



Ryton-on-Dunsmore Provost Williams

Church of England Academy

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Newsletter 25th February 2025

"Let your light shine"

Welcome back to Spring 2. This term is always one which flies by as the days become longer, and the sun shines brighter. Yesterday, all the staff came together for the Trust Conference where we explored what it means to flourish - for children as well as the adults that support your children. We then attended two workshops which were linked to our academy improvement plan, Task Design for teaching staff, and Supporting SEND pupils in Maths for our Teaching Assistants. We will be exploring these further in school as we continue to drive the school forward.

Sherrise Cullen

Head Teacher



This term we are exploring the value of Justice and what it means to be just. Each class will have an opportunity to further explore this in whole class worship and through our teaching of RE and through our teaching of the British Values and to understand how we can live this value out each and every day.

A Prayer for Justice

O Lord, you are a God of justice.

May we share your passion for justice, which can be seen throughout the Bible

By the power of your Holy Spirit, enable us to stand up for justice.

Change our hearts to see others as you do.

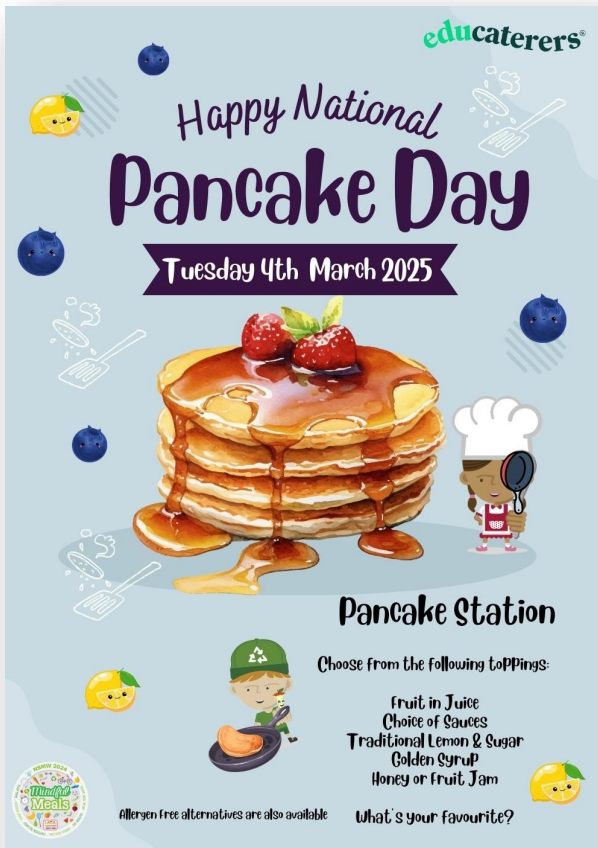
Amen

Upcoming Menu Changes

Available for children who book school meals on 4th March. Order as normal with class teacher on the day.

We will also be sending out a new menu for after the Easter holiday.

The new menu will now have FOUR menu choices per day, as we are introducing a “pasta of the day” option alongside the 3 currently on offer.



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Happy National Pancake Day

Tuesday 4th March 2025

Pancake Station

Choose from the following toppings:

