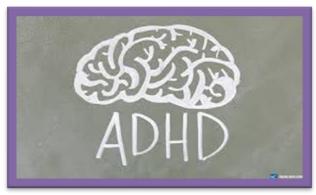


# Townfield Primary School Weekly Update



Friday 16th February 2024



## **ADHD/ASD Drop in Support Session**

Beckie Banks (ADHD/ASD Nurse) from the Neurodevelopmental Team will be available to speak with parents to offer advice and support around any issues you may be facing with your child on the ASD/ADHD pathway or with a diagnosis.

Beckie will be running a drop-in session on Friday 8th March between 9-11am in the school hall. Refreshments will be provided. Mrs Kinnear and Mrs Keenan will also be available during this session. If you would like to come along, please fill in the google form below.

**ADHD/ASD Drop In** 



## Important - Change of Booking & Payments System

From the 26th February you will need to use Arbor for all booking and payments (meals, trips, wrap around and nursery). This is to reduce the number of apps you

currently use for school.

Balances from parentpay will be transferred over to Arbor on Friday 16th February.

90% of parents/carers have already logged in to Arbor. If you require your login details please contact the school office who will email this to you.

## **Year 4 Healthy Pitta Pizzas**



This half term, Year 4 have been working towards designing and making a healthy pitta pizza. They have learnt different cutting techniques, as well as considering how they can make their pizza part of a balanced diet. They've worked really hard and their pizzas look great. Hopefully, they taste as good as they look and smell!





## **Nursery Stay and Play**



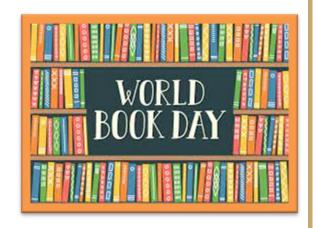
Thank you to all the parents who came to our Chinese New Year stay and play on Monday. The children enjoyed having you in our classrooms and showing all their fantastic new skills





### **World Book Day Thursday 7th March**

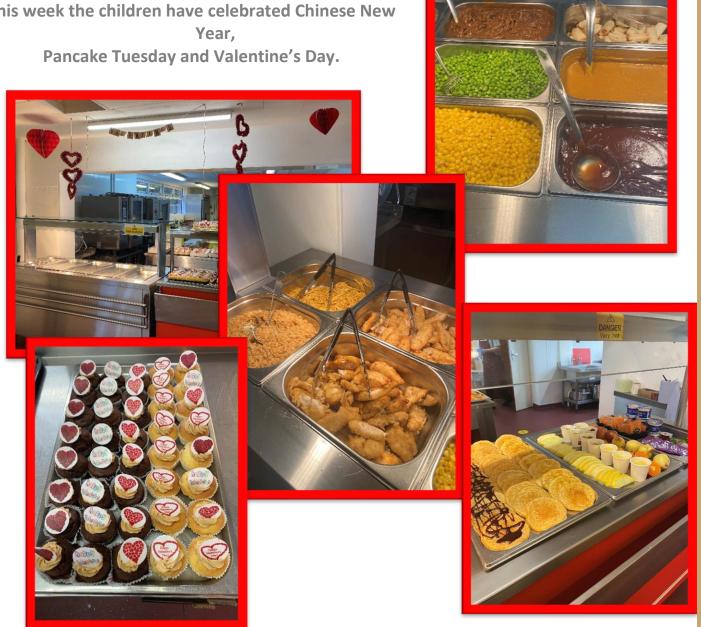
TPS will be celebrating World Book Day on Thursday 7th March and we invite all children to participate by dressing up as a character from his/her favourite book or to save on the expense of paying for costumes your child can come to school in suitable pyjamas and bring their favourite bedtime reading book.



It would be great if children could bring in a copy of the book their character is from and be prepared to talk about why they chose their character.

#### **Lunch Celebration's**

This week the children have celebrated Chinese New Year.



### Year 4 JuniorStem

On Wednesday, Year 4 had a workshop delivered by JuniorSTEM. The children thoroughly enjoyed it and it really enhanced their understanding of their computing unit. The children used engineering skills to build a robotic lion out of Lego and then used programming skills to write algorithms to control it.











## Year 2 Countries of the United Kingdom Fieldwork Visit

We are pleased to inform you that as part of our Spring Geography topic, 'Countries of the United Kingdom, including coasts', we will be inviting the children to come along on a fieldwork trip on Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March. During our unit, the children have been learning about urban and rural areas on the Wirral Peninsula. We would

therefore like to give them the opportunity to make some first-hand observations to compare these two local areas. Please drop your child off and collect at the usual times.

Firstly, we will take the children by coach to Oxton Village where they will be stopping to record what the village is like and what they can see. Following this, we will travel by coach to the more rural location of Thurstaston coast. Here, they will work as 'real geographers', creating sketch maps, recording their observations and creating tally charts to compare the locations visited. Whilst on their visit to Thurstaston beach, the children will split into groups and go on a 1-hour ranger-led nature / geology walk around the coast. The children will be able to have all their questions answered by an expert, as well as learning about how the wildlife benefits from this rural location.

