. Please remember we are NUT FREE school, so no nuts
6. Your matchbox MUST contain a ONE POUND COIN.
7. On the form provided please write as neatly as possible a numbered list of everything that you have put inside the matchbox. (ENTERIES WITHOUT THE LIST/POUND COIN CANNOT BE ACCEPTED)
8. Write your name and class on both the matchbox and form, you could also decorate the matchbox, as long as we can still read your name!
9. Make sure your matchbox and form are handed in to your teacher by Friday 28<sup>th</sup> February 2025

Have fun! Good Luck  
And thank you for your continued support  
HINS PA



## Meet our Safeguarding Team



Mrs Lucy Fynn  
Designated Safeguarding Lead



David Turner  
Safeguarding Governor



Mrs K Strickland



Miss K Ryan



Miss L Selley



Miss M Hoath

Deputy Designated Safeguarding Leads

### Are you concerned about a child?

- ♦ Make a note of your concern including the date & time
- ♦ Contact the school and speak to someone in our Safeguarding Team, you can also raise concerns anonymously by contacting the hub.
- ♦ Always share your concerns



Children & Families Hub For members of the public:

- If a child or young person is in immediate danger, call 999.
- If you're worried that a child is being abused or neglected, call the Children and Families Hub on **0345 603 7627**. This phone line is open Monday to Thursday 9am to 5:30pm, and Fridays 9am to 4:30pm.
- Out of hours or bank holidays, call the emergency duty team on 0345 606 1212.