



# Perryfields Junior School

## *The Flyer*

Week 2 – September 2023

### Headteacher's Message

Dear Parents/Carers

I can't believe that we have only been back to school for two weeks - so much has been happening! Personally, I have been delighted with the way the children have been getting involved in a variety of different learning activities. It has been a pleasure walking around the school visiting each of the classrooms to see what they have been up to and how hard they are all working – a super start!

All staff have been using our new website, so please take the time to browse through the class blogs which provide useful snapshots of how busy we have all been. Also, please refer to the School Calendar on the website which informs us all of important events to remember.

Well done to all those children who have been competing for House Representative, School Council, Digital Leaders and ECO-Warrior positions this week - we have been really impressed with your speeches. Today the whole school are voting for House Representatives and the results will be announced next week - good luck everyone!

I would like to take this opportunity to remind you that our school day starts at 8:40; gates open at 8:40 and close at 8:50. Unfortunately, we have had a large number of children arriving after 8.50, which means lost learning time for them and it also disrupts the learning for others in their classes. Please help us to provide a positive start to the day by ensuring your children are here on time.

Thank you.

I hope you all have a lovely weekend.

Jane Hasler

### Pupil of the Week

Cowell: Zayyan  
Seuss: Elizabeth  
Walliams: Isabelle L  
Lewis: Leo  
Dahl: Meghna  
Rowling: Lilah-Rose  
Tolkien: Max  
Morpurgo: Lucy  
Pullman: Channah

Award for  
Outstanding Manners  
*Alisa – Seuss Class*  
*Aidan – Seuss Class*

*Mrs Siddall's Attendance Award*  
*Cowell Class 100%*

## ATTENDANCE

The national expectation for attendance is 96%. The government has clarified the position regarding the term 'regular' attendance. It means children must be in school **EVERY DAY**. Every second counts at Perryfields. We **must** work together to improve attendance and punctuality even more.

Year 3	98.5%
Year 4	92.2%
Year 5	91.4%
Year 6	97%



## **Reminders/Notices**

**New Parents:** Year 3 children have now brought home a letter detailing how to set up ScoPay and School Ping accounts.

**PE Kits:** Your child should have a PE kit in school all week. Can we please also remind you that children will need to remove earrings and must be able to do this themselves.

**School Car Park:** Please do not park in the school car park to drop off or collect children at any time. The car park is strictly for staff of the Junior and surrounding schools. Please also refrain from using the area in front of the gates as this can cause traffic problems for staff trying to enter and leave the car park.

## ***Coming up so far this half term:***

Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> September	11+ Maths Club starts
Tuesday 19 <sup>th</sup> September	The Boswells School talk to year 6 parents @ 3.30pm in the school hall, email sent 11 <sup>th</sup> September
Wednesday 20 <sup>th</sup> September	Dance Club starts
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> September	Flu Immunisations – email sent 8 <sup>th</sup> September
Thursday 21 <sup>st</sup> September	LAMDA Club starts
Friday 22 <sup>nd</sup> September	Individual School Photos
Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> September	Reading with your child session – School Hall at 3.30pm, email sent 11 <sup>th</sup> September
Monday 25 <sup>th</sup> September	School Clubs begin – email sent 14 <sup>th</sup> September
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> September	Macmillan Coffee Afternoon plus Nearly New Uniform Sale – email sent 11 <sup>th</sup> September
Thursday 5 <sup>th</sup> October	Year 3 trip to Layer Marney Tower – email sent 11 <sup>th</sup> September
Friday 6 <sup>th</sup> October	Year 6 Homefront 40's day – email sent 11 <sup>th</sup> September
Monday 16 <sup>th</sup> October	Year 5 Harvest Festival – details to follow

## Year 7 Applications – September 2024

As you may be aware, the new secondary school admission round opened on Tuesday, 12 September 2023, for parents of current Year 6 children to apply for a secondary school (Year 7) place for September 2024.

The statutory national closing date for applications is 31 October 2023.

Applications can be made online via [www.essex.gov.uk/admissions](http://www.essex.gov.uk/admissions). 99% of parents in Essex applied online last year. All of the application information is available on the website above.

Please see below our dinner menu for next week.

Please note that we can also provide a packed lunch if your child would prefer this. This will be either the baguette, wrap or soft roll and also includes a drink, fruit, cucumber sticks and the dessert of the day.

