

Waterman Primary School



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Dear Parents / Carers,

This week we have really noticed the change in the weather. Acorn class have been enjoying Autumnal walks and splashing in puddles, Chestnut class have been inspired by the autumnal colours and using colour mixing and printing techniques have produced some wonderful artwork.

With the change in weather please ensure your child has a warm coat, gloves and scarves in school – all named of course! Also PE kits need to include warm jogging bottoms and jumpers – we often use these to layer up for Forest Schools too. All children are expected to have the right kit in school and to participate in all aspects of the curriculum.

Bagels on the playground have proved popular. If, due to weather, we don't serve on the playground then the bagels will be provided on arrival to the classrooms.

Mrs E Thorn

Reminders:

- Photo orders to be returned by Weds 28th Nov
- Thurs 29th Nov – Geography day. Parents invited to watch dance performance 2.45pm
- **Uniform** ALL pupils in Willow and Oak class should wear a shirt, tie and v-neck jumper / cardigan. **Footwear** Trainers are not part of the school uniform.

School menu:

Next week is week 2 of the menu.

Please note there are some changes, see below for next week's meal choices



New Payment System

We will be introducing a new cashless payment system next term allowing payments to be made electronically – more details to follow.

Best attendance this week goes to:

Oak

Acorn: 95.5%
 Chestnut: 89%
 Willow: 93%
 Oak: 96%

Whole School Attendance: 92.8%

Target: 97%

12 Lates this week : **585** minutes lost learning time

Awards this week

Star Pupils: Dhani, William W, Saoirse, Libbie-Mae

Pupils on Gold: Dhani, Isla, Charlotte, Emily, Anne-Marie, Tilly x2, Aiden, William S, Mickenzie

Special Table: Dhani, Angel-Rae, Tilly, Forrester

WoW Work: Charlotte, William L, Tilly, Aiden, William S

Moved up a reading level: William L, Carpenter, Ollie, Tilly, Saoirse

Team Points

	This week	Total
Bobbin Red	55	547
Reservoir Blue	68	542
Magnolia Yellow	71	537
Cherry Orchard Green	65	534

Well done

The following children have supported the whole school attendance by being here 100% with no lates. Well done to all of you!

Acorn	Siddy, Aleesha-Skyy, Dhani, Isla, Max, Kendra, Shanlee
Chestnut	Ronnie, Hattie, Mitchell, Angel-Rae, Finlee, Jacob-Jay, William, Kaiden, Pashee, Emily, Tommy-Lee, Mia, Syeira, Beau, William, Violet
Willow	Shazia, Lillie, Hannah, Mason, Alfie, Katherine, Layla-May, Saoirse, Phoebe, David, Lola, Anne-Marie, Tilly, Lacey, Charity, Johnny, Billy, Takara, Aeryn
Oak	Albe, Connie, Forrester, Mickenzie, Aiden, Matthew, Francesca, Rowan, Libbie-Mae, Daisy, Caiden, Matthew, Yasmin, Brooke-Lee, Alex, William, Oliver

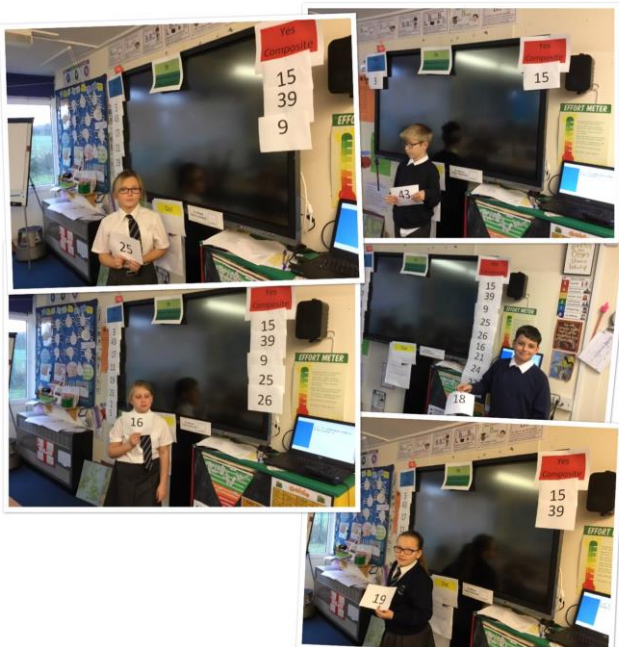
Please note in order for the newsletter to be ready attendance figures are taken from Friday-Thursday

