



# Gedney Drove End Primary School and Holbeach St Marks Primary School

17th May 2019

## **Dates for your diary**

20<sup>th</sup> May 6pm New Intake Evening GDE  
21<sup>st</sup> May Church School Festival Lincoln  
23<sup>rd</sup> May Class Photos  
22<sup>nd</sup> Norway Topic Afternoon  
23<sup>rd</sup> Barbados, Cuba & Sweden Topic Afternoons  
24<sup>th</sup> St Lucia & Finland Topic Afternoons  
24<sup>th</sup> May End of Term 5  
3<sup>rd</sup> June Start of Term 6  
12<sup>th</sup> June 6pm New Intake Evening HSM

## **Hot Meals**

Please find attached the menu for w.c 3rd<sup>th</sup> June.  
Please send completed forms and payment by  
Monday 20<sup>th</sup> May. If your child is entitled to a free  
lunch, you still need to return the completed form.

Dear Parents

## **Class Photos**

On Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May, the school photographer will be coming to take the group and year 6 leavers' photos. He will be at Gedney Drove End first thing and then Holbeach St Marks.

## **HSM Topic Afternoons**

We would like to invite parents to come to see what the children have been doing in their topic work

**Cuba Class Thursday 23rd May at 3pm**  
**Barbados Class Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May at 2.45pm**  
**St Lucia Class Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May 2.45pm**

## **GDE Topic Afternoons**

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**Finland Class Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May at 2.45pm**  
**Sweden Class Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> May at 2.45pm**  
**Norway Class Wednesday 22<sup>nd</sup> May at 2.45pm**

## **Cuba & Finland Topic Day – 6<sup>th</sup> June 2019**

Cuba and Finland classes will be visiting Westmere on Thursday 6<sup>th</sup> June to take part in a topic day. The children will be travelling over by coach and should be back by the end of the school day. All children will need a packed lunch, which will be provided, however you can send in a packed lunch if you prefer. As this is a federated event we already have permission to transport your child but should you have any concerns please speak to the class teacher.

## **Swimming Term 5**

Swimming dates are as follows; **Holbeach St Marks – 20<sup>th</sup> May**

## **Vehicle Gates - Gedney Drove End**

Can I please remind parents to keep their children clear from the vehicle gates at the end of the day? Recently, staff have been trying to leave, or arrive from other schools, and children are playing on the grassed area or in front of the gates.

### **Church Schools' Festival HSM**

On Tuesday 21<sup>st</sup> May, Year 6 pupils from Holbeach St Marks will be attending the Church Schools Festival at Lincoln Cathedral. We will be leaving at 8.15am promptly, and will return to school at approximately 3.45pm. The children should bring a packed lunch. Please sign and return the attached permission slip.

### **Reception Intake for September 2019 HSM**

Parents should now have received their offer of a place for their child starting school in September. There will be a new intake parent meeting on 12th June at 6pm at Holbeach St Marks. If you have not received confirmation of your child's place, please come and let the school office know. Please return the attached permission slip confirming if you will be able to attend.

### **Topics for next week**

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.

	<b>English</b>	<b>Maths</b>
<b>Finland</b>	Myths and legends	Multiplication and division
<b>Sweden</b>	Instructions	Fractions and decimals
<b>Norway</b>	Recount	Fractions
<b>Cuba</b>	Non fiction	Fractions
<b>Barbados</b>	Instructions	Problem solving
<b>St Lucia</b>	Y4/5 Newspaper reports Y6 Writing skills	Y4/5 fractions Y6 Problem solving

### **Stars of the week**

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

#### **Gedney Drove End**

Finland – Aurora for some fantastic contributions in class and for working very hard this week.

Sweden – Rebekka for working hard in school this week.

Norway – All of Year 6 for fantastic effort in their SATs.

#### **Holbeach St Marks**

Cuba – Ryan for amazing effort all week.

Barbados – Thomas for creative and amusing writing.

St Lucia – All Y6 children for hard work and attitude towards their SATs.

Many Thanks

Karyn Wiles



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**Church School Festival Year 6 HSM only**

I do/do not give permission for my child.....to attend the Church Schools' Festival at Lincoln Cathedral on the 21st May.

Signed.....Date.....

**New Intake Meeting HSM**

We will/will not be able to attend the new starter meeting on Wednesday June 12<sup>th</sup> at Holbeach St Marks.

Name of child.....

Signed .....Date.....