#### Welcome to The Mead Family





#### Who's Who?

Headteacher-Mrs Creasey Deputy Head/ SEND Leader- Mrs Bedford Senior Teacher- Mrs Fagan EYFS Leader Mrs Pioli



#### Jellyfish

Miss Pearson Teaching Assistant- Mrs Atasoy

#### <u>Starfish</u>

Class Teacher - Mrs Carle Teaching Assistant-Miss Hall





Turtles

Class Teacher - Miss Wijsbroek (Mon,Tues, Weds am) Miss Akrimi Wed pm, Thurs, Fri) Teaching Assistant - Mrs Findiklis





#### School Uniform

- Royal Blue sweatshirt or cardigan with school logo
- Grey trousers, grey shorts, grey skirt or grey pinafore
- Blue and white gingham dress (summer optional)
- White polo shirt (with or without logo)
- Grey tights or white/grey socks
- Black leather shoes or plain black trainers
- Book bag with school logo

No jewellery except for earrings which must be a small stud only. These must be removed on PE days. PLEASE ,PLEASE ,PLEASE name everything!

#### School Uniform





# Holidays, attendance & punctuality

- Holidays during termtime are not permitted
- Time off will only be authorised if there are exceptional circumstances
- What is an exceptional circumstance?





- 19 days of absence/164 days of education= 90% attendance
- 29 days of absence/154 days of education= 84% attendance

#### Very poor attendance= serious impact on education and reduces life chances

- 38 days absence/ 145 days of education= 79% attendance
- 47 days absence/136 days of education= 74% attendance

# 365 days in the calendar year. 182 non-school days a year.

#### Communication with parents







- Class email
- Arbor
- Website/Facebook page
- "Coming Up Next Week"
- Parent Consultations
- Workshops/shared learning
- Reports
- Questionnaires
- "Open door"

## Staying safe



- Please let us know if your child is being picked up by someone else (please tell your Teacher or TA on the door)
- We will not let your child go with someone different if we have not been informed even if it is a family member
- Please make sure we have your emergency numbers are up to date

#### **Illnesses and Accidents**



- Medicines
- Allergies
- Medical/dentist appointments
- 48hr rule for sickness and diarrhoea
- Emergency numbersplease provide a 3<sup>rd</sup> contact
- Phone school by 9am if your child is unwell and is not going to attend school

### Drop off and Pick Up



- Drop off 8.40 am (doors close at 8.50)
- Pick up 2.50pm
- Resources and Equipment
- Large Climbing Frame
- Safety
- Scooters and bikes











## Safeguarding



- Your child's safety is of paramount importance to us
- Our school is a place where the children are happy and safe and where there are trusted adults that children can share their worries
- If a child tells us some thing that raises a concern, a member of staff will report this to one of the DSLs (designated safeguarding leads)
- We will tell you if this happens, but if it is appropriate we may also refer our concerns on to children's services. This will enable us to get support for you and your child.
- We can refer without your permission but in most cases we will speak to you first
- We are here to support you and work together.
- If you have a safeguarding about a child please raise this concern with one of the school's DSLs (further information on our website under the safeguarding tab)

#### School Dinners



Freshly cooked hot
school dinners
prepared on site

- Able to cater for a range a dietary needs
- Give hot meals a try!

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Margherita Pizza (V) Veggie Cajun Rice (VG)

Sweetcorn & Pepper Medley & Carrots

Pasta with Tomato & Basil Sauce (VG)

Flapjack (VG) Fruit Yoghurt (V)

Chicken Meatballs in a Tomato & Basil Sauce with Pasta Veggie Meatballs in a Tomato & Basil Sauce with Pasta (VG)

Broccoli & Rainbow Vegetables

Jacket with Grated Cheddar (V) or Baked Beans (VG)

Oaty Apple Crumble & Ice-Cream (V) Jelly (VG)

Roast Turkey with Roast Potatoes & Gravy Sweet Potato Whirl with Roast Potatoes (V)

Rosemary Carrots & Cabbage

Pasta with Mediterranean Vegetable Sauce (VG)

Carrot Cake with Citrus Frosting (V) Cheese & Crackers (V)

Beef Sloppy Joes with Paprika Wedges Cheesy Pepper Pasta Bake (V)

