Príory News



7th July 2025

Dear Parents / Carers,

It was certainly a hot week in school last week. Fortunately it has cooled down now, although we believe it will warm up again towards the end of this week. Please do make sure your child has a sun hat, sun-cream and a filled water-bottle with them each day. We do put up gazebos and encourage the children to seek shade during lunchtime, and they are very good at doing so. We've also been able to enjoy some water play too—which is great fun and enables some cooling down.

Dan the Skipping Man's visit was enjoyed by the children and it was fantastic to see everyone having a go. Mr Brolia is going to set us some challenges now—to help us keep practising our skills there.

We also made the most of our close proximity to Longsands Academy this week—with their Language Leaders coming over to our classes, and in return, our Year 5 children visited their science labs for a workshop too.

Finally, the week ended with the FOPJS Summer BBQ. After two wet years, we were blessed with a sunny evening and were all able to enjoy the time together. Thank-you to everyone who came along and supported this event.

Best Wishes,

Tracy Keefe

Language Leaders in School

Last Wednesday afternoon, our year 3 and 4 welcomed the Language Leaders from Longsands. Language Leaders are GCSE language students, who are chosen to be leaders for their subject. It was wonderful for our students to see this leadership opportunity that they could aim for in secondary school. The Language Leaders shared their learning though activities that they created and at the end, our children had an opportunity to listen to their experiences of languages at GCSE.

Sports Day—8th July

Are you coming along to sports day tomorrow?

If so, we hope you have a great time and enjoy watching your child/ren take part.

FOPJS will be serving bacon butties and a small selection of drinks—please remember that these are for spectators only.

The event is always well-supported. Please help us to keep it running smoothly by remaining in the areas for spectators. Mr Brolia will provide reminders of what to do / where to be on the day.

Diary Dates

Y2/Y3 Sports Afternoon	7th July
Sports Day (morning)	8th July
School Council Ice-Cream Sale	9th July
Y4 Ely Cathedral Trip	16th July
Year 5 and Year 6 Discos	17th July
Y6 Performance: The Wizard of Oz	21st July
End of Summer Term	23rd July
Autumn Term Starts	3rd September

Staffing

A warm welcome back to Mrs Miller, who has returned from her maternity leave. Mrs Miller is now teaching BW3, alongside Mr Brolia.

A very warm welcome to Mrs Dennis, who has joined our admin team this last week. Mrs Dennis is our new Finance Assistant and as such, she will be overseeing The BASE bookings and payments, and also school dinner money too.

Having been a friendly face for all our families for the last ten years, Mrs Tully will be leaving us at the end of this term, as she takes early retirement. We wish her the very best for the adventures that await her, and thank her for all her hard work while she has been at Priory.

As such, Mrs Brett will be joining the office team from Monday this week. Mrs Brett will be our new Finance Administrator.

Who Do I Contact?

To help your message get to the right person, please make sure you send any emails to the following places:

For queries about The BASE, please email: thebase@priory.cambs.sch.uk

For queries about school dinners or school trip payments, please email: finance@priory.cambs.sch.uk

For queries about attendance, please email: office@priory.cambs.sch.uk

For queries about school life / or to request contact from a member of staff, please email: **office@priory.cambs.sch.uk**

Dear Parents,

The Priory Junior School Council are proud to present their FUND RAISING event for 2025, which they hope will raise 'Funds' for much appreciated OPAL lunchtime play equipment.

Summer Ice cream and Ice Iolly Parlour

Our School Council are organising Priory's biggest ever ICE CREAM and ICE LOL-LY sale during the afternoon on Wednesday 9th July. During the afternoon children in all classes and teachers will be invited to visit the parlour and enjoy one of our mouth-watering ice creams or lollies which will be priced £1 (cash only) and will be available in the flavours listed below so please support your school council in this fund-raising event!

Flavours – strawberry, chocolate, vanilla flavoured ice cream

Toppings – strawberry or chocolate sauce topping Limited amount of rocket ice lollies ALL NUT FREE

A	2		ks commencing: 08/09, 29/09, 20/10	FUE	EL FOR YOUNG MINDS	
	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	
MAIN MEAL	Ham, Cheese & Tomato Pizza with Diced Potato, Sweetcorn & Peas	Beef Taco with Rice & Broccoli	Toad in the Hole with Roast Potatoes, Gravy Broccoli & Carrots	Sausage & Tomato Pasta with a Warm Baguette Slice & Sweetcorn	Fish Fingers with Chips, Baked Beans or Peas	
VEGETARIAN	Cheese & Tomato Pizza with Diced Potatoes, Sweetcorn & Peas	Vegetarian Taco with Rice & Broccoli	Quorn Fillet with Roast Potatoes, Gravy, Broccoli & Carrots	Vegetarian Sausage & Tomato Pasta with a Warm Baguette Slice & Sweetcorn	Vegetable Fingers with Chips, Baked Beans or Peas	
JACKET POTATO PASTA DISH	Pasta with Optional Homemade Tomato Sauce and/or Cheese	Jacket Potato with Cheese, Baked Beans or Tuna Mayo	Pasta with Optional Homemade Tomato Sauce and/or Cheese	Jacket Potato with Cheese, Baked Beans or Tuna Mayo	Pasta with Optiona Homemade Tomate Sauce and/or Cheese	
SANDWICH/ BAGUETTE	Sandwich with Tuna Mayo, Cheese, Egg Mayo or Ham	Baguette with Tuna Mayo, Cheese, Egg Mayo or Ham	Bap with Tuna Mayo, Cheese, Egg Mayo or Ham	Bagel with Tuna Mayo, Cheese, Egg Mayo or Ham	Sandwich with Tun Mayo, Cheese, Egg Mayo or Ham	
DESSERTS	Chocolate Sponge with Custard	Oat Cookie	Banana Muffin	Chocolate & Orange Shortbread with Apple Slices	Famous Fruity Friday	



Wednesday 23rd July 202

Our Picnic Menu will include

Ham Sandwiches or Cheese Sandwiches (V) & Sausages Rolls or Vegan Sausage Rolls (Ve) & Chicken Nuggets or Veggie Nuggets (Ve) & Cucumber & Carrots Sticks (Ve) &

Chocolate Cookies (V)

AVAILABLE DAILY:

Book in advance for our special Picnic Lunch.

Booking Deadline:

Friday 11th July