This trip will cost £10 per child. This will pay for the coaches, the ranger led nature walk and renting 'The Sidings'. The Sidings is a dog free picnic area at Thurstaston, which offers some shelter and toilet facilities. Please log onto Arbor to make a payment if you require your log in details please contact the school office.

We really hope your child will join us on this trip. School lunches will be provided by school but you can provide your own, if you prefer. Please come in woodland clothing, with suitable footwear and a warm (preferably waterproof) coat. Please keep in mind, we will be outdoors for the day so children will need to be dressed for our unpredictable weather! If the weather worsens, we will be given the use of the indoor lecture theatre to warm up.

For this trip to take place, we will need additional volunteers, to ensure we have the correct adult to child ratios so please let the class teacher know if you are able to help on the trip, either in person or in writing.

## **Year 4 & Year 6 The Orchestral Olympics**



Year 4 and Year 6 have been invited to attend an exciting concert at the Royal Liverpool Philharmonic. This year, the concert is 'Going for Gold: The Orchestral Olympics', where they celebrate the 2024 Paris Olympics.

**Every year, the Philharmonic's concerts** 

are exhilarating and will enhance the children's musical experiences.

The trip will take place on Monday 4th March for Year 4 and Thursday March 7<sup>th</sup> for Year 6 during school times and so they will be having lunch as normal in school. School uniform is required.

For this visit to go ahead, we are asking if you could contribute £10 towards the price of the tickets and transport.

Please log onto Arbor to make a payment and also give consent for your child to attend.

## Free Child Places at Knowsley Safari Park

Kids go free at Knowsley Safari Park- one child goes free with each full-paying adult throughout February, including half-term

https://www.knowsleysafariexperience.co.uk/events/kids-go-free



## **Golden Tie**

The Golden Tie is awarded to children who have demonstrated Responsibility, Respect and Resilience in class

RM	Theo M	3C	Vanessa
RJ	Harry M	3M	Thea
<b>1C</b>	Reece	4D	Imogen
1D	Isabelle G	4H	Elsa
2MJ	Jessica	5W	Iris
<b>2</b> B	Rosey	5R	Matilda
2JB	Jude	6C	Lucy
35	Ayda	6P	Aurora

Well done to all our Golden Tie Winners!



## Dojo Leaders

## This week's Dojos stars

Isla, Teddy & Eloise
Gabriel, Athena & Thomas
Freddie, Lilia & Oliver
George, Emily & Charlotte
Madelynn, George Mc & Soren
Jonny, Megan & Daniel
Finley, Cooper & Xander
Ellie, Freddie & Jessie



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3M	Amber & Rocco
3C	Jess, Albert & Tilly
3S	Logan, Ayda & Hayden
4H	Killian, Fin P & Henry
4D	Jude, Ruqayyah & Zara
5W	Betsy, Harry & Yumus
5R	Brooke, Evie & Lilly J
6P	Bobby & Eva
6C	Frankie, Sophie & Oliver





1	99.2% 2B		9	92.96% 2JB
2	98.44% 6C		10	91.56% 5W
3	98.4% 2MJ	ATTENDANCE MATTEDO	11	87.58% 5R
4	97.31% 3C		12	86.88% 1C
5	95.56% 3M		13	86.21% 4D
6	95.48% RJ		14	85.36% 3S
7	94.06% RM		15	84.85% 6P
8	93.03% 1D		16	81.11% 4H

## **School Overall Weekly Attendance 91.6%**





### PLACES WHERE KIDS EAT FREE (OR FOR £1) DURING FEBRUARY HALF TERM 2024



moneysavingcentral.co.uk/kids-eat-free

#### ASDA

Kids eat for £1 All Day, Every Day at Asda cafes, with no adult spend required.

#### **TESCO**

Kids eat free with a purchase of 60p+ from From Mon 12th - Fri 23rd February 2024

#### SAINSBURYS CAFES

Kids eat for £1 with the purchase of an adult hot main. From 11:30am every day.

#### BEEFEATER & BREWERS FAYRE

Two children under 16 can get a free breakfast every day with one paying adult!

#### THE REAL GREEK

Kids under 12 eat FREE every Sunday for every £10 spent by an adult

#### **GREENE KING PUBS**

Kids Eat Free all-day with the purchase of an adult's meal. Deal, Monday-Friday, between Mon 12th - Friday 23rd February 2024

#### TRAVELODGE & PREMIER INN

Buy 1 Adult Breakfast from just £8.99 & up to two kids eat breakfast for free

#### SIZZLING PUBS

Every Monday to Friday, 3 - 7pm, kids' mains are £1 with every adult meal.

