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Dates for your Diary:

Tues 10 th Nov:	Year 3 - Flu Immunisations Catch Up Clinic at our school Friends of Edward Feild AGM on Zoom at 2pm
W/C Mon 23 rd Nov:	SEN Parent Teacher Virtual Meetings
W/C Mon 30 th Nov:	Parent Teacher Virtual Meetings

Dear Parent/Carer

Face Coverings

Thank you to everybody who is now wearing a face covering on site at pick up and drop off. Your children may see some staff members wearing a face covering or a face shield in class as we take individual circumstances into account during the current situation.

Flu Immunisations Catch Up Clinic – 10th November

We have arranged with the School Nurse team to offer flu immunisations on Tuesday to those children whose parents had provided consent by the deadline but were not in school on the immunisation day of 22nd October 2020. We are about to send out a Parentmail requesting you to confirm your child still requires the immunisation in case your child has been vaccinated in the meantime. Please note that if you did not provide consent before the original deadline, your child will not be able to receive an immunisation at this catch up clinic as the vaccines were pre-ordered based on consents received.

Virtual Parents Evenings

We will soon be arranging for you to have a virtual meeting on Microsoft Teams with your child's teacher to give you an opportunity to hear about your child's progress. If you are unable to access a Teams meeting, we can offer you a telephone call. The booking system will go live on Parentmail shortly for virtual meetings/calls during the week commencing Monday 30th November. SEN virtual meetings/calls will be offered for the week before.

Remembrance Day

Any children who would normally have taken part in a Remembrance Day parade are welcome to come to school on Wednesday dressed in their uniform. Year 6 have made a Remembrance Day wreath which we will be placing outside.

Christmas Performances

We are arranging for a professional filming company to record the Reception and KS1 Christmas Performances this year. There will be a DVD/download available to parents/carers of children in those classes to purchase. Our Y3-6 Christmas Choir will be taking part in a virtual Big Sing event and are busy rehearsing at lunchtime.

Warm Clothing

We need to keep the windows open as much as possible in the classrooms in order to maintain good air ventilation. Children may wish to wear a base layer under their polo shirts or maybe a fleece zip up on top of their sweater/cardigan. It does not need to be burgundy colour.

News from the Friends of Edward Feild

Exciting news from the Friends! We have a couple of activities, old and new, planned to take us up to Christmas (we know we said it and it's only November! But now is a great time to get organised). So STOP and marvel at the poster attached and then make a note to get sorted!

Pumpkin Carving Competition

Thank you to everyone who took part in the pumpkin carving competition. All entries were fantastic! The Batten family had the very hard job of deciding our winners. Certificates and prizes will be given out in class next week. Well done everyone!!

KS1:

3rd place receiving a certificate goes to Noah in Year 2

2nd place receiving a certificate and a small prize goes to Olivia in Year 2

Winner receiving a certificate and prize goes to Theo in Year 2

KS2:

3rd place receiving a certificate goes to Lexi in Year 5

2nd place receiving a certificate and small prize goes to Liliana in Year 4

Winner receiving a certificate and a prize goes to Asha in Year 6

Friends Recipes Collection Update

A huge thank you to all those who submitted recipes, the recipes sounded very tasty and pictures/images were great!!! However, we unfortunately did not receive enough recipes from families to support this event and so have made the decision to cancel the recipe booklet.

You can still show your support with the ongoing events below -

Friends AGM - Tuesday 10 November at 1400

A brief overview via zoom of The Friends plans for the future and events of last year. Please add this date to your diary and confirm attendance by emailing friends@efs.oxon.sch.uk

Christmas Shopping

The children at Edward Feild have been busy designing a Christmas template and we are really pleased to announce that the portal is open for you to view their image!!

We do hope that you enjoy seeing what your child has designed and that the portal will offer something to help you with your Christmas shopping, whilst supporting our school at the same time: <https://mychildsart.co.uk/school-login/EdwardFeild/77wx2z6M/> Simply use this link and search for your child to view their design. Add all your desired products to the basket and go to checkout. You will need to create an account but don't worry the products will still be in the basket once you are logged in. Happy Shopping!!

School Lunches

We are now pleased to be able to offer hot school lunches every day to the whole school. Reception have their lunch in the main hall, Years 1 and 2 in the Dining Hall. Years 3-6 will be served their hot meal in class using compostable take away style boxes. School lunches are free for Reception to Year 2 and cost £2.30 for Years 3-6 excluding Free School Meals.

The menu for next week is on the next page:

Week Commencing Mon 9th Nov

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Jacket Potato & BBQ Baked Beans Or	Taco Bowl with Mince Or	Sausages Or	<i>Sporting Day</i> Jumping Jackets with Tuna Or	Battered Fish Fillet Or
Margherita Pizza (v)	Taco Bowl with Vegetarian Mince (v)	Vegetarian Sausages (v)	Faster Pasta Bake (v)	Cheese Whirls (v)
Corn on the Cob	Sweetcorn and Broccoli	Mashed Potato, Green Beans and Carrots	Speedy Sweetcorn	Chips and Baked Beans
Fruit Sponge Cake	Raisin and Banana Cookie	Chocolate Rice Crispy Cake	Hopscotch Cake	Cookie