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After School Club – Themed Sessions from w/c the 7th of June to 23rd of July

Wednesday - Games

A selection of interactive games will be played – some examples being, Chinese Whispers, Tag and Chess. These will be decided upon each week to accommodate the age group of the attendees. To attend, please email the office to book a place.

Friday – PE

Mr Falkingham will be leading a PE Club (ball games) for **Reception, Year 1 and Year 2** children from 3.15-4.15pm every Friday after half term. Please can we ask parents/carers to book a place on this club as we will have a limited number of spaces, places will be given on a first come first basis. Please email the office to book your place.

If required, there is still an after school club available with Mrs Burton.

Bags2School

We previously advised you in the bulletin about collecting unwanted items for Bags2School. We are sending home in each child's Book Bag this week, a bag for the goods along with a note to explain what they can and cannot take, drop off dates and location. If you require further details, you can also look them up on line following the Link: <u>url.htm</u>

Please help to raise money for Foston School and put unwanted items to good use. Any questions please contact Helen or Ness (numbers on the letter) rather than school. Thank you

Staffing Update

Leaver -It is with great sadness that I share with you that Miss Band will be leaving us at the end of this academic year.

Kiki has always wanted to live and work in the Lake District and was, not surprisingly, successful at a recent interview and will fulfill this dream from September onwards. A huge thankyou to Kiki for the amazing impact she has had in our school. Her cheery attitude,

fabulous teaching and motivation to provide her class with the very best education will be sadly missed at Foston and across our

federation/collaboration.

New Starter - We are extremely pleased to announce that we appointed Mr Neil Carlisle to the post of KS2 teacher to work with Miss Stringer and Mrs Allon. Mr Carlisle was a firm favourite with both children and adults on the interview day. He is already well established as a student teacher within our federation team. I know you will join me in giving him a huge Foston welcome.

Parents and Friends of Foston Primary School

When restrictions are lifted we are keen to reinstate our PAFFS group who have, in the past, made a huge impact on fundraising for school. If you are interested in being part of this group please contact the school office and we will be in touch with an initial meeting date as soon as restrictions allow.

We are also keen, if restrictions allow, to organize our end of term barbeque which is always a lovely end to the school year. If anyone is keen to lead or support with the provisional organisation for this their help would be greatly appreciated.

Updated School Lunch Menu

I am sure you will join me in offering our thanks to Mrs Meadowcroft for the delicious school lunches she is providing across our 3 schools. The take up for meals has been good. Please find attached our updated menu. Whilst this is a set menu there can be unforeseen changes due to the availability of stock to the kitchen.

Playtime Changes

We have made the decision after half term, due to the easing of national restrictions and as we are small schools, that outdoor playtimes will be undertaken as a whole school again. We strongly feel that our children benefit from the family feel of our cross school playtimes.

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Pictures of some of the activities the Pupils have been involved with this Half Term

<u>Class 1</u>

The children in Nursery and Reception had a walk to see this new sheep and lambs in the field near school this week. They enjoyed talking about the new life they could see and watching the sheep care for their baby lambs. The children thought they were very cute!



Class 2

This week, to finish our topic looking at *Schools in the Past*, we got creative and sat outside to observe, sketch and then paint our school using watercolours. It was so lovely to get back outdoors again after such a long stretch of rain



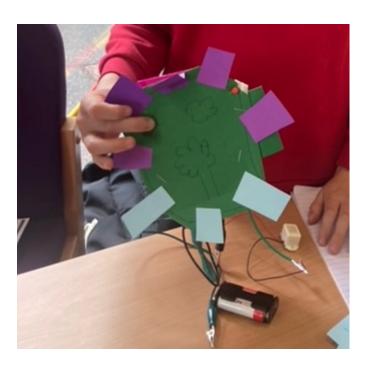


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Class 3

Key Stage 2 have been very busy this half term learning all about alarm systems and consolidating their previous work on circuits. They have designed different alarms and have made prototypes which they have then tested.





DIARY DATES

Sports Events	Friday : 28th of May 2021
Sports Enhancement Day	
Summer Half Term	Last Day of School –Friday 28th May 2021
Toddler and Pre School Worksop	Tuesday 15th June 2021
Nursery Rhymes	Time 1.30-2.30pm Foston School
<u>World Days</u>	
Charity Fundraising Day	Friday : 18th of June- Further Details nearer the date
Toddler and Pre School Worksop	Monday 28th June 2021
All about Numbers	Time 1.30-2.30pm Foston School
Toddler and Pre School Worksop	Monday 5th July 2021
Let's Get Creative	Time 1.30-2.30pm Foston School
<u>Sports Events</u>	Wednesday: 7th of July 2021
Sports Day	
Toddler and Pre School Worksop	Tuesday 13th July 2021
Sensory Play	Time 1.30-2.30pm Foston School

Please note we cannot guarantee these events will go ahead due to Covid restrictions