



Fawbert & Barnard Infants' School



Welcome to our Nursery Meeting 'Getting Ready for September 2023'



Meet the Team

- ◆ Mr Lee Wells – Headteacher
- ◆ Mrs Jo Brooker – Deputy Headteacher
- ◆ Mrs Aimee Jones– Inclusion Lead

- ◆ Miss Rosie Abbott– Nursery Class Teacher
- ◆ Mrs Martha Sarjeant – Early Years Leader (on maternity for 2023-2024)
- ◆ Miss Holly King – Reception Class Teacher (Acting Early Years Leader for 2023-2024)
- ◆ Miss Isolbelle Ancient – Reception Class Teacher



Meet the Team

- ◆ Early Years Specialist Learning Support Team
 - ◆ **Mrs Hannah Rider** (Montessori experienced)
 - ◆ **Mrs Sarah Burton**(Montessori experienced)
 - ◆ **Mrs Fiona Roberts** (Qualified teacher / Integrated Montessori certified)
 - ◆ **Mrs Natasha Stephenson** (Reception)
 - ◆ **Mrs Iona Griffiths** (Reception)
- ◆ Pastoral Support Team
 - ◆ **Mrs Sam Amos** - Speech and Language Therapist
 - ◆ **Mrs Laura Devlin** – Safe Space Therapist







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Day in Nursery

- 8.35
 - School gates open for morning session – please wait in the Early Years garden outside the Nursery classroom for the classroom door to open.
- 8:45
 - Doors close.
- 8:55
 - Register close.
- 11.45
 - Lunchtime for Nursery (30 hour children) and end of morning session (parents/ carers collect from visitor gate by the office)
- 12:15
 - Start of Afternoon session
- 3.15
 - End of afternoon session– Nursery parents / carers collect children from classroom door in Early Years garden.



WEEK ONE

Served Week Commencing:

17th April, 8th May, 5th June, 26th June, 17th July, 4th September, 25th September, 16th October

MONDAY

Bean and Vegetable Grill (Ve)

Macaroni Cheese with Garlic Bread (V)
with Diced Potatoes
or Wholemeal PastaJacket Potato
with various toppingsCHILLED OPTION:
Cheese Sandwich

TUESDAY

Chicken Pie

Spanish Omelette (V)
with Potato Wedges
or Tricolour PastaJacket Potato
with various toppingsCHILLED OPTION:
Tuna Roll

WEDNESDAY

Roast Gammon with Gravy
Veggie Sausages with Yorkshire
Pudding and Gravy (V)
with Roast Potatoes
or Wholemeal PastaJacket Potato
with various toppingsCHILLED OPTION:
Chicken Mayo Wrap

THURSDAY

Beef Burger in a Bun
Pea and Lemon Risotto (V)
with Diced Potatoes
or Tricolour PastaJacket Potato
with various toppingsCHILLED OPTION:
Ham Sandwich

FRIDAY

Battered Fish Fillet
Cheese and Tomato Pizza (V)
with Oven chips
or Wholemeal PastaJacket Potato
with various toppingsCHILLED OPTION:
Egg RollSUMMER/
AUTUMN
2023

WEEK TWO

Served Week Commencing:

24th April, 15th May, 12th June, 3rd July, 11th September, 2nd October

MONDAY

Caribbean Chicken
Veggie Burritos (Ve)
with Rice or
Wholemeal PastaJacket Potato
with various toppingsCHILLED OPTION:
Tuna Sandwich

TUESDAY

Organic Beef Bolognese
Savoury Puff Roll (Ve)
with Spaghetti
or Diced PotatoesJacket Potato
with various toppingsCHILLED OPTION:
Ham Roll

WEDNESDAY

Roast Pork Loin with Gravy
Quorn Fillet with Gravy (V)
with Roast Potatoes
or Wholemeal PastaJacket Potato
with various toppingsCHILLED OPTION:
Chicken Mayo Wrap

THURSDAY

Quorn Hotdog (V)
Special Fried Rice
with a Spring Roll (V)
with Potato Wedges
or Tricolour PastaJacket Potato
with various toppingsCHILLED OPTION:
Cheese Sandwich

FRIDAY

Crispy Coated Salmon
Margherita Pizza Wrap (V)
with Oven Chips
or Wholemeal PastaJacket Potato
with various toppingsCHILLED OPTION:
Egg Baguette

WEEK THREE

Served Week Commencing:

2nd May, 22nd May, 19th June, 10th July, 18th September, 9th October

MONDAY

Pork Sausage with BBQ Sauce
Cheese and Sweet Potato Slice (V)
with New Potatoes
or Wholemeal PastaJacket Potato
with various toppingsCHILLED OPTION:
Tuna Roll

TUESDAY

Veggie "Meatball" Sub (Ve)
Roasted Tomato Pasta (Ve)
with Potato Wedges
or Tricolour PastaJacket Potato
with various toppingsCHILLED OPTION:
Cheese Sandwich

WEDNESDAY

Roast Chicken with Sage and
Onion Stuffing and Gravy
Creamy Quorn Pie (V)
with Roast Potatoes
or Wholemeal PastaJacket Potato
with various toppingsCHILLED OPTION:
Ham Roll

THURSDAY

Mild Chilli Con Carne
Quorn Burger in a Bun (V)
with Rice
or Potato WedgesJacket Potato
with various toppingsCHILLED OPTION:
Chicken Mayo Baguette

FRIDAY

Fish Fillet Fingers
Cheese and Tomato Pizza (V)
with Oven Chips
or Wholemeal PastaJacket Potato
with various toppingsCHILLED OPTION:
Egg Roll

