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Every Child Always

Newsletter Friday 7th March 2025

Dear families,

We've had another busy week at school. Bravo on the effort you all put into World Book Day costumes. The children looked fantastic and had a brilliant book themed day at school.

We have another exciting week planned next week. It is Science week and we are launching it with the arrival of our duck eggs. All of the children in school will get the opportunity to visit the eggs and observe them as they hatch and grow.

Our Year 1 phonics screening information evening takes place next Monday 10th at 6pm and we hope to see lots Year 1 families there. If you cannot make it, the information will be available on the school website.

Have a lovely weekend.

Mrs Skeates



Diary Dates

MARCH

10th – Science Week
10th – Year 1 Phonics Information Evening 6pm
18th – Book Fair
19th – Book Fair
20th – Families Evening
21st – Book Fair
21st – Mother's Day Sale
24th – Book Fair
27th – Families Evening *
27th – Athlete Visit
28th – Easter Egg Donation Dress Down Day

(* Please be advised we have changed the dates of Families Evening)

APRIL

3rd – Last Day of Term
4th – Inset Day
22nd – Back to School

MAY

5th – Bank Holiday
9th – Sports Day
13th – School Class Photos
23rd – Dance for Diabetes

JUNE

9th – Phonics Screening Week
27th – Summer Fayre

JULY

10th – Disco
18th – Last Day of Term
21st – Inset Day
22nd – Inset Day



ATTENDANCE

24th – 28th February 2025

97.31 %

3rd – 7th March 2025

94.5 %

AFTERSCHOOL CLUBS

Tuesday – Choir Club

Tuesday – Football Club (Run by Stow Sports)

Wednesday – Forest School Club

Mon – Fri – 360 After School Club (Run by 360)



- Ready
- Respectful
- Safe

CLASS PAGES

For further information on what is happening in class please see our school website

<https://www.antoninfantschool.com/class-pages/>

Families Evening

**Please remember to book your Families Evening appointment.
Bookings will remain open on Arbor until 11.59pm on Tuesday 11th
March 2025.**

Please contact the office if you are having difficulties booking.

Borrowed Uniform

**Please can we remind families to return borrowed uniform items so
we can keep our spares cupboard stocked.**



Privacy Notice

We have recently updated our privacy notice to ensure that we continue to fully inform you of all necessary processing of data we hold. You can find the updated privacy policy here - [Privacy Notice](#). If you have any questions or concerns regarding our policy please get in touch via adminoffice@anton-inf.hants.sch.uk.

Breakfast Club and After School Club

The attached link will take you to our website which details our Breakfast Club and Afterschool Club.

<https://www.antoninfantschool.com/school-clubs/>

Medications

If your child has a new or updated prescription please bring new medicines to the office before school starts. If your child's medication has an expiry date please ensure you provide a replacement as close to this date as possible.

School Office Opening Hours

Monday and Tuesday 8:30am to 3:45pm

Wednesday and Thursday 8:30am to 4:30pm

Friday 8.30am to 4 pm

Term time only.

Telephone messages can be left 24 hours a day. Please select option 1 to report your child's absence.

