



# Newsletter

5<sup>th</sup> January 2018

Green Lane Primary Academy / Ribblesdale Avenue / Garforth / Leeds / LS25 2JX

## Academy Uniform Policy

Last term we communicated an update in the uniform policy to parents on the newsletter asking you to look at the policy on the website. The updated policy does say shoes but we acknowledge that many children are wearing boots. There is no need for parents to buy new shoes now, however, when new footwear is required please do not buy boots for school and abide by the updated policy guidance regarding school shoes. In addition, if you choose to purchase the jade green polo shirts, these should be the ones from the uniform shop with the academy logo on. If choose the white polo shirts then these can be plain and bought from other shops.

## Current Term After-School Club Places

We have the following places on this half term's clubs and children could start on these next week. Please contact the office if you would like one of these places:

Monday Ballet - Years 1, 2 & 3

Wednesday Leeds in Bloom Design – Years 3, 4, 5 & 6

Wednesday Multi-Sports- Years 3, 4, 5 & 6

Thursday Minecraft – Years 5 & 6

Thursday Glowsticks – Years 2, 3 & 4

Friday Pop Jam Years 1, 2, 3 & 4

Friday Dodgeball Years 5 & 6

## September 2018 Reception Places

The deadline for applying for a place in Reception in September 2018 is fast approaching. If you, or friends and family, are wanting a place for the next school year please ensure that you have applied by Monday 15<sup>th</sup> January 2018. Any late applications are not dealt with until after all on-time applications for the city have been processed meaning you could miss out on your choice of school. More information, and the online application form, can be found on this link

<http://www.leeds.gov.uk/residents/Pages/Admissions-Primary-School.aspx>

If you need any help or information please contact the office.

## Nursery Applications for Places Next Academic Year

If you, or friends, are looking for a place in any of the Garforth school nurseries to start between September 2018 and April 2019 please apply by 15<sup>th</sup> January 2018. Forms are available from the office or from our website

[http://www.glp.org.uk/Nursery\\_Applications](http://www.glp.org.uk/Nursery_Applications). If

applications are late you risk not being offered your preferred session pattern. If you have friends who are new to the area or new to the school, visits can be arranged via the office.

## Diary Dates

### **Parent Partnership- Parents are invited**

*Note: Activities, times and dates are subject to change. Up-to-date information will be confirmed on the weekly newsletters.*

DATE	Activity
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> January	Same Day Intervention Maths Demonstration Lesson Years 1-6 Parents welcome 9.30am – 10.15am
Tuesday 23 <sup>rd</sup> January	Reception, Year 1 & Year 2 Grandparents' Lunch Day
Wednesday 24 <sup>th</sup> January	Early Years Stay & Play 9am – 10.30am
Friday 26 <sup>th</sup> January	Humanities & The Arts Day
Friday 2 <sup>nd</sup> February	Parents Coffee Morning 9am
Tuesday 6 <sup>th</sup> February	Year 6 SATS Parents Information Session (Junior Hall) 6pm
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> February	Year 2 SATS Parents Information Session (Junior Hall) 6pm
Wednesday 7 <sup>th</sup> February	Oak Class Assembly 2.30pm
Friday 9 <sup>th</sup> February	Training Day – Academy Closed
W/C Monday 12 <sup>th</sup> February	Half Term Holidays – Academy Closed
Monday 19 <sup>th</sup> February	Academy Open – Welcome Back

## Helen O'Grady Drama Academy

The Helen O'Grady Drama Academy offer weekly drama sessions in the local area and have offered a voucher for one term's sessions free of charge. If your child would be interested in this please write to Mrs Carlisle by Monday 15<sup>th</sup> January explaining why you / your child would like this opportunity and what you would get from the experience. A name will then be drawn from a hat shortly after this date.



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	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<b>Main Dish</b>	<b>Pasta Pack's Mac N Cheese</b>  Pasta served with Cheese Sauce	<b>Bangers with a Mash Mountain</b>  Pork Sausages with a Creamy Mash & Gravy	<b>Roast Chicken with Bud's Crispy Spuds</b>  With Roast Potatoes and Gravy	<b>Beef Chilli</b>  Served with Rice	<b>Golden Fish Fingers with Chips</b>  Fish Fingers with Chips
<b>Vegetarian</b>	<b>Boston Bean Casserole</b>  Served with Rice	<b>Vegetarian Bangers with a Mash Mountain</b>  Vegetarian Sausages with a Creamy Mash & Gravy	<b>Quorn Roast</b>  With Roast Potatoes and Gravy	<b>Creamy Tomato &amp; Basil Pasta</b>  Pasta served with a tomato & basil sauce	<b>Bean &amp; Potato Burrito</b>  Served with Chips
<b>Deli Bar</b>	Baked Jacket Potatoes with a Choice of Fillings				
<b>Vegetables</b>	Broccoli Crunchy Salad	Seasonal Cabbage Carrots	Peas Swede	Sweetcorn Green Beans	Baked Beans Crunchy Light Coleslaw
<b>Desserts</b>	Chocolate & Mandarin Sponge with Chocolate Sauce  Fruit Salad	Oatie Biscuit with Fruit Slices  Fresh Fruit	Peaches with Homemade Granola & Yoghurt  Fruit Salad	Carrot & Pineapple Cake Slice  Fresh Fruit	Strawberry Cheesecake  Fruit Salad

Our menus run on a three-weekly cycle. For details of the other menus on offer and full allergen information please see our website.

([http://glpa.org.uk/Academy\\_Meals](http://glpa.org.uk/Academy_Meals))

Infant children receive a free piece of fruit each day as part of the government School Fruit and Vegetable Scheme. For children in years three to six we run a healthy tuck shop at morning break. Children can buy fruit and vegetables for 20p each day.

Please Note: Dinners for children in Year 3 – 6 cost £2.15 per day and can be paid by ParentPay or by cheques made payable to Green Lane Primary Academy. We always strive to improve our dinners. We welcome your comments about last week's menu. Please email [info@glpa.org.uk](mailto:info@glpa.org.uk).

Green Lane Primary Academy reserves the right to substitute menu items.

