



# **F&B NEWSLETTER**

Autumn Term: Monday 25th March

This week is week **2** of the lunch menu

Dear Parents and Carers,

This is the last week of term, oh how this year is flying by.

- School Spring term ends at 14:00 on Thursday 28th March 2024.
- Summer Term begins and pupils are back on Monday 15th April 2024

Parents have asked about our Ofsted inspection last week. As soon as the report is shared with us and published we will send it to you all. We expect to be able to share the report towards the end of May.



We are excited to announce that we will be extending our TTRS across both Year 1 classes in addition to our Year 2 classes. This will allow the children the opportunity to not only practise their times tables but to also compete in Year group tournaments. Mrs Brennan will be holding a lunchtime TTRS club on a Tuesday and the children from both Year groups will be invited to have the opportunity to develop their multiplication skills. Year 1 will be introduced to TTRS through a launch session and parents will receive an email regarding login details.

Can we also politely remind everyone that we strongly encourage adults to be off their phones when dropping off and collecting pupils. The excitement of sharing their news to you is very special and phones and technology so often forms a barrier to this. Having these few moments can make such a difference.

Please can parents ensure that all medication comes in via the office only. If you are running late or someone else is collecting please let the teacher know on the door in the morning or email the office. Please do not email the teachers as these may not be picked up.

## **Art**



Marcel's inspiring workshop continues to capture the imagination of our year 2 pupils. This week Maximus in Panda shared these two pieces of Jellyfish. These are very good, I particularly like how he has been able to capture a sense of movement in the tentacles.

## Dexter

"Leo (and Ezra) were super excited to bring Dexter back for the weekend on Friday. We started off by showing Dexter Leo's bedroom and they all decided to have a sleepover with Dexter taking the best spot - top bunk!"

On Saturday, Leo took Dexter to the park and they had lots of fun, going on the swings and slide. After burning off all that energy they then decided to play a game of chess with Leo's daddy. Leo and Dexter won!

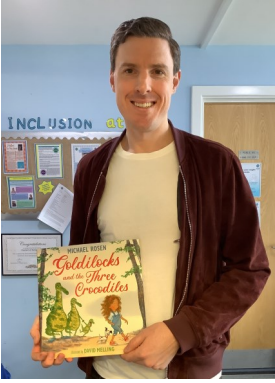
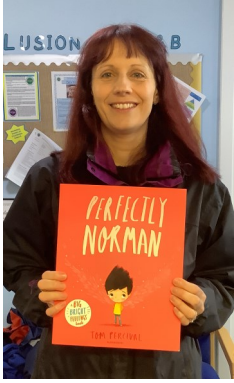
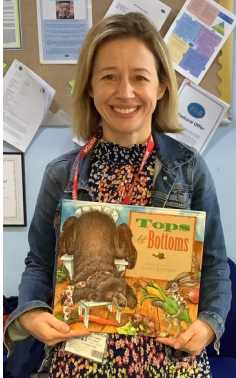
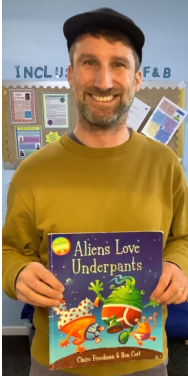
Sunday started off with a session at the soft play. Dexter, Leo and Ezra had a great time going down all the slides and playing in the ball pit. After this we went to our local supermarket to get a few bits in for the week. Dexter was super helpful in steering the boys to healthier options such as fruit. He also helped the boys choose a magazine each and they read them together while Leo and Ezra's Mummy packed and paid for all the shopping.

Finally, we decided to end our weekend by inviting some of our cuddly toys to a teddy bears picnic with Dexter as the special guest.

We all had a great time having Dexter stay with us and hope he did too!"



## Secret Reader / Poetry recital

	<p>“What a wonderful experience! To be able to share one of Matilda’s favourite stories with all of her friends was priceless”</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Ben M</b></p>		<p>“I loved reading to Panda Class today. Rose was so surprised and all the children listened so well to the story. A great experience”</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Fiona SE</b></p>
	<p>“Gecko class was so lovely and Vivian’s expression was one I won’t soon forget. The ideas from the kids were so creative”</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Jess D</b></p>		<p>“Amazing to be able to read to the class. To see an experience that only Frank sees daily is magic! Thanks!”</p> <p style="text-align: center;"><b>Michael D</b></p>

### Focus on Oracy: Poetry and rhymes

This fortnight’s poem is another one from Ria of Diverse Performing Arts.  
Please encourage your child to add expression and actions!

