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Message from the Head Teacher:

It has been a very interesting week at Central, with the children experiencing a range of events and activities, from Year 5's visit to Hertsmeare Jewish Primary School, to Reception's encounters with snakes, toads and stick insects. The teachers have all spent time this week planning an exciting and engaging curriculum for the Summer Term. There is now just one week of school left until the Easter holidays, with children finishing at 1.30pm on Friday 31st March.

Mr Mynott

Three Faiths Forum project

For a number of years now, Year 5 have been linking with Hertsmeare Jewish Primary School. On Tuesday, this week, our Year 5 pupils visited the school and engaged in a number of activities with their peers. Year 5 have one more visit with their new friends, during the Summer Term.



Reptile Encounters



Reception welcomed Jungle Jo to their classes this week, and enjoyed meeting some incredible creatures!

Instrument Building



Year 4 have been exploring links between Music and Design Technology this week, making their own guitars.

Coaches

As you will be aware, we use coaches to take our pupils to a range of activities. It is difficult for the coach drivers to collect and drop off at the school without causing some inconvenience. Please be considerate of the coach drivers, who are most likely doing their best to stay out of your way and to provide your children with a memorable day out.

Scarlet Fever

We had had a case of Scarlet Fever in Reception. Please be alert to the symptoms, which include a sore throat, headache, high temperature, flushed face, swollen tongue. The distinctive pink-red rash develops 12-48 hours later. See your GP as soon as possible if you think you or your child has scarlet fever.

Science Week



Next week is Science Week! Miss Pindoria is collecting plastic bottles. Please bring any washed bottles, with lids, to the office. Thank you!

French Breakfast Club

We would be keen to hear from parents interested in helping out with French, German or Polish breakfast clubs, where children can practise their language skills. Please speak to Mr Jaffer or Mr Mynott

Regular features

e-Safety

Take a look at this website for some interesting tips on keeping children safe online. www.kidsmart.org.uk

Attendance

Attendance is excellent this week. *Year 2 Pear Class* are this week's winners of the attendance certificate. Well done!

Class	Attendance
Acorns YR	97.1%
Conkers YR	98.9%
Magnolia Y1	96.8%
Maple Y1	93.3%
Mulberry Y1	97.6%
Pear Y2	99.6%
Pine Y2	95.7%
Ash Y3	98.4%
Apple Y3	97.2%
Beech Y4	97.7%
Beam Y4	98.7%
Willow Y5	98.4%
Oak Y6	96.9%

Star of the Week

Congratulations to this week's 'stars':

Noell & Oliver (YR Acorns Class)
Karmin, Ryan & Beth (Y1 Magnolia Class)
Zaki & Julia (Y1 Maple Class)
Chris, Yashica, Luke & Mya (Y1 Mulberry Class)
Saif & Dylan (Y2 Pear Class)
JJ & Emily (Y2 Pine Class)
Whole class (Y3 Apple Class)
Whole Class (Y3 Ash Class)
Jaydan, Karya & Kenzie (Y4 Beech Class)
Demi & Musa (Y4 Beam Class)
Shahan, Tabish, Rohith & Tejas (Y5 Willow Class)

Dates & Reminders

Lunch Menu

Next Week is week 3 of the new Autumn/Spring Menu. Please remember that the meat in the kitchen is not Halal.

Monday	Red: Sticky Chicken Green: Cheesy Pin Wheels (v) Yellow: Tuna Roll
Tuesday	Red: Lasagne Green: Quorn Hot Dog (v) Yellow: Chicken Baguette
Wednesday	Red: Roast Gammon Green: Mild Chilli Burritos (v) Yellow: Cheese Roll
Thursday	Red: Chicken Pie Green: Jacket Potato with Baked Beans (v) Yellow: Ham Baguette
Friday	Red: Fish Fingers Green: Pizza (v) Yellow: Egg Roll (v)

Our preferred method for payment is School Comms. If you are not sure how to use this, please speak to the office.

Spring Term 2017 Events

Good Work assembly every Thursday, 3-3.20pm

Monday 27th - Friday 31st March	All Day	Science Enrichment Week
Monday 27th March	3:30 pm - 8:15 pm	Parents' Evening
Tuesday 28th March	10:00 am, 2:00 pm	Y1 & Y2 Production
Thursday 30th March	All Day	Parent Questionnaires Return Date
Friday 31st March	All Day	School Closes at 1:30pm
Friday 31st March	8:00 am - 8:45 am	French Breakfast Club
Saturday 1st - Monday 17th April	All Day	Easter Holidays

Summer Term 2017 Events

Good Work assembly every Thursday, 3-3.20pm

Tuesday 18th April	Summer Term Begins	
Monday 24th April	9-10am	Parent/ Volunteer Safeguarding Training
Friday 28th April	8-8.45am	French Breakfast Club
Friday 28th April	3-3.15pm	Reception Conker Class Assembly
Monday 1st May	May Bank Holiday – School Closed	
Tuesday 2nd May	9-10am	Friends of Central

Wednesday 3rd May	6-6.45pm	Y5 Secondary Transfer Meeting
Friday 5th May	3-3.15pm	Reception Acorn Class Assembly
Monday 8th May - Friday 12th May	Y6 National Assessment Week	
Monday 8th May	6-7pm	Y6 Sex Education Parent/ Carer Meeting
Friday 12th May	3-3.15pm	Y1 Mulberry Class Assembly
Thursday 18th May	9.15-10am 2-2.45pm 6-6.45pm	Reception Parent/ Carer Welcome Meetings
Friday 19th May	3-3.15pm	Y1 Maple Class Assembly
Thursday 25th May	2-2.45pm 6-6.45pm	Y4 Production
Friday 26th May	8-8.45am	French Breakfast Club
Saturday 27th May - Monday 5th June	Half Term – School Closed	
Monday 5th June - Friday 9th June	Y6 Residential to Isle of Wight	
Tuesday 6th June	9-10am	Friends of Central
Friday 9th June	3-3.15pm	Y1 Magnolia Class Assembly
Monday 12th June - Friday 16th June	Y1 Phonics Screening Checks	
Friday 16th June	3-3.15pm	Y2 Pine Class Assembly
Friday 23rd June	3-3.15pm	Y2 Pear Class Assembly
Friday 30th June	8-8.45am	French Breakfast Club
Friday 30th June	3-3.15pm	Y5 Willow Class Assembly
Monday 3rd July	2-3.15pm	Singing Celebration Assemblies
Tuesday 4th July	9-10am	Friends of Central
Thursday 6th July	All Day	Y6 Secondary Transfer Day
Saturday 8th July	12-3pm	Central Primary School Summer Fair
Tuesday 11th July	6-6.45pm	Y6 Production
Wednesday 12th July	9.30-11am	Y3, Y4, Y5 & Y6 Sports Day
Thursday 13th July	9.30-11am	Reception Sports Day
Thursday 13th July	1.45-3.15pm	Y1 & Y2 Sports Day
Monday 17th July - Friday 21st July	Health & Fitness Week	
Monday 17th July	9-11.15am	Moving Up Morning
Monday 17th July	3.30-5pm	Open Evening
Wednesday 19th July	1.30-3pm	Y5 First Aid Training
Friday 21st July	9-9.45am	Y6 Leavers' Assembly

Friday 21st July	Early Closure at 1:30pm
Saturday 22nd July - Sunday 3rd September	Summer Holidays – School Closed