NEXT WEEKS LUNCH MENU

▼ **Base Menu - Traditional 4 January 2025**

Monday 10	Tuesday 11	Wednesday 12	Thursday 13	Friday 14
<p>Mains</p> <p>Hand Stretched Margherita Pizza with Garlic Slice (V)</p> <p>Homemade Vegetable Korma with Rice (VG) (GF)</p> <p>Broccoli Pasta Bake (V)</p> <p>Jacket Potato & Fillings (choice) (V) (GF)</p> <p>Jacket & Vegetable Korma (VG) (GF)</p> <p>Accompaniments</p> <p>Green Beans (VG) (GF)</p> <p>Sweetcorn (VG) (GF)</p> <p>Homemade Bread (V)</p> <p>Salad Bar (VG) (GF)</p> <p>Desserts</p> <p>Vanilla Ice Cream (V) (GF)</p> <p>Fruit Yoghurt (V) (GF)</p> <p>Fresh Fruit (VG) (GF)</p>	<p>Mains</p> <p>Beefburger in a Bun</p> <p>Crispy Crumbed Vegetable Burger (VG)</p> <p>Salmon & Sweet Potato Fishcake</p> <p>Mushroom Carbonara (V)</p> <p>Jacket Potato & Fillings (choice) (GF)</p> <p>Accompaniments</p> <p>Oven Baked Potato Wedges (VG) (GF)</p> <p>Baked Beans (VG) (GF)</p> <p>Carrots (VG) (GF)</p> <p>Homemade Bread (V)</p> <p>Salad Bar (VG) (GF)</p> <p>Desserts</p> <p>Lemon & Courgette Cake with Custard (choice)</p> <p>Fruit Yoghurt (V) (GF)</p> <p>Fresh Fruit (VG) (GF)</p>	<p>Mains</p> <p>Roast Chicken (GF)</p> <p>Mild Bean Chilli with Nachos & Rice (VG) (GF)</p> <p>Cauliflower Cheese Tart (V)</p> <p>Jacket Potato & Fillings (choice) (GF)</p> <p>Jacket & Mild Bean Chilli (VG) (GF)</p> <p>Accompaniments</p> <p>New Potatoes (VG) (GF)</p> <p>Carrots (VG) (GF)</p> <p>Garden Peas (VG) (GF)</p> <p>Gravy (VG) (GF)</p> <p>Salad Bar (VG) (GF)</p> <p>Homemade Bread (V)</p> <p>Desserts</p> <p>Raspberry Jelly & Peaches (VG) (GF)</p> <p>Fruit Yoghurt (V) (GF)</p> <p>Fresh Fruit (VG) (GF)</p>	<p>Mains</p> <p>Spaghetti Bolognese</p> <p>Seasonal Vegetable Hot Pot (VG) (GF)</p> <p>BBQ Chicken Melt</p> <p>Jacket Potato & Fillings (choice) (GF)</p> <p>Jacket & Beef Bolognese</p> <p>Accompaniments</p> <p>Sweetcorn (VG) (GF)</p> <p>Savoy Cabbage (VG) (GF)</p> <p>Homemade Bread (V)</p> <p>Salad Bar (VG) (GF)</p> <p>Desserts</p> <p>Black Forest Crumble with Custard (choice) (V)</p> <p>Fruit Yoghurt (V) (GF)</p> <p>Fresh Fruit (VG) (GF)</p>	<p>Mains</p> <p>Breaded Cod Fish Fingers</p> <p>Cheesy Leek Parcel (V)</p> <p>Vegetable Burrito (VG)</p> <p>Jacket Potato & Fillings (choice) (GF)</p> <p>Accompaniments</p> <p>Chips (VG) (GF)</p> <p>Baked Beans (VG) (GF)</p> <p>Garden Peas (VG) (GF)</p> <p>Tomato Ketchup (VG) (GF)</p> <p>Salad Bar (VG) (GF)</p> <p>Homemade Bread (V)</p> <p>Desserts</p> <p>Watermelon Wedges (VG) (GF)</p> <p>Fruit Yoghurt (V) (GF)</p> <p>Fresh Fruit (VG) (GF)</p>

Please take a few moments to check you have ordered for next week.

We have a number of children who come to school with packed lunches and also have hot lunches ordered. This is causing some confusion at lunchtimes and leads to a lot of leftover food that cannot be reused. Please can we ask all families to talk through lunch options with their children and bring either a lunchbox or order a school meal. If you feel that both are necessary for your child, please contact the school office to discuss this and we can also make the lunchtime staff aware so that they can talk through the options with these children in the lunch hall.

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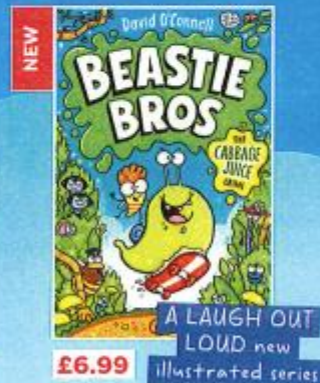
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Date:

18th, 19th, 21st & 24th March
3.20pm - 4pm

Payment will be via QR code and credit card ONLY
No cash / Apple Pay accepted.

Scan the QR code to pay online!



Come to our book fair on the 18th, 19th, 21st and 24th March

3.20pm – 4pm

Please come along with your mobile phone as payment will be via the above QR code and credit/debit card ONLY. Unfortunately we are unable to accept cash or payment via apple pay.



Please help keep our school clean and tidy by picking up your rubbish and putting it in a bin

Spring Flowers

While we understand how tempting it is to pick them, please remember that wild flowers need to be left where they are so they can complete their life cycle and produce seeds ready for next Spring.

All daffodils and other flowers that the council have planted belong to the council. Picking them is legally seen as theft.



ARTISTS AND MAKERS FAIR

Local arts and crafts



8 March 2025 10:30am to 3:30pm



Join us at the Chapel for a vibrant craft fair featuring talented local artists and craftspeople. Support your community and discover one-of-a kind treasures to freshen up your home this spring!

Free entry. Standard parking charges apply.

In the Chapel between 10.30am and 3.30pm.

Cost: None. Normal parking charges apply.

Tickets required: No

Venue: Royal Victoria Country Park

Email:
rvcp.enquiries@hants.gov.uk

Contact: 023 8045 5157

WORLD BOOK DAY
6 MARCH 2025

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Your child should have come home yesterday with their World Book Day Token. Don't forget to use it!