



Welcome to our next School Newsletter.

Dates for your Diary and Reminders ...

**DIARY DATES...**

Monday 1 November	Inset Day
Tuesday 2 November	Return to School
	Year 1 School vision checks with School Nursing Team. Separate details have been emailed to you.
	PAFOTS meeting, 3:15-4pm
Wednesday 3 November	PAFOTS Community Cafe
Thursday 11 November	PAFOTS meeting, 5pm
Friday 12 November	School Photographs
Monday 15 November	Odd Socks Day during Anti Bullying Week. We would like you to wear odd socks to school on Monday.
Wednesday 1 December	PAFOTS Community Cafe
Friday 3 December	Christmas Decoration Day
	PAFOTS hot chocolate and gingerbread sale, 3:15pm
Tuesday 7 December	Year 1 & 2 Parent Consultations
Wednesday 8 December	Reception Parent Consultations
Thursday 9 December	Last Craft Club this term
Friday 10 December	Last Breakfast Club with Premier Sport this term.
Thursday 16 December	Christmas Play, more details to follow
Friday 17 December	Christmas Party, more details to follow
	End of Term
Tuesday 4 January	Inset Day
Wednesday 5 January	Return to school
Sunday 27 March	Mother's Day
Friday 7 April	End of Term
Monday 25 April	Return to School
Monday 2 May	May Day, Bank Holiday
Friday 27 May	End of Term

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## TERM DATES 2021/2022 ...

2021/2022	Start of Term	End of Term
<b>Autumn Term</b>	Thursday 2 September	Friday 22 October
<b>2021</b>	Monday 1 November	Friday 17 December

<b>Spring Term</b>	Tuesday 4 January	Friday 18 February
<b>2022</b>	Monday 28 February	Friday 8 April

<b>Summer Term</b>	Monday 25 April	Friday 27 May
<b>2022</b>	Monday 6 June	Wednesday 20 July

<b>Inset Days</b>	Wednesday 1 September 2021
	Monday 1 November 2021
	Tuesday 4 January 2022
	Friday 8 April 2022
	Friday 1 July 2022

<b>May Day Bank Holiday</b>	Monday 2 May 2022
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<b>Transition Day</b>	Tuesday 5 July 2022
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## REMINDERS...

**School starts:** at 8.50am, for all children, and the day ends at 3.15pm.

**Dogs on site:** please leave your dogs at the School or Church gates and not enter the school grounds, once we are dropping off at the back playground.

**Parking:** we have been reminded by the Parish Council not to park on the grass verges outside of School and the Church.

**Attendance:** please contact the **school office** by 9:30am, if your child is unable to attend school. We are not able to authorise holidays in term time and any absence will be recorded as unauthorised.

**Communication:** we prefer that you use the **telephone or email** for formal communication - absence, pupils wellbeing - academic and pastoral. We have an 'open door' policy for you to have face to face communication for a chat with any one of us at any time. **Class Dojo** – is an informal communication between school and parents for very brief messages. **Class story** is used for a link to Padlet. **Padlet** is the overview of the week's learning and it is uploaded onto the school website.

**Illness:** we follow Government guidance for details of when children can attend school when they are ill. Some illnesses require you to keep your child away from school for a set period of time to limit the spread of any infection in school e.g. sickness/diarrhoea requires a 48hour absence after the symptoms have stopped.

**Medication and antibiotics:** we will support children who require medication and antibiotics in school. Parents are responsible for bringing and collecting medication each day and must complete the necessary forms, prior to the medication being administered. Medication should be in its original packaging and the child's name on the pharmacy label. Antibiotics prescribed three times a day should be taken out of the school day (breakfast, after school, bedtime).





**School Website:** look at our new school website VERY SOON [www.thornborough.bucks.sch.uk](http://www.thornborough.bucks.sch.uk)

**Walk to school:** 'Go for Gold' is a walking initiative enabling everyone to walk to school, even if you travel by car. Park past the duck pond and walk into school to receive a sticker for your passport. Let us know if you would like to join.

**PAFOTS (Parents and Friends of Thornborough School):**  
<https://www.facebook.com/friendsofthornboroughschool/>

**Clubs:** our clubs run on Monday, Thursday and Friday and are free, as is our daily morning provision for which we are very happy to offer. We do rely and benefit enormously from fundraising and donations, all of which is 'ploughed' back into the school for the children's learning.

**Donations and Payments to school:** can be made to the following account

Name: Thornborough CF School  
 Sort code: 09-01-51  
 Account number: 49591500

**Uniform:** please ensure ALL clothing is visibly named. Uniform with the school logo, bookbags and PE bags can be obtained from our supplier at [www.myclothing.com](http://www.myclothing.com)

**Autumn Term Menu**






WEEK 1

Allergy information available on request

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Main				
Macaroni Cheese (v)	Sandwich selection	Roast of the Day with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Beef Meatballs with Pasta	Fish and Chips
Vegetarian				
Chickpea and Spinach Curry with Rice (v)		Vegan Quorn Fillet with Roast Potatoes and Gravy (v)	Vegan Meatballs with Pasta (v)	Veggie Plait with Chips (v)
3rd Options				
Jacket Potato with Baked Beans, Cheese, Tuna Mayo or Coleslaw		Pasta with Tomato Sauce and Cheese	Jacket Potato with Baked Beans, Cheese, Tuna Mayo or Coleslaw	Jacket Potato with Baked Beans, Cheese, Tuna Mayo or Coleslaw
Vegetables				
Broccoli, Sweetcorn		Carrots, Cabbage	Cauliflower, Butternut Squash	Peas, Baked Beans
Dessert				
Apple Shortbread	Autumn Fruit Crumble with Custard	Chocolate Beetroot Cake	Fruit Jelly	Fruit Sorbet
Fruit/Yoghurt	Fruit/Yoghurt	Fruit/Yoghurt	Fruit/Yoghurt	Fruit/Yoghurt

1st Nov, 22nd Nov, 13th Dec, 3rd Jan, 24th Jan, 14th Feb, 7th Mar, 28th Mar

Fresh seasonal salad and bread available daily. Fresh fruit and yoghurt available daily as an alternative to the dessert of the day.