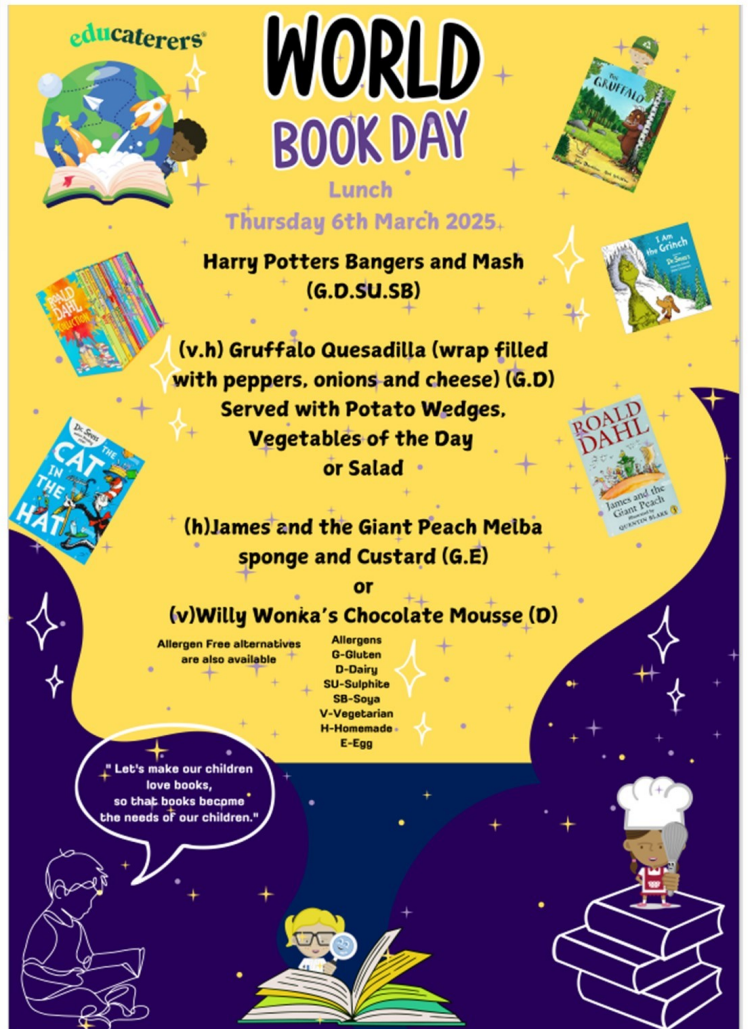
- Fruit in Juice
- Choice of Sauces
- Traditional Lemon & Sugar
- Golden Syrup
- Honey or fruit Jam

Allergen free alternatives are also available

What's your favourite?

World Book Day

Children order as normal on the day. Jacket Potato is still an option on World Book Day.



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WORLD BOOK DAY

Lunch

Thursday 6th March 2025.

Harry Potters Bangers and Mash (G.D.SU.SB)

(v.h) Gruffalo Quesadilla (wrap filled with peppers, onions and cheese) (G.D)
Served with Potato Wedges, Vegetables of the Day or Salad

(h) James and the Giant Peach Melba sponge and Custard (G.E)

or

(v) Willy Wonka's Chocolate Mousse (D)

Allergen Free alternatives are also available

Allergens
G-Gluten
D-Dairy
SU-Sulphite
SB-Soya
V-Vegetarian
H-Homemade
E-Egg

"Let's make our children love books, so that books become the needs of our children."

World Book Day



Ryton-on-Dunsmore Academy Stars

EYFS Star Learner this week is

Aubree



Year 1 Star Learner this week is

Savannah

Year 2 Star Learner this week is

Ivy Grace

Year 3 Star Learner this week is

Hope

Year 4 Star Learner this week is

D'Vontai

Value Awards



Year 5 Star Learner this week is

Felicity

The "Value Awards" are designed to recognise children who show our school values.

James is the latest recipient, for showing all our values every day.

Well done James!

Year 6 Star Learner this week is

Jack P, Spencer and Logan



LOVE
HONESTY
HOPE
FAIRNESS
RESPECT
FORGIVENESS



Before the holiday, Year 2 held their "Come and Learn" session for parents which was very well attended. Parents (and children) had to create a poster about a country in the British Isles to show information about it. Thank you to everyone who came along.

