

# ANTON INFANT NEWSLETTER



Every Child Always

**FRIDAY 13TH MARCH 2026**

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## Headteacher message

**Ready**  
**Respectful**  
**Safe**

Dear families,

We've had a wonderful half term, filled with lots of amazing learning, and your children have been absolutely fabulous.

I've been lucky enough to spend time in some classrooms and teach a number of the children myself, and it has been an absolute joy!

Alongside all the learning, you may have noticed some changes around school. We now have a new tarmacked area near the playground, as well as new blinds in all classrooms—everything designed to make the learning environment the very best it can be for your children.

I hope you all have a lovely Easter, filled with chocolate and sunshine. We look forward to welcoming the children back, rested and ready for a jam-packed summer term!

All the best

Mrs Skeates



### **Inset Days**

**1<sup>st</sup> June 2026**

### **Office Open Hours**

#### **Monday and Tuesday**

8.30am - 3.45pm

#### **Wednesday and**

#### **Thursday**

8.30am - 3pm

#### **Friay**

8.30am - 3.30pm

### **Whole School**

#### **Attendance**

**9th - 13th March**

**97.9%**

**16th - 20<sup>th</sup> March**

**96.9%**



### **Upcoming Events**

#### **April**

**13<sup>th</sup>** - First day back to school

**13<sup>th</sup>** - Easter Bonnet Entries to be handed in

#### **May**

**4<sup>th</sup>** - Bank Holiday

**8<sup>th</sup>** - Yr 1 & 2 Show and Share

**8<sup>th</sup>** - Year 1 Pirate Day

**15<sup>th</sup>** - Sports Morning AM

**22<sup>nd</sup>** - PTA Summer Picnic

**22<sup>nd</sup>** - Last Day of Term

## **Attendance**

We kindly ask parents and carers to familiarise themselves with our Attendance Policy, which is available on our website. The policy outlines our approach to attendance and how we work in partnership with families. Thank you for taking the time to read this and for your continued support.

**<https://www.antoninfantschool.com/policies>**

# Courteous Parking

We kindly remind you, when parking for morning drop off and afternoon collection please can you be courteous of residents and make sure you have allowed them access to their properties. Please could we ask that engines are not left running while you are waiting and remind you that the Zig Zag marking outside of the school should not be used as drop off zones for the safety of pedestrians trying to cross the roads.

