



Discovery Primary Academy



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13th September 2019

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Message from Ms Siequien

Welcome

A very warm welcome to all our Foundation Stage children who have joined Discovery Primary Academy this week. Everyone will be with us every day, all day next week including staying for lunch.

Patience

Can I ask all parents/carers to be patient as the children come out of the Academy at the end of the day. The class teachers are trying as quickly as they can to release children to the correct adult. **Please** do not get frustrated with staff or your children if this is taking time. I AM SURE you would prefer your child to be passed to the correct adult/s at the end of the day rather than a mistake being made because of impatience.

In return we will try to ensure we exit the academy doors at the correct time. For Foundation Stage, year 1 and 2 it is 3pm. Years 3 to 6 will be 3.05pm. On PE days or an unexpectedly day when birthday sweets are handed out it may take a little longer but we will try.

On Monday we will also be releasing year 5 through the bottom Foundation door onto the playground. They will then stand in front of the climbing wall with their teacher. This means year 4 will exit on the left hand side of the Atrium. The year 2 children will go down the middle steps whilst the year 3 children will go down the ramp on the right hand side. We are hoping that this will help support you and us safely exiting the building.

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Academy Uniform

Please remember if you are wearing socks or tights they need to be black tights or grey and white socks. Can you please ensure that your child/children do wear the correct colours. Thank you for your support.

Naming Uniform

Can we all make sure we name all items of uniform so if they get separated from their owner we can return them to the correct child. Name labels can be purchased from www.stikins.co.uk

School Values

We have been thinking about the ideals that are most important for our school. They are the values that we would like our children to develop so that they can go out into the world with happiness and self-belief. The children in Year 4, 5 and 6 have discussed ideas and have voted for confidence, happiness, responsibility, determination and honesty. If you would like to get involved and suggest a school value, please put your suggestions in the box in the main school entrance or email your suggestion to office@discovery.peterborough.sch.uk

Achieve

New Dinner Menu



The new autumn term menu started on Monday 9th September. There are lots of lovely new meals available for the children. If your child is in Foundation, Year 1 or Year 2 school meals are free **Yay!** so why not try one of our new meals.

Reading Buddies

We want to say a big thank you to all the children in Year 4, 5 and 6 who have become Reading Buddies. They help some of the younger children in school, listening to them read at lunchtime. Reading is so important and makes such a difference to the children's learning across the curriculum. We really appreciate their help and support. They are superstars!

Sports Clubs

All spaces for sports clubs have now been allocated. Your child will have been given a reply slip to notify them if they have a place for their chosen club. If you are not sure if your child has a place, please contact the Academy office.

Clubs will start back week commencing the 16th September.

Thank you

Aldi Kits for Schools

We are now collecting for the Aldi kit for schools. Children can bring their stickers to the main office; we can then add the stickers to the board.

Let's get collecting!



The poster features a collage of various Team GB stickers at the top. Below this, the text reads: 'ALDI'S KIT FOR SCHOOLS' in large blue letters, followed by 'We're collecting Team GB stickers with Aldi's Kit for Schools.' and 'Help us collect 300 stickers to complete our poster and we'll receive an exclusive sports kit plus a chance to win £20,000!' in bold yellow and red. At the bottom, there are logos for Team GB, Get Set Eat Fresh, and Aldi.

Dress like a Rock Star Day Friday

20th September



To launch our new times tables app and to raise funds to support our Bank and Shop, we are launching a 'dress like a rockstar' day. All children are welcome to come to school dressed like a Rock Star for a £1.00 donation.

Each class will be introduced to the times table app and have the opportunity to have a go and create their own avatar and rockstar name. They will then be able to access these at home too enabling them to further improve times table knowledge.

Dance Classes



Be Amazing, Be You, Be Part of a Dance Crew!

After school dance club with Miss Charlie on Thursdays from 3pm-4pm.

The cost is £20 per half term, payable on the first day of attendance.

If you are interested, please collect a form from the office.

Reading Challenge



We have started a new reading challenge! The children will be working together to gain 100 stamps on their class **Race to Read** chart. The first class to reach 100 stamps will win a class treat that has been chosen by the children. To earn a stamp, children must read their **school reading book at least 5 times** at home each week. The week will run from Friday to Friday. It does not have to be five different books; it can be five consecutive reads of the same book. Teachers will check reading diaries every Friday and stamps will be added to the chart.

Diary Dates

Year 1 Peterborough Museum Visit	19 th September 2019
Dress like a Rock Star Day	20 th September 2019
Individual Photos	16 th October 2019
Half term week	21 st October 2019 - 25 th October 2019

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Reception to Year 6



**Sept
2019**



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non-consent for your
child's nasal flu
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Summer term menu

Week 1

9th Sept, 23rd Sept, 7th Oct, 28th Oct,
11th Nov, 25th Nov, 9th Dec

Monday

Macaroni Cheese or Tomato and Basil pasta bake
with chunky bread and baby corn.

Oaty fruit crunch and custard.

Tuesday

Sausage Casserole or Vegetarian Sausage Casserole
with new potatoes and carrots.

Pineapple Upside Down cake and custard.

Wednesday

Homemade Beef Lasagne or Vegetable Lasagne with
garlic bread and mixed vegetables.

Selection of homemade biscuits.

Thursday

Roast Chicken or Quorn fillet with Yorkshire Pudding
and gravy with roast potatoes and broccoli.

Raspberry polenta cake and custard.

Friday

Battered fish or veggie nuggets with chips, beans or
mushy peas.

Fruity jelly or whip.

Week 2

16th Sept, 30th Sept, 14th Oct, 4th
Nov, 18th Nov, 2nd Dec, 16th Dec

Monday

Pork Meatballs in tomato and basil sauce or Veggie
balls in tomato and basil sauce with wholemeal
rice and green beans.

Ginger cake and custard.

Tuesday

Beef Pie or cheese whirls with mashed potato and
garden peas.

Oaty biscuit.

Wednesday

Chicken Carbonara or Carbonara veggie style with
crusty bread and sweetcorn.

Orange crumble slice.

Thursday

Traditional mince in rich gravy or Quorn mince in
rich gravy with Yorkshire Pudding, roast potato,
swede and carrots.

Apple and Blackberry crumble with Crème Fraiche.

Friday

Homemade Margarita pizza or Omega Fish Fingers
with chips and baked beans.

Chocolate beetroot brownies.

Freshly prepared

- Freshly prepared salad and fruit bar available everyday.
- Third vegetarian option available each day.
- Please note menus may be subject to change without notice.
- Allergies **MUST** be reported to the office.