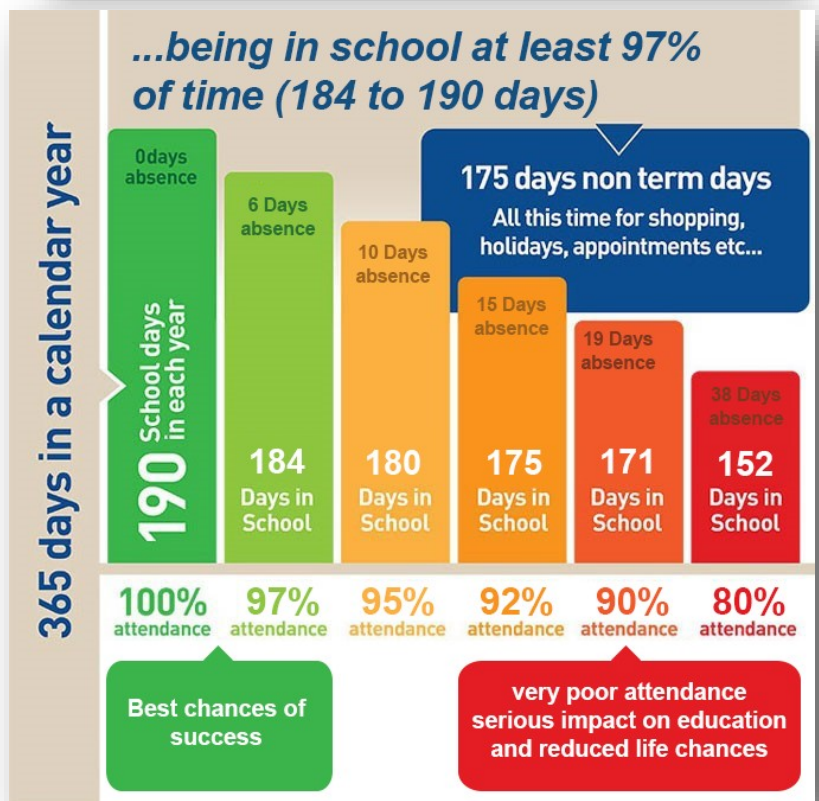
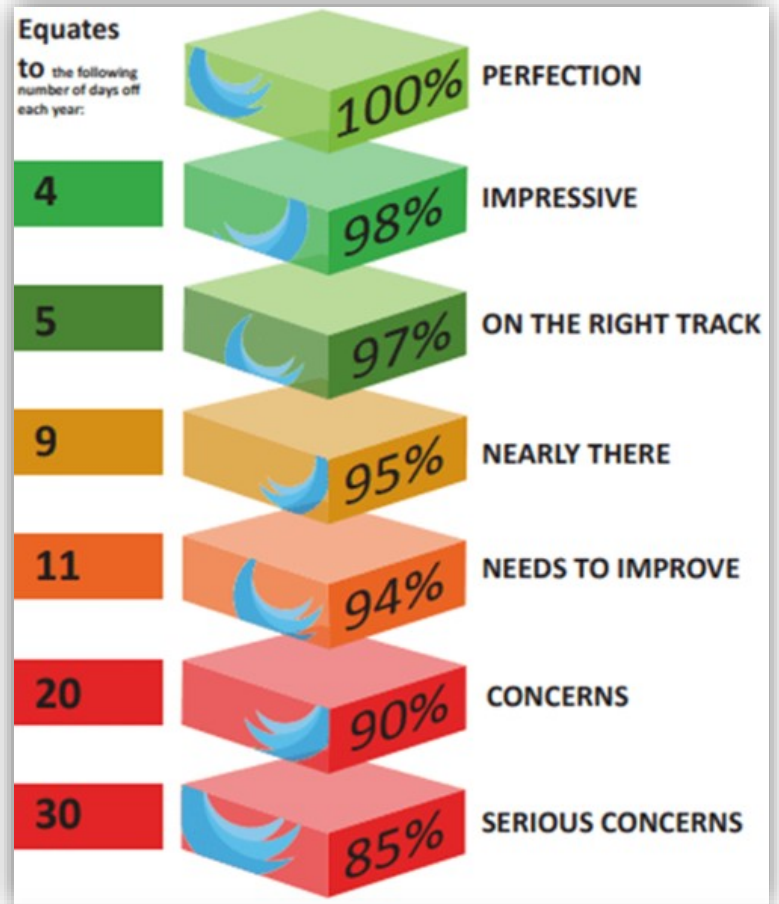


Attendance Update

Please note that if your child is ill you must still contact us every day to let us know

Attendance continues to be a focus at our school. The national average for attendance to date is 94.8% are we are just a little behind this at 94.1%. Children who are persistently absent from school is now 17.2% A pupil is classed as a persistently absent if their attendance falls below 90%. Our unauthorised absence is below the national of 2.1% but any absence from school does impact on pupils learning.

As a school, we will continue to offer help and support to all families, but if you feel that you need further support around attendance, please come in a speak with Miss Cullen.



