Landau Forte Academy Greenacres

Our Academy Newsletter: 30th April 2021

Update from Principal — Children have settled well following the Easter break. The children and staff are working hard to help everyone catch up on any missed learning. Thank you for all your support and the work you are doing at home.

Year 5 have started swimming with the extra measures in place for covid safety. The system is working well and the children are enjoying the experience.

Now that shops are fully open can I ask that all children are in uniform and that brightly coloured trainers are not worn to school.

Although the Covid restrictions are gradually easing, we will take longer to get back to normal within school. We will not be gathering for assemblies until the autumn term.

Monday 3rd May is a Bank holiday and school will be closed. Enjoy the long weekend.

Red Nose Day for Comic Relief — Thank you for helping us to raise **£305.00.**

Book Amnesty — Could we please ask you to return all reading books that were loaned out during lockdown as we now seem to have a shortage of books in school.

Letter from Staffordshire Police —

Following our last letter to you during our Ditch the Blade campaign in autumn last year we wanted to get back in touch to remind you that you can still help. Everyone can make a difference in the fight against knife crime. It's really important that parents, carers and teachers continue having conversations about knife crime with children and young people so they understand the risks and consequences.

The Ditch the Blade campaign encourages young people not to carry knives and to instead choose a different path for their lives, one without the risk of prison, serious injury or death.

We have recently updated our dedicated #DitchtheBlade webpages on our website. It now contains specific help and advice for parents/carers, teachers and young people, and there are a range of useful resources including case studies, videos and podcasts. The podcasts aim to help parents and carers understand how they can talk to children about knife crime. You can hear from a parent with lived experience, as well as some of the agencies that help tackle the issue and work with young people on a day-to-day basis.

There is also information on who can help if you are worried about a child and think they are involved with knife crime. To view the webpages visit: www.staffordshire.police.uk/ditchtheblade

We know that the overwhelming majority of young people will never be affected by knife crime but a conversation with your child will help us collectively make a difference. Thank you for your continued support in this matter.
Chief Inspector Rob Hessell, Knife Crime Lead, Staffordshire Police

Calendar

03/05/2021 — May Day Bank Holiday

28/05/2021 — Break up for Spring Bank Holiday (1 week)

07/06/2021— Return to school

21/07/21 — Last day of Term for Pupils

22/07/21 — Teacher Training Day

THIS WEEK'S MENU

Week 3
Week commencing 3 May 2021

MONDAY	BANK HOLIDAY				
TUESDAY	Chicken Goujons Or Quorn Pieces	Jacket Potato	Diced Potatoes	Tinned Spaghetti Or Peas Or Salad	Homemade Chocolate Shortcake Fruit or Yoghurt
WEDNESDAY	Gammon Or Cheese Flan	Jacket Potato	Roast Potatoes Or Creamed Potatoes	Carrots Or Cabbage Or Salad	Homemade Iced Sponge & Custard Fruit or Yoghurt
THURSDAY	Italian Chicken Or Tomato & Basil Pasta	Jacket Potato	Pasta & Garlic Bread	Sweetcorn Or Green Beans Or Salad	White Chocolate Cookies Fruit or Yoghurt
FRIDAY	Hot Dog Or Quorn Sausage	Jacket Potato	Chips	Baked Beans Or Peas Or Salad	Muffin Fruit/Yoghurt

THIS WEEK'S MENU

Week 4
Week commencing 10 May 2021

MONDAY	All Day Breakfast Bacon, Sausage, Omelette Or Vegetarian Breakfast	Jacket Potato	Hash Brown	Baked Beans Or Tomatoes Or Salad	Ice Cream Tub Fruit or Yoghurt
TUESDAY	Bolognaise Or Vegetable Pasta	Jacket Potato	Pasta & Garlic Bread	Sweetcorn Or Peas Or Salad	Chocolate Chip Cookie Fruit or Yoghurt
WEDNESDAY	Roast Beef & Yorkshire Pudding Or Cheese & Potato Pie	Jacket Potato	Roast Potatoes Or Creamed Potatoes	Carrots Or Cabbage Or Salad	Homemade Chocolate Sponge & Custard Fruit or Yoghurt
THURSDAY	Homemade Chicken Pie Or Vegetable Pie	Jacket Potato	Wedges	Broccoli Or Cauliflower Or Salad	Homemade Flapjack Fruit or Yoghurt
FRIDAY	Fish Or Veggie Nuggets	Jacket Potato	Chips	Baked Beans Or Peas Or Salad	Doughnut Fruit/Yoghurt