

Field Junior School

Autumn Term 19th September 2025

I hope this newsletter finds you well. I'm excited to share some highlights from our school this week.

Our Year 5 children have started their swimming lessons for the term, which is always an exciting milestone. They've been enthusiastic and engaged during their first session, and I'm looking forward to hearing about their progress.

This week also marked a special moment for our Year 3 children, who had their first violin lesson. The sound of new musical journeys beginning is always delightful to hear.

We recently held a fantastic assembly exploring Egyptian art, and it was wonderful to see our children's curiosity and creativity sparked by learning about this fascinating historical period.

I want to bring your attention to several important letters that have been sent home:

- Year 6 trip to the Ragged Museum
- A vacancy for a parent governor
- Year 5 Hazard Alley trip

If you haven't received these letters or need them resent, please contact the school office, and we'll be happy to help.

As a quick reminder, flu vaccinations will take place next Friday. Please refer to the additional information provided about this important health initiative.



Vaccination UK

FRIDAY 26TH SEPTMEBER

Just 7 days until the school nurses visit for Flu vaccinations.

If you have not yet consented or declined this needs to be done before the 26th. Please see the link below where you will be able to do this <u>Vaccination UK Bedfordshire Immunisation</u>

Easy Fundraising is a simple yet powerful way to support our school. When you shop online through their platform, participating retailers donate a small percentage of your purchase to our school at no extra cost to you. It's essentially free money that can make a real difference to our children's educational experience.

I want to extend a heartfelt thank you to all the families who have already signed up. Together, we have raised a significant amount for our school - every pound counts! If you haven't yet joined this effortless fundraising initiative, I strongly encourage you to do so.

Please take a moment to sign up and help us continue raising funds.

Getting started is simple:

- 1. Sign up at Field Junior School Watford Fundraising | Easyfundraising
- 2. Start your online shopping through the easy fundraising website or app
- Shop as normal the retailer will make a donation to our school





Autumn Term

Monday 22nd September Yr 3 Meet the teacher 3:30PM—4PM
Wednesday 24th September Yr 4 Meet the teacher 3:30PM—4PM
Thursday 25th September Yr 5 Meet the teacher 3:30PM—4PM
Friday 26th September Flu Immunisations

Wednesday 1st October Yr 6 Meet the teacher 3:30PM—4PM
Monday 27th October Friday 31st October Half Term
Thursday 6th November YR 5 Hazard Alley
Tuesday 11th November YR 6 Ragged School Museum Trip

Tuesday 18th November Individual School Pictures
Wednesday 19th November Year 6 Height and Weight
Friday 5th December Occasional Day—School Closed





Good attendance is vital for all children to support their learning and social development. Following government guidance, we have a duty to inform parents/carers if their child has had several absences from school. If your child's absence is 10% or more, so that attendance is below 90%, they are classed as persistent absentee, and you are at risk of a breach notice and a fixed penalty notice.

This week's attendance award winners are 3C 99.3%

All other classes attendance this week:

3H 98.1%

5W 96.4%

50B 95.2%

4P 94.4%

6S 93%

6K 92.5%

47 90.2%

Well done to all - Great attendance figures this week !!

Timetable Rockstar results are in

Badgers have come first with Otters coming in at a close second.

6K were the overall class winners 5O came second

I have set up class tournaments this week.

I have also put a 30-minute limit on the amount of time children can play timetable rockstars.

Field Junior Birthdays



Field Junior would like to wish Happy Birthday to the following children:

Nubaid 4P, Mariyam 6S, Blake 4T, Mohammed 6K, Inaaya 6K, Anthony 4P, Aadam 6K, Zorion 5W



Year 3 Wednesdays & Thursdays
Year 4 Wednesdays & Thursday
Year 5 Tuesdays & Thursday Swimming
Year 6 Mondays & Thursday

Absences/Illness

Please can we remind all parents to call the school office each morning to report your child absent. Press 1 to leave a message on the school answer phone **before 09:00 am.**

If arriving to school late, please can we ask that you record your child's name, class and reason for lateness in the book located in the reception area.

Thank you.

School Dinners



School menu w/c 22.09.2025 is week 1.

Please make sure your child's

dinner account is always in credit. Dinners must be paid in advance.

Parents/Carers are asked to keep track of their payments. Please do not wait for reminders from the office.

Payment methods: Arbor – please log on to your Arbor account.

<u>Cash</u> – send in cash in a clearly marked envelope (child's full name, class, amount, 'school dinners').

<u>Card</u> – to pay by card, please phone the school office.

The cost of a school dinner is £3.50 per meal (£17.50 per 5-day



Music Lessons.

Music lessons are available to book

Piano Lessons— Open to all years, takes place during the day on a Friday. To book your child a place please contact Linzi McCormack 07713 079376/linzilauren@hotmail.co.uk

Guitar Lessons—Take place during the school day and are open to year 4, year 5, and year 6. If you would like to book your child a place please contact **Micky Englert 07951 474723/ mickyenglert@gmail.com**

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

MONDAYS:

SUPER STAR SPORTS
GYMNASTICS CLUB

Dates: 08.09.2025 ~ 08.12.2025 Times 3:30 PM ~ 4:30PM Book via link:

Field Junior School | Pebble

ALL STARZ DANCE ACADEMY STREET DANCE

Monday After School Club 3.30pm – 4.30pm Dates: 18.09.2025 – 09.12.2025 Book via link:

Login | Moonglow Dance Academy - Portal

TUESDAYS:

SUPER STAR SPORT FOOTBALL

Dates: 09.09.2025 ~ 09.12.2025 Times 3:30 PM ~ 4:30PM Book via link:

Field Junior School | Pebble

WEDNESDAYS:

SUPER STAR SPORT CRICKET CLUB

Dates: 10.09.2025 – 10.12.2025 Times 3:30 PM ~ 4:30PM Book via link:

Field Junior School | Pebble

MONDAY—FRIDAY

SUPER STAR SPORT WRAP AROUND CLUB

Dates: 05.09.2025 – 18.12.2025 Times 3:30 PM ~ 6.00PM Book via link:

Field Junior School Wraparound | Pebble

Tennis By Sam at Field Juniors



You can now secure your child a space for the Autumn Term.

Mondays 12:20pm- 1pm

8th September - 8th December 2025

All ages £7 a session paid termly

Juniors - Croxley

Autumn Term Courses for Parents

Many external professionals offer parents the opportunity to access online parenting courses. Here are just a few examples that are listed on our school website from reliable sources.

New Talking ASD & ADHD Workshops, Healthy
Lifestyle Support Workshops, Sibling
Struggles Workshops, Responding to
Anger Workshops, Talking Dads Workshops,
Talking
Additional Needs Workshops and many, many

more.

Please click on the link to access the website page where you will find all the external professionals links to their courses they have to offer.

Field Junior School » SEND



Free school meals

If your financial circumstances have changed recently, click on the Free School Meal picture, to see if you are eligible for Free School Meals.

Applications take 5 minutes to complete.

Alternatively, call Mrs Conroy who can apply on your behalf.