## Menu Summer Term starting w/c 17/4/23

Week: One

						
Main course	Meat	Pepperoni Pizza (contains Beef)	Chicken Korma Curry	Homemade Sausage Roll	Spaghetti Bolognaise	Omega 3 Fish Fingers
	Vegetarian	Cheese & Tomato Pizza	Vegetable Curry	Sausage Twist	Quorn Bolognaise	Cheese Pinwheel
	Jacket Potato	Tuna/Cheese	Tuna/Beans	Baked Beans/Cheese	Tuna/Cheese	Tuna/Cheese/Beans
	Side Dish	Coleslaw Sweetcorn Salad Bar Fresh Bread	Rice Naan Bread Salad Bar	Herby Diced Potatoes Peas Fresh Bread	Garlic Bread	Chips Baked Beans Salad Bar Fresh Bread
	Packed Lunch	Soft Roll (Tuna, Cheese or Ham)	Baguette (Tuna, Cheese or Ham)	Wrap (Tuna, Cheese or Ham)	Baguette (Tuna, Cheese or Ham)	Wrap (Tuna, Cheese or Ham)
	Dessert	Fresh Fruit Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit Fruit Lolly Yoghurt	Sponge Cake of the Day Fresh Fruit	Fresh Fruit Yohgurt	Ioe Cream Pots with Strawberry or Chocolate Sauce
	Drinks	Water/Milk	Water/Milk	Water/Milk	Water/Milk	Water/Milk

**Real Tennis  
Introduction  
Session!!**

**Prested Real Tennis Club\***

**SATURDAY**  
**16TH**  
**SEPTEMBER**

**AGE 8 - 12....1-2.30pm**

**AGE 13 - 16....2.30-4pm**

Basic coaching, fun team games  
& some info on the rules, tactics &  
history of the game

**RACQUETS & BALLS PROVIDED**  
Please come in sports kit &  
trainers

**FREE!**



**CONTACT US NOW!**

Telephone: 01376 570220

E-mail: [clubpros@prestedrealtennisclub.com](mailto:clubpros@prestedrealtennisclub.com)

**BOOK  
NOW!**

**Get the Bug!!**



CHELMSFORD CATHEDRAL

# YOUNG SINGERS

	<b>SING AND HAVE FUN!</b>	
	<b>BOYS &amp; GIRLS AGED 7-14</b>	
 CHELMSFORD CATHEDRAL	<b>TASTER SESSION TUES 26TH SEPT 4.30PM-6PM</b>	

**Love to sing? Join our exciting new choir for boys and girls age 7-14.**

The Young Singers will have weekly rehearsals with Cathedral music staff and perform regularly at services and events in the Cathedral. It's a great opportunity to make new friends and have fun! Come along to our taster session in the Cathedral on Tuesday 26th September at 4.30pm - 6pm.

**For more information contact: [music@chelmsfordcathedral.org.uk](mailto:music@chelmsfordcathedral.org.uk)**

## Message from New Hall School

New Hall School will be hosting an Open Morning on Saturday 30 September 2023.

Those wishing to join us should be directed [to fill out this form via our website](#) so they can be added to the attendee list and schedule the start time of their tours.

The visit to New Hall will include a guide around the School and its facilities, including a look at some of our new developments, such as the new classrooms, built over summer 2023, and new cookery rooms to expand our Leiths Cookery Academy programme. It will also be a fantastic opportunity to hear about our student summertime trips, including the sports tour to South Africa, the Duke of Edinburgh expedition to the Peak District, the Dance World Cup trip to Portugal and the Politics excursion to Geneva.

Our new Equestrian Centre at New Hall Park Farm in nearby Little Baddow is another exciting development for the next academic year to encourage new riders whilst offering an excellent training facility for competitive riders.

We hope to see many of your pupils and families from Perryfields Junior School there!

On a similar note, New Hall will be hosting a Year 7 Taster Day on Saturday 14 October 2023. Again, this will be an excellent chance for your pupils to experience first-hand what life is like for a Senior student at New Hall. [This is the link to pass on to your parents for registering for the Taster Day.](#)

New Hall also regularly hosts local primary and preparatory schools for Year 5 day retreats to enjoy the grounds, including our on-site farm, as well as various activities, ranging from sports and music to art and chaplaincy based events. This gives pupils (and staff) a memorable away day to enjoy our grounds and facilities, whilst giving pupils an extra taste of life here at New Hall. If you are interested in a New Hall Year 5 Retreat for your school, please email [events@newhallschool.co.uk](mailto:events@newhallschool.co.uk).



# ANGLO EUROPEAN SCHOOL

Welcome Benvenuti Добро Пожаловать! Willkommen

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## Open Evening

Thursday 28th September 2023

16:30 - 20:00

For entry into Year 7 and International Sixth  
Form in September 2024

"The school's exceptional curriculum  
provides a unique educational experience"

Ofsted

[www.aesessex.co.uk](http://www.aesessex.co.uk)

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