



Priory News



Dear parents and carers,

Somehow, we have made it to Friday already! Every week in school is busy, and this has been no different.

This week has seen our first pupils receive their bronze certificates for getting 10 merits. The stack of homeschool books for next week is growing by the minute!

Thank you to anyone who was able to make our Parent Do Day this week where we celebrated OPAL. It gave me such pleasure to welcome you to share something that we've been working really hard to improve. I hope that you saw just how much enjoyment your children get from their lunchtimes and the range of opportunities available for them. There is a reminder of the donations sheet on a further page if you happen to have anything hiding in our shed. We are also hoping to open our scooter area in the near future, if you have any good-quality scooters that your children may have outgrown, please consider donating them to us. Thank you in advance for any donations, we really appreciate it.

Have a lovely weekend,

Emma Welch

Dates for your diary

October	Black History Month
13 th October	Year 3 Museum Trip
15 th October	TH6 Class Assembly
16 th October	Whole School Theme Day
17 th October	Y6 Viking Day
20 th October	Year 3 Museum Trip
21 st October	Priory Open Event
22 nd October	BM5 Class Assembly
27 th – 31 st Oct	Half Term
4 th & 5 th Nov	Parents Evening
6 th November	Individual Photos
10 th – 14 th Nov	Anti-bullying Week

Year 4 report from their Ancient Egypt Day

Charlotte, Jaxon & Rowan, TT4: "In the morning, we learnt about the Lower and Upper Pharaohs. The Upper Pharaohs wore a small hat and the other one a long hat. Next, we completed a quiz. We had a piece of paper with lots of different questions and had to find the answers on different board"

Lacey, Zoe, Ella & Lottie, LW4: "In the morning, our visitor showed us lots of artefacts from Ancient Egypt. He brought in pots, tiny beads, an earring and bandages from a real Mummy! He showed us what historians think Tutankhamun looked like but then we saw an picture of King Tut after he had been unravelled from his bandages – it was very shocking!"

Theo & James, EL4: "In the afternoon, we looked at the process of mummification. There was even a real sarcophagus! It had ALL of the steps in.....including the step where you hook out the brain. The big finale was laying the mummy inside the sarcophagus. After this, we played a game called Jackles and Hounds. Theo's team (Jackles) won and James' team lost by 1 point. The scores were 20-19!"

World Mental Health Day

Today is World Mental Health Day. Pupils watched an online theatre production in their classes this week called, 'How Are You?' This including the importance of sharing how you are feeling, finding someone you are confident to speak to and exploring different feelings.

If you find that you would like more support in terms of supporting your child linked to their Mental Health, please do get in touch and we can help.

We have a session in school on Wednesday 15th October with the Mental Health Support Team that will give you support and strategies if you would like it. More information on the next page.

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YOU'RE INVITED TO OUR INFORMATION
SESSION ON...

NHS
Cambridgeshire
Community Services
NHS Trust

SUPPORTING YOUR CHILD WITH FEARS AND WORRIES

Priory Junior
School -
Wednesday 15th
October at 2pm

with..
The
Mental Health
Support Team



FREE

Babies and
pre-school
age children
are
welcome to
join

This session will provide you with **information** to increase your understanding of your anxious child.

We will talk about how to **recognise** when your child may be feeling anxious and **identify** some of the possible reasons they may be feeling this way.

We will then introduce some **strategies** to help your child manage these big feelings!

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Open Evening



Are you looking for a Year 3 school place for your child for September 2026?

Are you looking for a Reception school place and would like to see a potential Junior School that your child could progress to?

If this is you, please visit our Open Evening to learn more about Priory Junior School.



Tuesday 21st October



4pm – 6pm



**Priory Junior School,
Longsands Road, St Neots**



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Week Two Menu

Served weeks commencing:
09/06, 30/06, 21/07, 01/09, 22/09, 13/10



	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
MAIN MEAL	Beef Burger with Diced Potato, Peas & Coleslaw	Sweet and Sour Chicken with Noodles, Carrots & Sweetcorn	Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes, Gravy, Broccoli & Carrots	Beef Lasagne with Garlic Bread & Salad	Fish Fingers with Chips, Baked Beans or Peas
VEGETARIAN	Vegetable Burger with Diced Potato, Peas & Coleslaw	Sweet and Sour Vegetables with Noodles, Carrots & Sweetcorn	Quorn Fillet with Roast Potatoes, Gravy, Broccoli & Carrots	Vegetarian Lasagne with Garlic Bread & Salad	Cheese & Tomato Pizza 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 Optional Homemade Tomato 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	Baguette with Tuna Mayo, Cheese, Egg Mayo or Ham	Sandwich with Tuna Mayo, Cheese, Egg Mayo or Ham
DESSERTS	Flapjack with Orange Slices	Jam Sponge with Custard	Shortbread with Apple Slices	Apple Crumble with Custard	Famous Fruity Friday

