

Menu w/b 14th January for P1-P7

Lunches cost £2.60 per day. Please send the money in an envelope labelled with your child's name. Money received on Monday for the week —the correct amount is greatly appreciated!

Monday

Savoury Mince beef/ cheese and tomato pizza

carrots, mashed potato

Flakemeal biscuits, fruit, milkshake

Tuesday

Chicken/ veggie curry or chicken casserole

Rice, naan bread, peas

Chocolate sponge and custard

Wednesday

Cottage pie/ chicken pasta bake/ veggie pasta

Baked beans, creamed potato

Fruit muffin, milkshake, fruit

Thursday

Roast gammon/ veggie hotpot

Cabbage, roast and mashed potato

Yoghurt and fruit

Friday

Fish fingers/ cheese and tomato wrap

Sweetcorn, salad, coleslaw, chips/ baked potato

Fruit crumble and custard

Bread, fresh fruit, yoghurt, milk and water are available daily

Rosetta Reporter 11th January 2019

Happy New Year!

I hope you all had a great time over the Christmas holidays, and are refreshed and ready for all that 2019 holds in store.

The children have settled back into routine very quickly. It is important to develop their independence, so please leave your child at the entrance door and allow them to go into their classroom by themselves. If you need to speak to your child's teacher, please go to the Office and Mrs Osborne will ring the teacher and ask him/her to come down to the foyer.

'Star of the Week' will be chosen from each class next week.

It seems strange to be just back and already thinking of 2019/20, but the EA have requested school holidays for next year. The list has gone home today, so no excuses for booking holidays in term time!



We were delighted to receive high visibility vests from Ulster Property Sales, Forestside, which will make our children visible when engaged in outdoor learning. Being visible is key to staying safe; brightly coloured coats, and reflective strips on clothing are a good idea in these dark mornings and evenings.

Dates for your diary:

Fri 11th Jan: Shared Education training for P6 and P7 teachers

17& 18 Jan: Shared Education training for P6 and P7 teachers

25 Jan—Transfer interviews for P7 parents begin

26 Jan: AQE and GL results

28, 29, 30 Jan—Transfer interviews for P7 parents

Thurs 14 Feb: 2.00pm finish for half term

Fri 15—Wed 20 Feb inclusive—Half term

w/b 25th Feb—Parent Teacher interviews

Enrolment for Nursery and P1 in September 2019 has begun, and closes on **31 January**.

Information is available on the EA website— <https://www.eani.org.uk/parents/admissions> . There have been difficulties in accessing the system, if you have any problems, please speak to Mrs Finn, Mr Melville or me. Please encourage friends and neighbours to put Rosetta as first choice! I am always delighted to show our school to any potential parent, just ring and make an appointment.

Please be mindful of our children's safety. Traffic is very busy, but we can lessen the dangers to our children . Parking illegally puts children in danger. Both PSNI and traffic wardens will visit school to ensure everyone parks responsibly and so keep all our children safe.

Stevie Jenkins, a Sinn Fein councillor, has organised a **public meeting** to be held in the **Good Shepherd Parish Centre** on **Wednesday 16th January at 7pm about traffic issues in the local area**. Please attend if you can, and highlight the issues faced by Rosetta pupils



Next English class for parents and carers in the staffroom on Friday 18th January 2019.

St John's Church (on the corner past school) are also running **English classes on Tuesday evenings**. They share a vegetarian meal at 5.30pm and the classes finish at 8.00pm. Contact Janet on 07739523372 for more details.

Post Christmas appeal!

Nursery would be delighted to receive donations **of unwanted toys, Christmas trees and old pots and pans**. The pots and pans are to be used in the outdoor kitchen.



Homework Club: Getting homework done can be a source of stress in many families. **St John's**

Presbyterian Church (just up the road from school) would like to support **children and parents by running a homework club** on Wednesday afternoons. The plan would be that parents would bring their children to St John's, they can have a tea or coffee while the children do homework in a quiet space. There will also be a play area for little ones, and adult volunteers to support the children with homework. If you would be interested in bringing your children, please let your child's teacher or Mrs Crawford know.

Mrs Finn intends to start **preparation classes for the Sacraments** next week. If you have not received a letter, but would like your child to attend, please contact Mrs Finn or Mrs Crawford.

Our P2 and P3 pupils have benefitted from a **Shared Education Project** with Forge Primary school based around forest schools. Our P7 pupils are now embarking on a project called **Walking In Each Others' Shoes**, which involves groups of children from both schools visiting a range of different places in our locality, and making a short documentary film based on the interviews they do.

After school Clubs w/b 14th Jan:

Mon: Tennis P2-P7 **Tues: None**

Wed: Monkeynastix N, P1 & P2 **Thurs: None**