#### TGI FRIDAYS

Kids Eat Free When 'Stripes Rewards Members' purchase a full priced adult's main meal (App needed)

#### IKEA

Kids get a meal from 95p daily from 11am

#### MORRISONS

Spend £4.49 and get one free kids meal all day, every day.

#### **GORDON RAMSEY RESTAURANTS**

Kids under 8 eat FREE all day, every day at selected Gordon Ramsay restaurants

#### PRETO

Kids up to age 10 eat free all day, every day with paying adults at Preto in Half Terms

#### YO! SUSHI

From Mon 12th - Fri 23rd February 2024 kids eat free with every £10 adult spend

#### **BELLA ITALIA**

Children eat for £1 with any adult main. The offer is valid 4-6pm Mon to Thurs.

#### WHITBREAD INNS

Two kids under 16 eat for FREE with every adult breakfast purchased

#### DOBBIES GARDEN CENTRES

At Dobbies, for every adult breakfast or lunch purchase, kids eat for FREE. Every Day!

#### TABLE TABLE

Two children under 16 can get a free breakfast every day with one paying adult!

#### PAUSA CAFE @ DUNELM

Kids get 1 mini main, 2 snacks & a drink FREE with every £4 spend after 3pm

#### **HUNGRY HORSE**

Kids eat for £1 on Mondays

#### **FUTURE INNS**

Under 5s eat for free with any adult meal.

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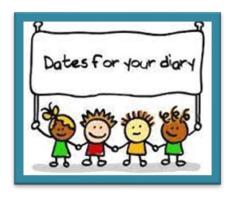


## **Townfield Primary School Menu Three**

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	
Choose from bacon or pork sausage, Quorn sausages served with scrambled egg, mushrooms, tomatoes, hash browns and baked beans	Homemade Pizza Choose from cheese & tomato, pepperoni served with corn on the cob & salad	Roast Dinner Choose from Roast of the day served with Yorkshire Pudding, roast potatoes, vegetables and gravy	Homemade Sausage Rolls Choose from either traditional pork sausage meat or cheese and onion, served with mashed potato peas or baked beans	Fish & Chips Choose from either battered cod fillet, cod fillet fish fingers, or Quorn nuggets baked in the oven and served with chips and peas or baked beans	
	Jacket Potatoes are also available daily as a hot alternative  Or				
	Deli Bar – Available Everyday				
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Design your owr		ead – wraps, assorted batch, b following will be available dai and finally		-	
finish with a choice	ce of salad – carrot sticks, co	ucumber, cherry tomatoes, ice	eberg lettuce, sweetcorn, co	leslaw, peppers	
		Dessert			
		se and Crackers are available			
Chocolate & Fruit Sponge	Flapjack	Artic Roll	Melton Moments	Chocolate Muffins	
, ,	<u>'</u>	Drink			
A se	election of fresh fruit juice a	nd fresh milkshakes, milk and	l water will be available dail	у	

Can we please remind parents that nuts are not allowed in your child's lunchboxes for all years inc Nursery.

This includes Nutella and Kinder Bueno.



Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> February	School Opens at 8.45am
Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> March	High School Allocation Released
Thursday 7 <sup>th</sup> March	World Book Day 2024
Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> March	KS2 Easter Service at St Saviours Church
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> March	Headteacher Coffee Morning 9.00am
Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> March	School Closes at 1.30pm
Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> April	School Opens at 8.45am
Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> May	May Day Bank Holiday
Thursday 23 <sup>rd</sup> May	School Closes for Half Term at 3.30pm
Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> May	Inset Day
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## Academic Term Dates for 2024-2025 are available on the school website **Townfield Primary School Term Dates January – December 2024**

	Spring Term 2024
Inset Day	Monday 8 <sup>th</sup> January 2024
Open	Tuesday 9 <sup>th</sup> January to Friday 16 <sup>th</sup> February
Closed	Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> February to Friday 23 <sup>rd</sup> February
Open	Monday 26 <sup>th</sup> February to Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> March* *School finishes at 1:30 pm
Closed	Friday 29 <sup>th</sup> March to Friday 12 <sup>th</sup> April
	Summer Term 2024
Open	Monday 15 <sup>th</sup> April to Thursday 23rd May
Bank Holiday	Monday 6 <sup>th</sup> May
Inset Day	Friday 24 <sup>th</sup> May
Closed	Monday 27 <sup>th</sup> May to Friday 31 <sup>st</sup> May
Open	Monday 3 <sup>rd</sup> June to Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> July 2023*
	*School finishes at 1:30 pm
Inset Day	Monday 22 <sup>nd</sup> July
Inset Day	Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> July
	Autumn Term 2024
Inset Day	Monday 2nd September 2024
Open	Tuesday 3rd September to Friday 25 <sup>th</sup> October
Closed	Monday 28th October to Friday 1 <sup>st</sup> November
Open	Monday 4 <sup>th</sup> November to Friday 20 <sup>th</sup> December * *School finishes at 1:30 pm
Closed	Monday 23rd December to Friday 3rd January



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