Freshly baked bread, seasonal vegetables and a variety of salad are served daily • Gravy and Custard are always available separately when on the menu • All our milk is organic - fresh from the dairy (V) = Vegetarian (Ve) = Vegan

What a day looks like

- ◆ Whole class teaching
- ◆ Small group / Individual work – Montessori led
- ◆ ChiL Time
- ◆ Inside and outside learning
- ◆ Snack time

Year Group	Autumn 1	Autumn 2	Spring 1	Spring 2	Summer 1	Summer 2
EYFS Nursery	Why do you love me so much?	Why do leaves go crispy?	Where does snow go?	Are eggs alive?	How many colours in a rainbow?	Can we explore it Old MacDonald's Farm

Transition - Ready for September

- Stay and Play Sessions:

Thursday 22nd June – 9-10 or 1:30-2:30

- Times can be found on the letter.
- Copies can be provided if required
- Please note this is for the child and **one** compulsory accompanying parent only.

Thursday 13th July – 10-11 or 1:30-2:30

- Times can be found on the letter.
- Copies can be provided if required
- Please note this is for the child only – no adults.

September induction:

- We do not conduct home visits as part of our transition process.
- Instead we offer a meeting with yourself and your child on either **Monday 4th or Tuesday 5th September at school with your child's Teacher.** This meeting will give you all the opportunity to explore the classroom again and you can all exchange important information.
- During that week your child will then be in **either** Wednesday 6th, Thursday 7th **or** Friday 8th September. From Monday 11th September your child will come in for their normal allocated slots.



Lunches

If you choose to have a packed lunch please ensure:

- Lunch boxes are named on the outside
- Check that the name is still there over time
- Nut free products
- Healthy School
 - We promote physical, social, emotional and mental health and helps equip pupils, staff and families with the skills and attitudes to make informed decisions about their health.
 - We recognise the importance of investing in health and wellbeing to assist in the process of raising children achievement levels.
 - We involve the whole school community, parents, governors, staff and pupils in improving our health, wellbeing and happiness, helping us all to get the most out of life.



How can you help?

Can your child start to, with growing independence:

- ◆ put on and fasten their coat
- ◆ put on and fasten their shoes and trainers
- ◆ get dressed and undressed – practise for PE
- ◆ use a fork, knife and spoon
- ◆ go to the toilet independently
- ◆ identify their name
- ◆ Say goodbye to their main carer at the door

How can you help?

- ◆ Support the development of fine motor skills
 - ◆ Threading, playdough, play scissors – anything that demands a pincer grip.
- ◆ Read the weekly newsletters – Friday and Monday
- ◆ Read with your child and to them as much as you possibly can.
- ◆ Attend as many parent workshops as possible
- ◆ Count with your child everything and anything and get them involved
- ◆ Share excitement about coming to school



How can you help us?

- Name everything! Full name if possible
- Don't use the school as a threat
- Your child will cry at some point – trust us we have dealt with it before. We care.

- Be excited about coming to school
- Smile and be happy as a parent

- We promise not to believe everything your child tells us (promise the same about us)
- Send them in with love, not about missing them
 - Have an amazing day etc.

Medicines: If you have informed us your child has asthma, or another medical need (allergy etc.), then this will require a medical care plan. Therefore please contact Mrs Jones prior to the end of term so that this can be put in place.



Start Date

- ◆ **Monday 4th and Tuesday 5th September 2023** – We invite you to have an individual meeting with the Teacher and spend time in class with your child one to one with the Teacher.
- ◆ As per your letter: please see when your child is attending an additional settling in session. This is either Wednesday 6th, Thursday 7th or Friday 8th.
- ◆ **First Full Week: Monday 11th September**



Uniform

- All information can be found on our [website](#)
- White or blue polo shirts, blouses or shirts
- Royal blue jumpers/sweatshirts/cardigans WITH LOGO
- Grey trousers, shorts, skirts, pinafore dresses or black jogging bottoms
- Dresses in blue check (April through to October half term only) worn with white socks
- White or grey socks or grey tights (only if your child can manage tights independently please).
- School shoes or **plain black** soft trainer shoes

- Long hair should be tied up everyday and where possible in the school colours.
- If you dress your child please try to ensure that they are able to dress/undress themselves. E.g. tights for toileting

- School book bag
 - £3.30
 - Available to purchase from the office – (Key rings and Backpacks)



Uniform

- ◆ **All year groups for P.E. (including Nursery and Reception)**
- ◆ Sky blue T-shirts Navy or black shorts
- ◆ Plimsolls for outdoor P.E.
- ◆ The PE kit should be kept in a drawstring bag on the child's coat peg.
Please ensure that all clothing and footwear are clearly named.



Evidence Me

- ◆ Digital Learning Journey
- ◆ Two way communication
 - ◆ By the end of September
- ◆ Capture the moments of progressions
- ◆ <https://help.evidence.me/evidence-me-help-for-parents/>



How we keep in contact

- ◆ Website - www.fandb.herts.sch.uk
- ◆ Newsletter
 - ◆ Year group
 - ◆ Headteacher
 - ◆ Inclusion
- ◆ Email and text direct from the school
 - ◆ WhatsApp – jungle drums
- ◆ Parent Workshops and more...

- ◆ Attendance and term time holiday



Before and After School Care

- Due to demand and current pupil booking, JAM at present will not be able to take any Nursery pupils. As soon as this changes we will notify you.

- JAM before School:
 - 7:15am – 8:30am - £6.00
- JAM Afterschool:
 - 3:15pm – 6:00pm - £15
 - 6:00pm -6:30pm - £3



**Be Kind
Be Respectful
Be Safe**

Thank You!

