



Forde Class Weekly Newsletter Friday 21st March 2025



'Building Lifelong Foundations Together'

Attendance



Attendance Matters!



Every Student, Every School, Every Day

Class	Weekly Attendance
Forde	91%
Courtenay	96%
Templar	99% Well done

This week's whole school attendance: 95.4 %
Last week's whole school attendance: 95.4%

RAG Rating		98% and above
		96.1%- 97.9%
		96% and below

Our whole school attendance target is 96%

Home Learning

Please read 4x a week.

Please see your child's Home Learning book which comes home every **Friday**

Dear Parents,

It has been a lovely week in Forde class, with lots of learning and opportunities to work together as a team. This half term we have been focusing on our school value of 'love' and we have been talking to the children about how to show love in small ways every day. The children have been keeping our classroom tidy, being polite to each other and adults, and showing kindness to their friends.

In Maths this week we have been working on multiplication and division, looking particularly at 2s, 5s and 10s. The children have been working on sharing and grouping and reciting their times tables. In Reception, the children have been looking at the composition of the numbers 9 and 10.

Star of the Week:

Evangelin – for always being ready to learn and working hard.

In Science the children were using magnets to find out which materials were magnetic. They enjoyed checking the objects in the classroom to see which ones reacted to the magnets.

It was lovely to see the children dressed up for Red Nose Day today. Thank you all for your kind donations towards this worthy cause.

Have a great weekend,

Mrs Perry-Bates and the KS1 team

MESSAGE FROM MR O’SULLIVAN

We Believe:

This week we have been focusing on the theme of showing love through forgiveness. In our worship and class discussions, we have explored how forgiveness strengthens friendships, builds trust, and helps us to move forward with kindness. It has been wonderful to see them applying this in their daily interactions, demonstrating compassion and understanding towards their friends.

We are Stronger Together

We have also been celebrating the success of our after-school clubs this year. It has been brilliant to see so many children taking part in a wide range of activities, from sports and crafts to drama and choir. The high levels of enthusiasm and engagement have been fantastic, and we are so pleased that our children are embracing these opportunities to develop new skills, build confidence, and have fun outside of lesson time. A big thank you to our staff and external providers for making these clubs such an enjoyable part of school life.

We all belong in our School Trust

A reminder to our Year 4 parents that our times table breakfast club continues to run, offering children extra support and practice in preparation for their multiplication check. Additionally, we will be holding a parent meeting straight after school on Wednesday, 2nd April, to provide more information about the multiplication check and how you can support your child at home. We encourage all Year 4 parents to attend, as this is a great opportunity to ask any questions and gain a better understanding of what to expect.

In realising the possible so that all children can flourish

Finally, the race for this term’s attendance breakfast is extremely close! Attendance has been a key focus this term, and we are so pleased to see classes striving to achieve the highest percentage. Every school day matters, and we want to thank parents for their support in ensuring children are in school and ready to learn. With just a few weeks left to go, it could still be anyone’s prize—let’s keep up the fantastic effort!



A HUGE thank you to our all Comic Relief supporters today. Through your generosity we raised a fantastic £63.30.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

MARCH 2025

6.3.25 World Book Day – Please see letter sent home

12 and 13.3.25 Parent Consultations

13.3.25 -PTFA Bake Sale – TEMPLAR

28.3.25 Non school uniform – please bring in an Easter treat for the PTFA raffle / PTFA Carer day craft

APRIL 2025

2.4.25 Easter Service at St Paul's 1.45pm

3.4.25 Easter PTFA Raffle

4.4.25 Treat for Class Bake Sale Winners

7 – 22.4.25 Easter Break

23.4.25 Back to School

SUMMER TERM

MAY 2025

15.5.25 Forde Bake Sale

JUNE 2026

19.6.25 Courtenay Bake Sale

JULY 2026

17.7.25 Templar Bake Sale

18.7.25 PTFA Summer Fete

OFFICE NEWS

Please take a look at our new summer school menu and ensure that you pre-book your child's options at home via the MCAS app. If you have any issues with the app, please let Mrs Webber know.