Be In SCHOOL
Be On TIME



MOTHER'S DAY

Afternoon Tea

THURSDAY **27th** MARCH

1.30-3PM

Parents/carers are invited to join their children for an afternoon tea in the school hall on Thursday 27th March. Children will have lunch as normal then join their adult for a cake and drink during the afternoon. Adults can order their Afternoon Tea by paying on Parentpay. The tea will consist of a plate with small sandwiches (ham salad and cheese) cakes and scone with jam and cream.

There will be tea and coffee to help yourself to.

The cost is £6.00 per adult.

Due to the popularity of the event in the past, timeslots will be sent out by text. If you require a specific time, please email the office on

school.parents@rytonondunsmore.covmat.org

We will place the order with our catering team on Thursday 13th March so all orders must be made by this date.

We look forward to seeing you

Adults only need to pay once as we will bring siblings together at the time slot you are given.



Tuesday 11th February

E safety Day

Year 6 and Reception Height and Weight Check and Year 6 Health Questionnaire

Wednesday 12th February

Year 2 Come and Learn 2.45pm

Friday 14th February

Break Up for half term

Monday 24th February

Teacher Training Day (School closed to children)

Tuesday 25th February

Back to school

Tuesday 4th March

Pancake station for dessert for children with hot meals

Wednesday 5th March

Movie Night

Thursday 6th March

World Book Day

Friday 21st March

Think Tank Trip for Years 3 4 5 and 6

24th March

Assessment Week (Children will be assessed for Maths, English and Reading levels)

Thursday 27th March

Mother's Day event (This date has been amended from our original plan due to staffing changes)



This great photo is of our Year 6 class enjoying a yoga session with Jenny from the School Sports Partnership, before the holiday.

Community Pages



BOOK NOW! Kids
EASTER
Camp

AGES 7 - 11

£30 per day
Lunch Included!

9am - 3pm
Early Drop Off & Late Collection Available

Scan the QR codes below to **BOOK NOW!**

KMAT Leisure Easter Camp
Monday 14th April 2025

KMAT Leisure Easter Camp
Tuesday 15th April 2025

KMAT Leisure Easter Camp
Wednesday 16th April 2025

Visit facebook.com/KMATLeisure for further details

RYTON ON DUNSMORE VILLAGE CHOIR

Village Voices



We are a small, friendly group of people of all ages who enjoy singing and we would love to see our choir grow!

We sing a variety of songs from West End numbers to sea shanties, choral pieces to medieval carols. We sing for pleasure and for performing at events. Some of us read music and some don't, but we are all learning. If you would like to have a go at something new, please call Ba on 02476 304295 or 07813 618035

We meet on Wednesdays, 7-8pm
99 High Street

St Leonard's Service Times

Services at St Leonard's, Ryton-on-Dunsmore during the month of **March** are as follows:

- 2nd March **5.00pm** Messy Church.
- 9th March **9.15am** Holy Communion.
- 16th March **5.00pm** Holy Communion.
- 23rd March **9.15am** All age Worship.
- 30th March **9.00am** Holy Communion for Mothering Sunday



Messy Church
1st Sunday of the Month at 5.00 pm

making and doing talking and singing
fun and thoughtful friendly and welcoming
something for all ages refreshments

Come and join us

Next service 2nd March at 5.00 pm

PRODUCTIONS
YOUTH THEATRE GROUP
01767 681 049

OPEN AUDITIONS

Annie



Book by **THOMAS MEEHAN** Music by **CHARLES STROUSE** Lyrics by **MARTIN CHARNIN**

This amateur production is presented by arrangement with Music Theatre International
All authorised performance materials are also supplied by MTI. www.mtishows.co.uk

SUNDAY 9TH MARCH

**BENN HALL,
NEWBOLD RD, RUGBY, CV21 2LN**

2.00pm-3.30pm 7-12yrs old*

3.30pm-5.00pm 13-21yrs old

All auditionees must be 8 years old by the time of the show

MONDAY 10TH MARCH

**BENN HALL,
NEWBOLD RD, RUGBY, CV21 2LN**

5.00pm-6.00pm 7-12yrs old

6.00pm-7.00pm 13-21yrs old



TO BE PERFORMED AT BENN HALL 26TH-28TH JUNE 2025

NOTHING TO PREPARE

JUST ARRIVE, BOOK IN AND AUDITION

You only need attend one audition / A show fee is payable by all successful applicants