**Please take a few minutes to ensure you have ordered lunches for next week.**

## Dinner Times

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

CHOICE SUMMER

V = Vegetarian, VG = Vegan  
CF = Gluten Free \*NEW RECIPE for 2025\*

Week 1 13th Apr, 4th May, 25th May, 15th Jun, 6th Jul	Week 2 20th Apr, 11th May, 1st Jun, 22nd Jun, 13th Jul	Week 3 27th Apr, 18th May, 8th Jun, 29th Jun, 20th Jul
<p>Hand Stretched Margherita or Vegetable Pizza (V) (VG) Sweet Potato Curry &amp; Steamed Rice (VG) (CF) Jacket Potato &amp; Fillings (V) (VG) (CF) Soft Roll with a Choice of Fillings (V) (VG)</p> <p>Cafic Slice, Green Beans, Sweetcorn Fresh Salad Selection, Homemade Bread</p> <p>* Strawberry Ice Cream (V) * Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt</p>	<p>Hand Stretched Margherita Pizza (V) (VG) Mild Bean Chilli (VG) (CF) Jacket Potato &amp; Fillings (V) (VG) (CF) Baguette with a Choice of Fillings (V) (VG)</p> <p>Potato Wedges, Sweetcorn, Green Beans Fresh Salad Selection, Homemade Bread</p> <p>* Strawberry Mousse (V) * Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt</p>	<p>Hand Stretched Margherita or Pineapple Pizza (V) (VG) Spanish Omelette (V) Jacket Potato &amp; Fillings (V) (VG) (CF) Sandwich with a Choice of Fillings (V) (VG)</p> <p>New Potatoes, Spaghetti Hoops, Green Beans, Sweetcorn Fresh Salad Selection, Homemade Bread</p> <p>Ice Cream &amp; Fruit (V) Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt</p>
<p>All Day Breakfast All Day Veggie Breakfast (V) (VG) Jacket Potato &amp; Fillings (V) (VG) (CF) Soft Roll with a Choice of Fillings (V) (VG)</p> <p>Hash Brown, Baked Beans, Peas Fresh Salad Selection, Homemade Bread</p> <p>Fresh Fruit Salad (V) Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt</p>	<p>Chicken &amp; Coconut Curry (CF) Tomato &amp; Herb Pasta Bake (V) (VG) Jacket Potato &amp; Fillings (V) (VG) (CF) Baguette with a Choice of Fillings (V) (VG)</p> <p>Rice, Green Beans, Cauliflower Fresh Salad Selection, Homemade Bread</p> <p>Red Velvet Brownie (V) Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt</p>	<p>* Crispy Chicken or Quorn Dippers (VG)* Summer Pesto Pasta (VG) Jacket Potato &amp; Fillings (V) (VG) (CF) Sandwich with a Choice of Fillings (V) (VG)</p> <p>Chips, Sweetcorn, Broccoli, Ketchup Fresh Salad Selection, Homemade Bread</p> <p>Ginger Flapjack Cookie (VG) Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt</p>
<p>Roast Chicken (CF) Roasted Vegetable Loaf (VG) Jacket Potato &amp; Fillings (V) (VG) (CF) Soft Roll with a Choice of Fillings (V) (VG) * Cheese &amp; Tomato Panini Melt (V) *</p> <p>New Potatoes, Carrots, Savoy Cabbage, Gravy Fresh Salad Selection, Homemade Bread</p> <p>Chocolate Cookie (VG) Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt</p>	<p>Sausage Stuffed Yorkshire Pudding Broccoli Cheese Filled Yorkshire Pudding (V) Jacket Potato &amp; Fillings (V) (VG) (CF) Baguette with a Choice of Fillings (V) (VG) * Hot Sausage Baguette (inc VG) *</p> <p>Mashed Potatoes, Carrots, Peas, Gravy Fresh Salad Selection, Homemade Bread</p> <p>Raspberry Jelly &amp; Peaches (V) (VG) Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt</p>	<p>Roast Chicken (CF) * Hearty Puff Pie (VG) * Jacket Potato &amp; Fillings (V) (VG) (CF) Sandwich with a Choice of Fillings (V) (VG) Tomato Chicken Melt</p> <p>Roast Potatoes, Carrots, Savoy Cabbage, Gravy Fresh Salad Selection, Homemade Bread</p> <p>Watermelon Wedges (VG) Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt</p>
<p>Pasta Bar (V) (VG) * Creamy Chicken &amp; Steamed Rice * Jacket Potato &amp; Fillings (V) (VG) (CF) Soft Roll with a Choice of Fillings (V) (VG)</p> <p>Sweetcorn, Carrots Fresh Salad Selection, Homemade Bread</p> <p>* Summer Fruit Puff &amp; Custard (V) * Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt</p>	<p>Pasta Bar (V) (VG) * Neapolitan Chicken &amp; Rice (CF) * Jacket Potato &amp; Fillings (V) (VG) (CF) Baguette with a Choice of Fillings (V) (VG)</p> <p>Broccoli, Carrots Fresh Salad Selection, Homemade Bread</p> <p>* Fruit Crumble &amp; Ice Cream (V) * Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt</p>	<p>Spaghetti Bolognese Authentic Vegetable Curry &amp; Rice (VG) (CF) Jacket Potato &amp; Fillings (V) (VG) (CF) Sandwich with a Choice of Fillings (V) (VG)</p> <p>Cauliflower, Carrots Fresh Salad Selection, Homemade Bread</p> <p>* Chocolate Crunch &amp; Custard (V) * Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt</p>
<p>Breaded Fish Fingers or Crispy Crumbed Vegetable Grill (VG) Cheesy Leek Parcel (V) Jacket Potato &amp; Fillings (V) (VG) (CF) Soft Roll with a Choice of Fillings (V) (VG)</p> <p>Chips, Peas, Beans, Ketchup Fresh Salad Selection, Homemade Bread</p> <p>Chocolate Banana Slice (VG) Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt</p>	<p>Breaded Fish Fingers or Quorn Dippers (VG) Summer Salmon Salad (CF) Jacket Potato &amp; Fillings (V) (VG) (CF) Baguette with a Choice of Fillings (V) (VG)</p> <p>Chips, Peas, Beans, Ketchup Fresh Salad Selection, Homemade Bread</p> <p>Lemon Cookie (VG) Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt</p>	<p>Breaded Fish Fingers or Fishless Fingers (VG) Sweet &amp; Sour Vegetable Noodles (VG) Jacket Potato &amp; Fillings (V) (VG) (CF) Sandwich with a Choice of Fillings (V) (VG)</p> <p>Mashed Potatoes, Peas, Baked Beans Fresh Salad Selection, Homemade Bread</p> <p>* Manchester Tart (V) * Seasonal Fruit, Fruit Yoghurt</p>

LOCALLY SOURCED FRESH PRODUCE

BREAD AVAILABLE DAILY

If your school has dietary requirements, such as halal, this will be automatically applied to your menu via SchoolGrid and does not change the type of menu you select here. Please contact your Area Manager if you ever need to change this.



# EASTER BONNET COMPETITION

Dear Families,

We have an egg-citing opportunity for you! Over the Easter holiday, we'd love you to get creative and take part in our Easter Bonnet Competition – a perfect fun family activity!

There are lots of egg-stra special categories to win, including:



So grab your glue, gather your goodies, and let your imagination run wild!

Don't forget to bring your amazing bonnets into school on Monday 13th April, where our School Council will be hopping with excitement to judge them!

We can't wait to see your egg-straordinary creations!




# NOTICEBOARD



## Andover and Winchester Community Public Health 5-19 Drop-In at ACE

(Your local School Nursing Team)

 Need a bit of advice, support or reassurance?  
We're here for you.

Our friendly Public Health team can help with:



Emotional wellbeing  
& mental health



Healthy eating &  
lifestyle



Toileting &  
bladder/bowel concerns



Child development &  
behaviour



Growth, height &  
weight worries



Oral health &  
hygiene



Parenting support &  
guidance



Parenting support  
& guidance




For parents, carers & young people (5-19 years)

No question is too small ❤️

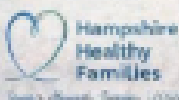
 Drop in at ACE – no appointment needed

6 & 27 February, 20 March, 17 April,  
01 May, 05 June, 10 July

 Prefer to message? Text a School Nurse:

**07507 332 417**

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