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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	
<b>Main</b>					
Veggie Wholemeal Pizza (v)	Sandwich selection	Roast of the Day with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Chicken Katsu Curry with Rice	Fish and Chips	
<b>Vegetarian</b>					
Cauliflower Korma with Rice (v)		Vegetable Wellington with Roast Potatoes and Gravy (v)	Chinese Veggie Noodles with Edamame (v)	Falafel and Sweet Potato Hummus with Chips (v)	
<b>3rd Options</b>					
Jacket Potato with Baked Beans, Cheese, Tuna Mayo or Coleslaw		Jacket Potato with Baked Beans, Cheese, Tuna Mayo or Coleslaw	Pasta with Tomato Sauce and Cheese	Jacket Potato with Baked Beans, Cheese, Tuna Mayo or Coleslaw	
<b>Vegetables</b>					
Green Beans, Carrots		Carrots, Swede	Mixed Vegetables	Peas, Baked Beans	
<b>Dessert</b>					
Mandarin Cheesecake	Fruit Jelly	Autumnal Iced Cake	Cookie	Fruit Sorbet	
Fruit/Yoghurt	Fruit/Yoghurt	Fruit/Yoghurt	Fruit/Yoghurt	Fruit/Yoghurt	

8th Nov, 29th Nov, 20th Dec, 10th Jan, 31st Jan, 21st Feb, 14th Mar, 4th Apr

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MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	
<b>Main</b>					
Tomato and Veggie Pasta (v)	Sandwich selection	Roast of the Day with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	BBQ Chicken with Rice	Fish and Chips	
<b>Vegetarian</b>					
Mediterranean Wholemeal Pitta Nachos (v)		Lentil Shepherdess Pie (v)	Veggie Chilli with Rice (v)	Veggie Nuggets and Chips (v)	
<b>3rd Options</b>					
Jacket Potato with Baked Beans, Cheese, Tuna Mayo or Coleslaw		Jacket Potato with Baked Beans, Cheese, Tuna Mayo or Coleslaw	Pasta with Tomato Sauce and Cheese	Jacket Potato with Baked Beans, Cheese, Salmon Mayo or Coleslaw	
<b>Vegetables</b>					
Mixed Vegetables		Carrots, Parsnips	Green Beans, Cauliflower	Peas, Baked Beans	
<b>Dessert</b>					
Chocolate Crispy Cake	Jelly	Raspberry and Coconut Flapjack	Autumn Eton Mess	Fruit Sorbet	
Fruit/Yoghurt	Fruit/Yoghurt	Fruit/Yoghurt	Fruit/Yoghurt	Fruit/Yoghurt	

15th Nov, 6th Dec, 27th Dec, 17th Jan, 7th Feb, 28th Feb, 21st Mar

Fresh seasonal salad and bread available daily. Fresh fruit and yoghurt available daily as an alternative to the dessert of the day.



Miss. Quirke  
Headteacher





## Miss. Thomas' Dotterels KS1 - Year 1 & 2

This half term we will be looking at the books 'The Way Back Home', Non-Fiction chronological report about Pirates and the poem 'Firework Night'. In Numeracy, we are continuing to use White Rose Maths to look at place value to 10 and to 100 exploring our resources and symbols.

We are continuing to learn through the topic 'Here we go...'. Within Science we are focusing on seasonal change, weather patterns and the impact it has on our life/world. In our Art and Design afternoons we are working with our inspiration Andy Warhol to print and create patterns. In both History and Geography, we are researching our local area looking carefully at physical and human features. We are learning about E-Safety and using technology sensibly.

We have started our preparations for the Christmas play. All children will be participating and have a role in our play 'Shine Star, Shine'.

If you have any of the following we would love to have them in school to help with this terms learning: Milk /cardboard bottles/1L bottles, Tins cleaned and label-less, Tinker items – unwanted technology to be explored and taken apart by children and tools such as screwdrivers and hand held drills.

Miss. Thomas

## Mrs. Hoskins' Cuckoos EYFS - Reception

This half term our focus books are 'Perfectly Norman', National Geographic 'Penguins' and the poem 'Ride a Cock Horse'. We are using the White Rose Maths scheme and our current focus is 'Light and Dark' where we will be learning number composition, more and less and simple shapes.

We will continue learning through the topic 'Here we go...'. This will involve looking at our local area and beyond. We will be carefully observing and monitoring daily weather patterns looking at how this links to our current season. Our focus within art will be printing and pattern. We will use our focus artist Andy Warhol to inspire us.

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Please would you continue check that all items of clothing and bags are named. This support your child with changing and independence.

Mrs. Hoskins