FRESH FRUIT & YOGHURT SERVED DAILY


SUMMER MENU
Week one

Week Commencing: 21/4, 12/5, 9/6, 30/6, 21/7

	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Option ONE	British Chicken Pesto Pasta Bake with Sweetcorn and Peas	Devon Pork Sausages with Creamed Potatoes, Carrots, Broccoli and Gravy	Roast Gammon with Roast Potatoes, Seasonal Vegetables and Gravy	BBQ Chicken Pizza with Potato Wedges, Salad and Slaw	Breaded Fish or Salmon Fingers with Chips and Beans or Peas
Option TWO	Vegan Pastry Roll with Pasta, Sweetcorn and Peas	Quorn Sausage with Creamed Potatoes, Carrots, Broccoli and Gravy	Hominy Pie with Roast Potatoes, Seasonal Vegetables and Gravy	Margherita Pizza with Potato Wedges, Salad and Slaw	Cheese, Beans and Potato Pasty with Chips and Beans or Peas
Pick a JACKET POTATO	Beans, Cheese, or Tuna	Beans, Cheese, or Tuna	Beans, Cheese, or Tuna	Beans, Cheese, or Tuna	Beans, Cheese, or Tuna
Pick a SANDWICH OR WRAP	Tuna Sandwich or Chicken Mayo Wrap	Ham Sandwich or Cheese Salad Wrap	Egg Mayo Sandwich or Chicken Mayo Salad Wrap	Cream Cheese and Cucumber Sandwich or Tuna Mayo Salad Wrap	Cheese Sandwich or Ham and Tomato Wrap
Pick a DESSERT	Fruit Platter or Yoghurt	Chocolate Brownie	Fruit Jelly	Jam and Coconut Cake	Custard Cookie

Educating
The School Food Revolution

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SUMMER MENU

Week two

Week Commencing: 28/4, 19/5, 16/6, 7/7

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Option ONE	Tomato and Vegetable Pasta Bake with Garlic Bread and Salad	Chicken Biryani with Peas and Sweetcorn	Roast Pork with Roast Potatoes, Seasonal Vegetables and Gravy	Dartmoor Beef Bolognese with Penne Pasta and Broccoli	Fish Fingers with Chips, Beans and Peas
Option TWO	Vegetable and Mozzarella Tart with Garlic Bread and Salad	Cauliflower and Butternut Squash Curry with Rice, Peas and Sweetcorn	Cauliflower and Broccoli Bake with Roast Potatoes, Seasonal Vegetables and Gravy	Vegan Bolognese with Penne Pasta and Broccoli	Vegetable Nuggets with Chips and Peas
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FREE SCHOOL MEALS

With the recent change in Government in the UK, we have been informed that it is possible that there may be a change with new free school meal applications.

Currently if you apply for Free School Meals and you are successful your child is guaranteed to have free school meals until they leave Primary School at the end of Year 6. We have been informed that after **1st April 2025** this may change and your children would be subject to ongoing checks and if your circumstances change you may no longer be eligible and free school meals would stop.

Therefore, can we please encourage any family who thinks they may be entitled to free school meals (even if your child is in Reception or Key Stage 1 and therefore does not currently pay for their meals), to please apply as soon as possible and before the end of March 2025. If you are successful this will guarantee your child remains eligible until the end of Primary School.

You can make the application online at the Devon Citizen Portal [Free school meals - Support for schools and settings](#) Alternatively, please email the school at allsaints@lapsw.org and a paper form can be sent home which can be returned to the office who will then submit this for you. Please do remember though, this needs to be before the end of March 2025 to ensure you receive this on an ongoing basis.

If your child is already eligible then you do not need to take any action and your child will remain eligible until the end of Year 6.

If you have any concerns or questions please do contact the school office.

FACEBOOK

We have changed pages – please follow us at <https://www.facebook.com/allsaintsLAP> to keep updates with what's going on

PARKING PERMITS

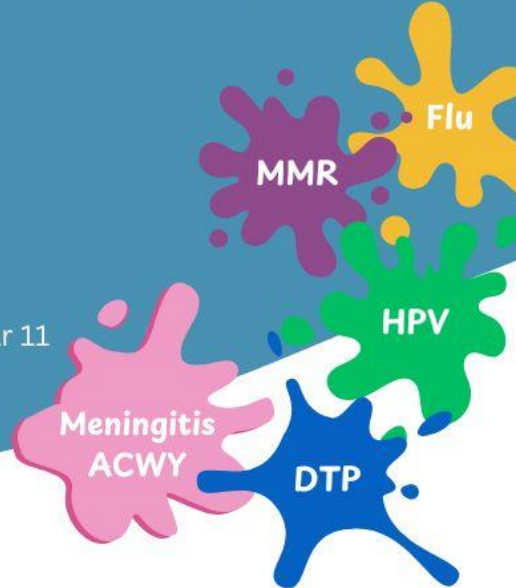
We have been issued with new car parking permits by the Council. The permits allow you to park in Osborne Street car park for free at pick up and drop off. If you would like a new permit please let Mrs Webber know.

FAMILY SUPPORT

School aged vaccinations

Did you know children will be offered these routine vaccinations at school?

- ✓ Flu - reception - year 11
- ✓ MMR - catch up
- ✓ HPV - year 8 - year 11
- ✓ Meningitis ACWY - year 9 - year 11
- ✓ Diphtheria, Tetanus, Polio (DTP) - year 9 - year 11



Did you miss us?

We also have community clinics across Devon for:

- ✓ Home educated children
- ✓ Anxious children
- ✓ Children who missed the session at school

For more information, scan the QR code, or call us to speak with a member of our team



Call us on **01392 342678**

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