

# CONNECT

Covering week of Monday 6<sup>th</sup> – Friday 10<sup>th</sup> November 2023

## Dates and Events for Your Diary

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### **Newsletter changes ahead**

After the October half term break we will be launching a new look "Connect" for the school community. It will still be emailed out on a Friday and contain important information and notices about upcoming events but will **no longer show the school menu for the week ahead**. The rolling 3 week menu can be viewed at any time via our website and can also be accessed using this link: [Autumn Term Weekly Meals-Sept-23-Jan-24](#)

Our wonderful Friends of Walkington School have secured sponsorship for our new look newsletter from within our local business community so please look out for this. If you are interested in sponsoring an upcoming Friends of Walkington School event please get in touch with our school office or the committee - we would love to hear from you!

### **Book Fair**

**REMINDER!** We will be running our annual Book Fair from **Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> November to Monday 13<sup>th</sup> November** in the school hall from **3.35pm – 4pm**. Come along, browse the books and choose some for birthdays, Christmas presents, or for your own enjoyment. Every book we sell entitles the school to a commission fee and we can raise in excess of £600 which can be spent on books for children to use in school. We are still looking for some year 5 and 6 volunteers to help run the fair on Thursday 9<sup>th</sup> and Friday 10<sup>th</sup> and ask any pupils interested in helping to contact Mrs Goodwin.

**Please note all payments are by card only.**

### **Remembrance Day**

As in recent years, we will not be selling poppies in school in advance of Remembrance Day, however we will be having a bucket collection on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> for the Royal British Legion appeal. Poppies can be purchased from any local supermarket.

The children are, of course, very welcome to wear their own poppies in school. We will again be creating a poppy display in school, and marking the occasion with an assembly for EFYS and KS2, and a visit to the church for KS1 pupils (details below).

I hope you will agree that an age-appropriate understanding of the background and significance of this day remains a very important and relevant part of our work. Thank you. Mr Bullough

Classes KR & RS will be visiting All Hallows Church on Friday 10<sup>th</sup> November for an act of Remembrance. Please make sure that your child has suitable, warm clothes as we will be outside for part of this visit. Thank you. Miss Sawkins



**Weekly Menu** (Key: GF = Gluten Free, DF = Dairy Free, VG = Vegan, EF = Egg Free)

Please note: Where an alternative ('or') is shown in the 'Main' box, your child will be served the regular lunch option and only those with food allergens registered with us (i.e. Gluten Free/Dairy Diet) will be served the alternative

Unless otherwise stated, all sides and puddings are the same for each dietary requirement or a suitable alternative is indicated.

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Main</b>	<b>Main</b>	<b>Main</b>	<b>Main</b>	<b>Main</b>
"Yorkshire" All Day Breakfast (GF)(DF)	Italian Style Minced Beef Pasta Bolognese (GF)(DF)	Mexican Style Chicken Wrap & Golden Vegetable Rice (GF)(DF)	Roast Pork & Gravy (GF) (DF) & Yorkshire Pudding	Jumbo Fish Fingers or Breaded Fish Fingers (GF)(DF) & Tomato Sauce
<b>Sides</b>	<b>Sides</b>	<b>Sides</b>	<b>Sides</b>	<b>Sides</b>
Hash Browns Baked Beans	Baby Carrots Garden Peas Crusty Roll Bread (GF)	Vegetable Sticks Sweetcorn	Mashed Potato Broccoli Baby Carrots	Chunky Chips Garden Peas
<b>Pudding</b>	<b>Pudding</b>	<b>Pudding</b>	<b>Pudding</b>	<b>Pudding</b>
Oaty Fruit Crunch (DF)(VG) & Custard or Alpro Chocolate Mousse (GF) or Fresh Fruit or Yoghurt	Shortcake (GF) (DF) (VG) & Custard or Fresh Fruit or Yoghurt	Jam Coconut Sponge & Custard or Vanilla Muffin (GF)(DF)(VG) or Fresh Fruit or Yoghurt	Chocolate Crackle (VG) or Chocolate Crunch (GF)(DF) or Fresh Fruit or Yoghurt	Chocolate Cookie (VG)(DF) or Melting Moment (GF) (DF) & Mandarins or Fresh Fruit or Yoghurt
<b>Vegetarian</b>	<b>Vegetarian</b>	<b>Vegetarian</b>	<b>Vegetarian</b>	<b>Vegetarian</b>
"Yorkshire" Veggie All Day Breakfast (VG)	Italian Style Pasta Neapolitan	Mexican Style Wrap (VG)	Oven Baked Quorn Fillet (VG)	Crispy Rainbow Fingers (VG) & Tomato Sauce