<p><b>Down Behind the Dustbin by Michael Rosen</b></p> <p>Down behind the dustbin I met a dog called Ted. ‘Leave me alone,’ he says, ‘I’m just going to bed.’</p> <p>Down behind the dustbin</p>	<p>I met a dog called Roger. ‘Do you own this bin?’ I said. ‘ No. I’m only a lodger.’</p> <p>Down behind the dustbin I met a dog called Sue. ‘What are you doing here?’ I said. ‘I’ve got nothing else to do.</p>
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# Allsorts—Community Group—Easter Addtion



# Term Dates 2023/2024

[Please click the link here: to find this years academic dates](#)



## Fawbert and Barnard Infants School Academic Year 2023-2024

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School days	School holidays	5 INSET Days/ 1 Occasional day	Bank Holiday	Weekend
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In addition, schools allocate five non-pupil days out of the school days indicated, or the equivalent in disaggregated twilight sessions.

<b>Autumn Term:</b>	Monday 4 September 2023 – Wednesday 20 December 2023 <i>Half Term 23 October – 27 October</i> <i>School Occasional Day 01/12/2023</i>
<b>Spring Term:</b>	Thursday 4 January 2024 – Thursday 28 March 2024 <i>Half Term 19 February - 23 February</i>
<b>Summer Term:</b>	Monday 15 April 2024 – Tuesday 23 July 2024 <i>Half Term 27 May – 31 May</i> <i>May Bank Holiday - 6 May</i>

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**WEAR**  
your own  
**CLOTHES**  
day

26th April 2024

Wear your own clothes in  
exchange for a coloured raffle  
item in preparation for our  
Rainbow Raffle later in the  
year.

Nursery -Red  
Reception – Orange  
Year 1 – Yellow  
Year 2 – Green

Year 3 - Blue  
Year 4 - Purple  
Year 5 - Pink  
Year 6 - White



*\*Please ensure any perishables have  
long best before dates (30/06/2024).*

**Parentkind**  
Member Association

Dear Parents/ Guardians,

Premier Education are very excited to be working in partnership with Fawbert and Barnard Infants School to deliver Extra-Curricular opportunities to the children of the school again moving into the 2024 Summer term. With over 20 years' experience in the field our Activity Professionals will deliver a safe, exciting, and fun learning experience for all children who attend. Our Sport Active Clubs are a fantastic way for children to develop new skills, keep fit and healthy, whilst also having fun with their friends. The clubs will be available for reception, year 1 and year 2 children.

Details of our upcoming clubs are listed below:

After School

Monday **Football** Club (15:15-16:15)

Year groups: Reception & Year 1

Start date: Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April 2024 / Last session: Monday 15<sup>th</sup> July 2024

Price: £78.00 for 12 Sessions

[BOOK HERE](#)

Tuesday **Basketball** Club (15:15-16:15)

Year groups: Reception, Year 1 & Year 2

Start date: Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> April 2024 / Last session: Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> July 2024

Price: £84.50 for 13 Sessions

[BOOK HERE](#)

Wednesday **Athletics** Club (15:15-16:15)

Year groups: Reception, Year 1 & Year 2

Start date: Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> April 2024 / Last session: Wednesday 17<sup>th</sup> July 2024

Price: £84.50 for 13 Sessions

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Thursday **Gymnastics** Club (15:15-16:15)

Year groups: Reception, Year 1 & Year 2

Start date: Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> April 2024 / Last session: Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July 2024

Price: £84.50 for 13 Sessions

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Friday **Football** Club (15:15-16:15)

Year groups: Year 1 & Year 2

Start date: Friday 19<sup>th</sup> April 2024 / Last session: Friday 12<sup>th</sup> July 2024

Price: £71.50 for 11 Sessions

[BOOK HERE](#)

To book please visit [www.premier-education.com](http://www.premier-education.com) and click on book a course, please type in postcode CM21 9AX. Please, note that we only accept online bookings. The online booking system is limited to 20 places, so please ensure you book early to avoid disappointment. Please note the school office will not accept bookings/payments.

Please contact [aemmerson@premier-education.com](mailto:aemmerson@premier-education.com) with any questions.

Kind regards,

Premier Education