



1st March 2021

# **Fairfield Newsletter**

#### **Weekly Update**



It has been a creative and fun start to Spring Term 2 at Fairfield: castles, planting, Egyptians Gods and Goddesses, Anglo-Saxon bread baking, emotion wheels/blocks designing, historic video reports about the plague and Passport to the World challenges including playing games from the past have been just some of the highlights!

We hope you enjoy our SHINE video for this week. © SHINE Assembly - 26.02.21

#### **Celebrations**



Congratulations to Miss Woodhead, Miss Cameron and Miss Wallis who have all achieved the SENDCo qualification!!

Congratulations to Mr Summers, Miss Hallam and Mrs Mayfield for passing the Level 5 PE qualification!!

### What's on the Horizon?



We have lots of exciting projects taking place to improve and enhance our provision and make Fairfield sparkle a little brighter...

To support healthy lifestyles and our school travel plan, **bike and scooter shelters** will be installed during the Easter holidays.

To support children's practical cooking experiences, we are creating a children's **Cooking Hub / Kitchen** (Junior MasterChef Champions in the making!)

To support our future technology innovators and entrepreneurs. An **Electronics/STEM Hub** is being developed, providing a space for children to take apart computers, make robots, code and so much more.

Phase 2 of the **main playground** project will be installed from 2nd August.

Friends of Fairfield info

# Monday 8th March!



We look forward to welcoming all of our children back on Monday 8<sup>th</sup> March. A letter with more information about the return to school has been sent today along with an overview of our wellbeing and curriculum approach - Reconnecting and Rising Strong.

#### St. David's Day

On Monday 1st March we will be celebrating St. David's Day. Children are welcome (at school and at home) to wear non-uniform and instead wear something red, green or white.

#### Principal's Coffee Zoom



If you would like to join a zoom with Mrs Sadler, to talk through thoughts and ideas, please feel free to join her on **Wednesday 10<sup>th</sup> March** at 4:30pm.

Join Zoom Meeting: https://us04web.zoom.us/j/9619886730?pwd=MVZkcDRDT0NtO0p3 R0O3T09RTUJaUT09

Meeting ID: 961 988 6730 - Password: Fairfield

# World Book Day – Fancy Dress!



World Book Day is taking place on **Thursday 4th March 2021.** 

On this day children will be **welcome to dress up as their favourite book character** (at home or in school) and will be taking part in lots of book related activities with their class.



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#### Calendar – Spring Term 2

**01/03** – St David's Day – **Non-uniform - Wear something** red, green or white

**04/03** – World Book Day – **Dress up as your favourite** character

**10/03 –** Principal's Coffee Evening via Zoom 4:30pm-5:30pm

12/03 – Red Nose Day – Red noses on sale at £1.50 each

**16/03** – SEND Surgery 9.30am



#### Calendar – Spring Term 2

17/03 – Year 3 Big Family Quiz Night – POSTPONED

17/03 - St Patrick's Day – Wear something green

**19/03 –** World Downs Syndrome Day – Wear odd socks

22/03 – World Poetry Day (in class activities)

26/03 - Stop & SHINE reports

**31/03** – Year 4 Spring Musical (shared online)

01/04 - Autism Day - Wear something blue

01/04 - Special Easter Lunch

#### Menu for week commencing 1st March 2021

Monday	BBQ Chicken / BBQ Quorn, Garden Pe med Rice, Garlic Slice	Steamed Treacle Sponge & Custard Cheese & Biscuits / Fresh Fruit & Yogurts
Tuesday	Roast Turkey / Roast Quorn, Creamed Potatoes, Broccoli, Stuffing	Butterscotch Tart Cheese & Biscuits / Fresh Fruit & Yogurts
Wednesday	Pepperoni Pasta Bake / Vegetable Pasta Bake, Sweetcorn, Garlic Slice	Strawberry Mousse & Shortbread Biscuit Cheese & Biscuits / Fresh Fruit & Yogurts
Thursday	Roast Chicken / Roast Quorn, Carrots, Creamed Potatoes, Yorkshire Pudding	Oaty Fruit Flapjack Cheese & Biscuits / Fresh Fruit & Yogurts
Friday	Fish Finger / Bean Bake, Baked Beans, Chips	Chocolate & Orange Muffin Cheese & Biscuits / Fresh Fruit & Yogurts
*Bread and Salad will be available at lunch		

## Nature to Nurture Project supported by Friends of Fairfield



After a great first meeting of Friends of Fairfield on Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> February (thank you to all that were able to attend!) it was decided our priority for the rest of the academic year would be to focus on pupil wellbeing. A project already discussed by school was to have a kitchen garden space with a relaxation/wellbeing area with sensory plants and herbs nearby. We are keen to support this project and so are asking for people to get involved.

**How can you support the project?** We'd love to hear from you if you would like to get involved in this project or have any donations for it. What would be useful at this stage is:

- Outdoor pots or planters (or a skill in making them?)
- Established hardy plants which could provide instant structure for the wellbeing area
- Compost/mulch, garden canes
- Gardening knowledge/expertise and a willingness to share this
- A commitment of an hour or two of time to put the garden together

Please email us at friendsoffairfield@fairfield.notts.sch.uk



