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Year 3 Settling in Survey

A couple of weeks ago, I visited all the classes in Year 3 to ask our youngest children how they feel they have settled into life in the junior school. For the first time, all the children completed a Google form and they were, as you would expect, brilliant with the technology!

There were 80 responses (44 boys and 36 girls). 95% of the children said they enjoy coming to school and 97% said they feel happy and safe in school. Every child (100%) thinks that behaviour is good and 97% said that the other children in school are friendly. Every child likes their teacher and believe our teachers are kind and fair. 99% believe their teacher helps them if they have a problem or a worry. Nearly 98% told me they learn a lot in class and that their work is 'just right' (not far too hard or far too easy). 96% said that they would know what to do if they were treated badly or unfairly (NOT that they had been!) and 97% know how to keep themselves safe online.

Thank you very much to all our Year 3 children for providing me with great feedback, which I have passed in full to Mrs Woods and the Year 3 team.

Attendance Celebration — It was FAB!

Yesterday morning we held our Be In It To Win It celebration. We organised eight different events for the teachers in each Year team to tackle, including apple bobbing, wrapping a guitar for Christmas, collecting lots of items from around the school and wrapping a child in bin bags (head free of course!). We had a brilliant time and each event won points for the year groups. After a tight competition, the points were counted and the top prize went to Year 3.

Well done to all the staff who participated. They showed great spirit and gave all the children a memorable time.



Bits and Pieces!

Thank you very much for your support with last week's Harvest Festival. Our donations were collected by Southampton City Mission and they were completely bowled over by the sheer amount you gave. Today's non-uniform day has raised a magnificent £307.54 for Simon Says and we also raised a fantastic £225 at this week's discos for our school. Attached to this edition of the *Fairisle Times* is a flyer for a forthcoming parental wellbeing workshop on Thursday 9 November at 1.30pm. No need to book, just turn up.

Parents' Evening Work Share — Wednesday 15 November

From 3.20 until 5.40pm on Wednesday 15 November, we look forward to welcoming parents and children into school to meet teachers and share outcomes from this half term.

Please come in through the main reception.

Signing in will take place in the children's classrooms. Look forward to seeing you.

SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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**FAIRISLE JUNIOR SCHOOL WINTER MENU 2023-24
FOUR CHOICE MENU**

WEEK COMMENCING	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
WEEK 1 31/10/23 20/11/23 11/12/23 15/01/24 05/02/24 04/03/24 25/03/24	Pork Sausages & Gravy Tomato Pasta Cheesy Pasta Jacket Potato with Choice of Fillings Mashed Potato Seasonal Vegetables & Salad Chocolate Shortbread	BBQ Chicken Sub Cheese & Tomato Pizza Tomato Pasta Jacket Potato with Choice of Fillings Waffle fries Seasonal Vegetables & Salad Marbled Sponge	Mac 'n` Cheese Vegetable Goujons Roasted Vegetable Pasta Jacket Potato with Choice of Fillings Potato Wedges Seasonal Vegetables & Salad Iced Cookie	Roast Chicken Vegetarian Pasty Tomato Pasta Jacket Potato with Choice of Fillings Roast Potatoes Seasonal Vegetables & salad Mini Flapjack	Fish Fingers Sweet Potato & Lentil Curry Vegetarian Bolognese Jacket Potato With Choice of Fillings Chips/Rice Seasonal Vegetables & salad Apple & Cinnamon Crumble with Custard
WEEK 2 06/11/23 27/11/23 01/01/24 22/01/24 19/02/24 11/03/24	Katsu Chicken Curry Veggie Sausage Tomato Pasta Jacket Potato with Choice of Fillings Rice/Potato Crispers Seasonal Vegetables & Salad Vanilla Crunch	Beef Bolognese Cheese & Tomato Pizza Cheesy Pasta Jacket Potato with Choice of Fillings Potato Wedges Seasonal Vegetables & Salad Banana & Chocolate Muffin	Vegan Sausage Roll Tomato Pasta Roasted Vegetable Pasta Jacket Potato with Choice of Fillings Mashed Potato Seasonal Vegetables & Salad Winter Honey Cookie	Roast Beef Cheesy Whirl Tomato Pasta Jacket Potato with Choice of Fillings Roast Potatoes Seasonal Vegetables & Salad Milk Chocolate Crispy with Fruit Wedges	Salmon Fishcakes Quorn Nuggets Vegetarian Bolognese Jacket Potato With Choice of Fillings Chips Seasonal Vegetables & Salad Vanilla Sponge with Custard
WEEK 3 13/11/23 04/12/23 08/01/24 29/01/24 26/02/24 18/03/24	Chicken Nuggets Veggie Burger Cheesy Pasta Jacket Potato with Choice of Fillings Mashed Potatoes Seasonal Vegetables & Salad Mini Shortbread with Fruit Wedges	Cheesy Bacon Pasta Cheese & Tomato Pizza Tomato Pasta Jacket Potato with Choice of Fillings Potato Crispers Seasonal Vegetables & Salad Oaty Biscuit	Quorn Burger in a Bun Vegetarian Bolognese Roasted Vegetable Pasta Jacket Potato with Choice of Fillings Waffle Fries Seasonal Vegetables & Salad Jam Doughnut Muffin	Chicken & Sweetcorn Pie Veggie Sausage Turnover Tomato Pasta Jacket Potato with Choice of Fillings Roast Potatoes Seasonal Vegetables & Salad Apple & Apricot Flapjack	Battered Fish Cheese & Potato Pasty Vegetarian Bolognese Jacket Potato with Choice of Fillings Chips Seasonal Vegetables & Salad Chocolate Sponge with Chocolate Sauce

Salad selection available every day

Dessert: Yoghurt or seasonal fruit available daily as an alternative dessert.