



Gedney Drove End Primary School and Holbeach St Marks Primary School

14th June 2019

Dates for your diary

21st – 23rd June Hilltop
26th Year 5 Taster day UAH **HSM ONLY**
27th June Move Up Day
12th July Sports Day
15th July Year 6 Leavers Trip
18th July Leavers Service AM HSM
18th July Leavers Service PM GDE
19th July End of Term

Hot Meals

Please find attached the menu for w.c 24th June.
Please send completed forms and payment by
Monday 17th June. If your child is entitled to a free
lunch, you still need to return the completed form.

Dear Parents

Swimming Term 6

Swimming dates are as follows; **Gedney Drove End – 17th June, 1st July & 15th July (please note that year 6 children have their leavers trip on 15th July so will not be going swimming)**
Holbeach St Marks – 24th June & 8th July.

Year 6 Leavers Trip

Our Year 6 children will be going on their leavers' trip on Monday 15th July. We will be visiting the high ropes and laser storm at Baytree, lunch is included. **Children should wear PE kits so that they have suitable clothing and footwear for the high ropes.** This trip will take place within the normal school day. There is no cost for this trip but please sign the permission slip and indicate menu choice.

Uniform Order

Please could all uniform orders be returned by Monday 17th June. We will notify you when your order is in stock and payment will be required on collection.

Move Up Day

On Thursday 27th June, we will be having our move up day. The children will be spending the day in their new class for September 2019 and will meet their class teacher.

Finland & Cuba Nene Valley Park Trip

On Thursday 20th June, Finland and Cuba Classes will be going to Nene Valley in Peterborough as part of their term 6 topic. The coach will be leaving Gedney Drove End at 8.40am and Holbeach St Marks at 9am. We expect to return to Holbeach St Marks at 3.30pm and Gedney Drove End at 3.50pm. The children will need to have a packed lunch and plenty to drink with them. They should wear their blue hoodies. If you would like school to provide a packed lunch for your child, please indicate on the permission slip. We will need to ask for a voluntary contribution of £10.00 towards the cost of the trip.

Y5 Taster Day Holbeach St Marks

On Wednesday 26th June, the year 5 pupils from Holbeach St Marks have been invited to the University Academy Holbeach for a fun day of activities. Children may purchase a school lunch for £3 including a drink of their choice; please see the attached menu for choices, or they may take a packed lunch. The visit will take place during the school day, and they will be transported by minibus. Please sign and return the permission slip indicating their choice of lunch.

Year 6 Induction Day UAH – HSM

On Thursday 27th June, and Friday 28th June the Year 6 pupils who will be starting at the UAH in September will be having two induction days. If your child is entitled to school transport in September they will be able to go on the bus both days. Lunch will be available for pupils to purchase from the canteen or alternatively they may take a packed lunch.

Sweden and Barbados Topic Day

On Tuesday 9th July, Sweden and Barbados will be visiting Westmere to take part in a confectionary themed topic day. They will be taking part in various activities including making their own chocolate bar and designing the packaging to put it in. All children will need a packed lunch; this will be provided for those children entitled to free school meals. If your child is allergic to any of the ingredients used to make chocolate, please let the class teacher know, as they will be performing taste tests. As this is a federated event we already have permission to transport your child however if you have any concerns please speak to their teacher.

Leavers Assembly Photos

Please would parents of children in year 6 send some photos into school ready for the leavers' assembly. You can either bring in prints which we will scan and return or you could email digital photos directly to school on the following email addresses.

Holbeach St Marks – enquiries@st-marks.lincs.sch.uk

Gedney Drove End – enquiries@gedneydroveend.lincs.sch.uk

Topics for week commencing 17th June

We would like to encourage parents to support their child with their learning at home. Should you want more information, please speak to your child's class teacher. Please find below the information for next week.

	English	Maths
Finland	Narrative Hansel and Gretel	Fractions
Sweden	Non-chronological reports	Money
Norway	Narrative	Fractions
Cuba	Gruffalo	Place value
Barbados	Character descriptions	Fractions
St Lucia	Persuasion	Decimals

Stars of the week

Well done to the following children for their amazing achievements this week.

Gedney Drove End

Finland – Isla for having a super attitude towards her learning and for fantastic independent working.

Sweden – Evie for consistent hard work in class this week.

Norway – Dylan for a superb attitude and setting a good example to others.

Holbeach St Marks

Cuba – Luna for fantastic reading.

Barbados – Lenny for earning his pen licence, and for being really kind and compassionate to others.

St Lucia – Tiger-Lilly for settling in really well.

Many Thanks

Karyn Wiles



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Year 6 Leavers Trip 15th July 2019

I give / do not give permission for my child To attend the year 6 leavers trip.

Please tick a main course and either chips or salad

Main Course		Side	
	Please tick one		Please tick one
Burger		Chips	
Chicken Nuggets		Salad	
Sausage			
Fish Fingers			
Veggie Nuggets			

Signed Date.....

Cuba and Finland Nene Valley Park Trip

I give / do not give permission for my child(ren)to attend the trip to Nene Valley Park on 20th June 2019.

I do / do not enclose a voluntary contribution of £10 per child.

I would like the school to provide a packed lunch for my child.

Signed Date.....

Y5 Taster Day – Holbeach St Marks only

I do / do not give permission for my child.....to attend the UAH Taster day on Wednesday 26th June.

Choice of main.....

Vegetarian.....

Jacket potato & filling.....

Snacks.....

Pudding.....

My child will take a packed lunch

SignedDate.....