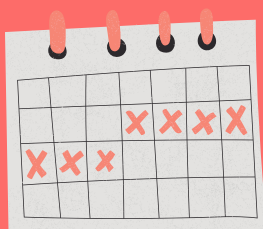


MORLEY NEWLANDS ACADEMY NEWSLETTER 25TH SEPTEMBER 2020



Three weeks in already!

Where has the time gone? We are already nearly halfway through the first half term and the children have been brilliant. Coming back to school after a long period of time away and lots of change to deal with is hard, but the pupils at Morley Newlands have handled things exceptionally well and we are very proud of them.

There have already been lots of exciting learning opportunities taking place, with Noise Academy sessions in Y5, a special themed week where children were immersed in a topic they missed from the summer, finding out about class scientists, and all the excitement of starting new and interesting curriculum themes such as 'The World at War' in Y6 or 'The Great Fire of London' in Y2. We look forward to sharing lots of wonderful work on Class Dojo, Twitter and in our virtual assemblies in the coming weeks...



Leeds United Foundation...

Welcome back to The Leeds United Foundation who will be returning to work with Y6 pupils from next week. Children will be taking part in maths, English and emotional well-being activities, all taught through football themed resources.

Special lunch menu...

Please see below for a special lunch next Thursday. **A reminder that lunches for children in Reception, Y1 and Y2 are free.** If you have paid for a lunch by mistake it should be refunded by the end of the week.

THURSDAY 1st October 2020

Name :

Class :

Please tick your child's selection below. This lunch must be paid for via parent pay unless you are entitled to Free School Meals, or are Reception to Year 2. Please return ASAP.

LIZ GIZMO's CHICKEN TENDERS

Liz's version of your favourite chicken nuggets served with chips and beans or peas

MIGHTY MIKES VEGGIE BITES

Mikes version of yummy veggie nuggets served with chips and beans or peas

Fusion Flo - The Extra Bits!

Jacket Potatoes served with Toppings:
Sweetcorn & Baked Beans, Our Homemade Bread Plus lots of Fresh Salad to go with all Meals

SONIC BOONE - Energy for the rest of the day

Your choice of Dessert: Vanilla Ice cream / fruit / chocolate muffin

Attendance update...

Below is the attendance for each class from last week - a big well done to the top two class in each key stage! Children from those classes all enjoyed a reward of 10 minutes extra playtime this week!

deGrasse Tyson	99.3
Morse	98.7
Galileo	98.6
Anning	98.6
Aristotle	98.5
Bernes-Lee	98.5
Curie	97.7
Bath	96.5
Einstein	96.4
Hippocrates	96.2
Newton	95.7
Darwin	95.5
Watt	94.8
Hawking	94.5
Fleming	94.2
Blackwell	94.1
Pasteur	94.1
Carson	93.9
Goodall	93.7
Archimedes	92.1
Franklin	90.8

Term dates...

A reminder of our term dates for the year ahead:

October half term - **26th to 30th October**

Training day - **27th November**

Christmas holiday - **21st December to 1st**

January

February half term - **15th to 19th February**

Training day - **17th March**

Easter holiday - **2nd to 16th April**

Bank holiday - **3rd May**

May half term - **31st May to 4th June**

Training day - **2nd July**

Summer holiday - **26th July to 3rd September**

Student planners...

From Monday, children will be able to bring their planners to and from school every day. This will enable you to sign and return contact and consent pages and record when your child has read at home. The planners will be wiped down in school on a daily basis.



Celebrations assemblies will continue to take place virtually this year and will be posted at the end of the week on Class Dojo. We will alternate each week between EYFS/KS1 and KS2. Your child's teacher will be in touch if your child is being celebrated.



If your child is in Nursery, Reception, Year 1 or Year 2, they are able to have school milk during the day. Reception children do not pay until the term that they turn 5 years old. For children in Years 1 and 2 who would like milk, please log into the Fresh pastures website at www.schoolmilkuk.co.uk

We are on week 2 next week for school dinners. Please ensure that you have adequate fund in your account as meals must be paid for in advance via the ParentPay secure payments system.

If your child is unwell and absent from school, please remember to cancel their pre-booked meal to avoid being charged for it.