Vacancy for Caretaker

We are seeking a part time Caretaker to help keep our school site safe and well maintained. If you are interested in this position you can see more information at www.essexschoolsjobs.co.uk. The last date applications is Thursday 29th November but we will shortlist as soon as we receive sufficient applications.

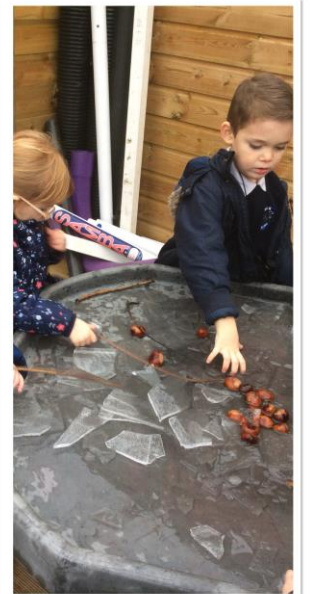
SUPERHERO CHALLENGE

Takara beat Black Widow



Oak class created their own prime/composite number machine

Acorn Class exploring ice





















December Diary Dates	
Fri 7 th Dec	Disco 4pm-6pm
Weds 12 th Dec	Nativity performance – younger siblings welcome
Thurs 13 th Dec	Nativity performance – parents / carers only
Fri 14 th Dec	Family Christmas dinner day (book by 5 th Dec, see letter)
Fri 14 th Dec	Christmas Jumper day (£1 donation to Save the Children)
Weds 19 th Dec	Music presentation

Waterman's
CHRISTMAS DISCO
 4pm-6pm
 Friday 7th December
 £2.50 per child
 including sandwich, crisps & drink

additional sweets, drinks & crisps available

Menu for Week Commencing 26th November

<h2>Monday</h2> <p>'MEAT FREE'</p> <p>Rainbow Pasta With Schools Favourite Sauce</p>  <p>Sweetcorn Mixed Green Salad</p>  <p>Salad</p>  <p>Carrot & Parsnip Cake</p>	<h2>Tuesday</h2> <p>Chicken Chunks</p>  <p>Vegetable Parcels</p>  <p>Buttered New Potatoes Fresh Carrots Peas</p>  <p>Salad</p>  <p>Mandarin Orange Zingy Jelly with Ice Cream</p>	<h2>Wednesday</h2> <p>Roast Gammon Yorkshire Pudding Gravy</p>  <p>Quorn Fillet Toad in the Hole</p>  <p>Roast Potatoes Fresh Cauliflower Green Beans</p>  <p>Fresh Fruit Platter</p>	<h2>Thursday</h2> <p>Butchers Beef Burger in a Bun with Tomato Sauce</p>  <p>Bean Burger in a Bun with Tomato Sauce</p>  <p>Wedges Sweetcorn</p>  <p>Salad</p>  <p>Chocolate Crispy</p>	<h2>Friday</h2> <p>Fish Fingers</p>  <p>Quorn Dippers</p>  <p>Chips Baked Beans Peas</p>  <p>Salad</p>  <p>Fresh Fruit Pots or Iced Fruit Smoothie</p>
<p><i>Also available Daily; Whole Fresh Fruit / Yeo Valley Yogurt Fromage Frais Little Star / Jelly / Fresh Milk and Water / Wholemeal Bread</i></p> 