Roasted Vegetables & Sweetcorn

Jacket with Grated Cheese (V) or Baked Beans (VG)

Chocolate Cookie (V) Fruit Yoghurt (V)

Golden Fillet Fish Fingers with Chips Bean & Cheese Quesadilla with Chips (V)

Baked Beans & Peas

Pasta with Tomato & Basil Sauce (VG)

Pineapple & Banana Muffin (V) Ice-Cream (V)

#### WEEK 2 Weeks Commencing: 22/04/24, 13/05/24, 03/06/24, 24/06/24, 15/07/24, 16/09/24, 07/10/24

Macaroni Cheese (V) Sweet Potato & Chickpea Curry with Basmati Rice (VG)

Rainbow Vegetables & Peas

Jacket with Baked Beans (VG) or Grated Cheese (V)

Lemon Drizzle Cake (V) Fruit Yoghurt (V)

Chicken Fajita Chinese Style Veggie Noodles (V)

Sweetcorn & Herby Courgettes

Pasta with Mediterranean Vegetable Sauce (VG)

Chocolate Fudge Cake (V) Cheese & Crackers (V)

Roast Gammon with Roast Potatoes & Gravy Cheese & Tomato Puff with Roast Potatoes (V)

Cabbage & Carrots

Pasta with Tomato & Basil Sauce (VG)

Cinnamon Bun (VG) Fruit Yoghurt (V)

Beef Lasagne with Garlic Bread Veggie Chilli & Rice (VG)

Carrots & Broccoli

Jacket Potato with Grated Cheese (V) or Baked Beans (VG)

Coconut Crunch (V) Jelly (VG)

Battered Fish Fillet with Chips Glamorgan Veggie Sausage with Chips (V)

Baked Beans & Peas

Pasta with Tomato & Basil Sauce (VG)

Jammy Bun (V) Fruit Salad & Ice Cream (V) WEEK 3 Weeks Commencing: 29/04/24, 20/05/24, 10/06/24, 01/07/24, 22/07/24, 02/09/24, 23/09/24, 14/10/24

Creamy Salmon Pasta Cheese & Tomato French Bread Pizza (V)

Sweetcorn & Rosemary Carrots

Jacket with Baked Beans (VG) or Grated Cheese (V)

Vanilla Sponge with Berry Compote (V) Fruit Yoghurt (V)

Pork Hot Dog with Paprika Wedges Veggie Hot Dog with Paprika Wedges (VG)

Roasted Vegetables & Peas

Pasta with Tomato & Basil Sauce (VG)

Apple Pie & Ice-Cream (V) Jelly (VG)

Roast Chicken wih Roast Potatoes & Gravy Sweet Potato & Spinach Parcel with Roast Potatoes (V)

Carrots & Cabbage

Pasta with Mediterranean Vegetable Sauce (VG)

Syrup Cookie (V) Fruit Yoghurt (V)

Chicken Tikka Masala with Basmati Rice Tomato & Basil Pasta Bake (V)

Broccoli & Sweetcorn

Jacket with Grated Cheese (V) or Baked Beans (VG)

Vegan Chocolate Brownie (VG) Mousse (V)

Golden Fillet Fish Fingers with Chips Tomato & Sweetcorn Frittata (V)

Baked Beans & Peas

Pasta with Tomato & Basil Sauce (VG)

lced Finger Bun (VG) Cheese & Crackers (V)

FRESH BREAD, SALAD BAR, WHOLE AND CUT FRESH FRUIT.

#### Birthdays



Favourite book Birthday Assembly We love to celebrate your birthday with your child but please help us by:

- Not sending in cakes and sweets
- Giving out party invitations yourselves

#### What can you do before September?

#### Starting Reception

Your child's journey to school starts at home.



#### Transition into School

- July 1st children met staff and spent some time in their classroom
- 4<sup>th</sup> September Phone call for parents whose children attended The Mead Nursery (date tbc)
- 5<sup>th</sup> September -Home visit for new to The Mead Reception (parents and child).
- Induction day- either Monday 8<sup>th</sup> September, or Tuesday 9<sup>th</sup> September
- Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> September all children attend Start time staggered 8.50/9.20/10.00
- Thursday 11<sup>th</sup> September all children start at 8.50

#### First Few Weeks

- They will be tired
- 3-week blip



