



Gedney Drove End Primary School and Holbeach St Marks Primary School

21st June 2019

Dates for your diary

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 1st July.
Please send completed forms and payment by
Monday 24th June. If your child is entitled to a free
lunch, you still need to return the completed form.

Dear Parents

Holbeach St Marks Bingo

On Friday 5th July there will be a bingo evening at Holbeach St Marks village hall. We would like to ask the children to help with prizes and we will be having a non-uniform day on Friday 28th June, children should bring some chocolate in return for coming to school in non-uniform.

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.

School Transport for Leavers

If your child is going to secondary school this year and will be entitled to school transport you need to make an application for a bus pass, please see information from the County Council below;

If your child is transferring to secondary school in September 2019 they may be eligible for school transport. If you think your child is eligible please apply for transport as soon as possible. Applications can be made online at the website below or a paper application form can be requested from the Customer Service Centre on 01522 782020.

For more information about the home to school transport policy and online applications, please go to www.lincolnshire.gov.uk/schooltransport . Queries can be emailed to schooltransportapplications@lincolnshire.gov.uk.

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.

Flu Immunisation Autumn 2019

Please find attached a letter from the school nursing team regarding flu Immunisation.

If your child is currently in reception to year 5 or will be starting reception in September then please follow the instructions on the letter to register for the immunisation.

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 – sally.massey@griffinederation.co.uk HSM – digital images are preferred even if this is a phone image taken of an old photograph.

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 report	Statistics
Norway	Narrative	Fractions
Cuba	Narrative The Gruffalo	Place value
Barbados	Description	Fractions
St Lucia	Personal project	Applying skills

Swimming Term 6

Swimming dates are as follows; **Gedney Drove End –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.



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Stars of the week

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

Gedney Drove End

Finland – Elsie for some great answers to questions in class.

Sweden – Arthur for excellent effort with his handwriting.

Norway – Tom for having a mature attitude and setting a good example to others.

Holbeach St Marks

Cuba – Ryan for great story telling skills.

Barbados – Mihai for demonstrating our school values.

St Lucia – Alfie A for participation, enthusiasm and success in English lessons.

Many Thanks

Karyn Wiles

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.....

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. I enclose £3 for this meal.

Choice of main.....

Vegetarian.....

Jacket potato & filling.....

Snacks.....

Pudding.....

My child will take a packed lunch

SignedDate.....