



Field Junior School

Autumn Term
28th November 2025



I hope this newsletter finds you well. I wanted to share some important updates and reminders about what's happening at Field Junior School.

Today, we were treated to a delightful musical experience when year 12 students from the Purcell Music School visited us for a special assembly. Their performance was truly inspiring, featuring a wonderful array of instruments including flutes, violins, bongos, and piano. The students showcased an impressive range of musical styles, playing everything from pop and rock to classical pieces. Our children were thoroughly captivated and thoroughly enjoyed the assembly, experiencing the joy and diversity of music.

A reminder about our Christmas lunch and lunch options for the Panto: the deadline to complete your child's dinner option was Monday 24th November. If you have yet to inform us of your child's lunch option please ensure you do no later than Monday 1st December. Our kitchen team needs this information to order the correct amount of food. Should you have misplaced the original letter, please email or call the school office to confirm your child's lunch preference. You can also select your panto option through the link provided [Panto Trip 12th December Lunch Options – Fill in form](#)

School photographs were sent home last week. If you wish to order a copy, you have until 4th December for free delivery to school. Orders can still be placed after this date, but there will be an additional charge for home delivery.

I'd like to emphasise an important safety reminder: unless your child is in Year 6 and has been explicitly permitted to walk to and from school alone, they should be accompanied in the mornings and not left unattended in the park while walking to school.

Regarding our Christmas performance, a letter was sent home on Tuesday for children with speaking parts. Please return the attached slip to confirm your child's availability for the evening performance on 16th December. This helps us plan effectively and arrange replacements if needed. A script was also sent home for line learning - please ensure your child brings this to school every day.

Finally, a date for your diary: next Friday, 5th December, is an occasional day, and the school will be closed.



It is this time of the year when we can join our children for the festive celebrations at school.

Santa Claus is Coming to Town will be held in the school hall on Monday, the 15th of December at 1.15pm and Tuesday, the 16th of December at 5pm. The tickets are free, but due to the fire regulations we have limited number of tickets available for both days.

It is strictly two tickets per family on either of the dates, and on the first come first served basis. Please bring the slip back by **Monday, 8th of December**. It is no ticket, no entry, so please make sure you return the slip on time. The tickets will be sent via your child, attached to the request slip.

If demand exceeds our capacity, we **may** put on another afternoon show.



Vaccination UK

Flu immunisations catch up clinic will be taking place on **Tuesday 9th December**. This is for children who were absent or missed the first vaccination visit.

If you have not done so already please click the link below to either accept or decline the offer of the flu immunisation for your child. [Vaccination UK Bedfordshire Immunisation](#)

We are excited to announce plans for a new PA system in the annexe, designed to enhance learning experiences in this space.



This would be made possible by generous parent donations from our Christmas card fundraising and carol concert contributions. A donation can be made after each carol concert. We would love for you to be able help finance the overall cost of £6,500 for this project.



Arbor

Please take a moment to review and update your child's details on Arbor.

This includes checking home addresses, contact telephone numbers, and emergency contact information to ensure we have the most current and accurate records.

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Friday 5th December Occasional Day—School Closed

Monday 8th December Deadline for tickets for Christmas Performance

Tuesday 9th December Flu Immunisations Second visit

Thursday 11th December Yr 5 last swimming lesson

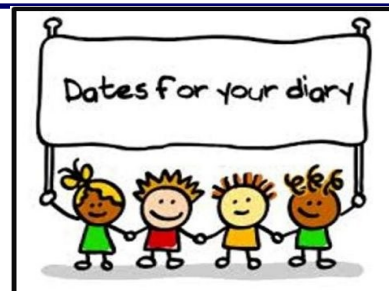
Friday 12th December Whole school panto trip

Monday 15th December Christmas Carol Concert 1:15pm

Tuesday 16th December Christmas Carol Concert 5pm

Thursday 18th December Whole School Christmas Lunch & Christmas Jumper Day

Friday 19th December Last day before Christmas Break (1:30pm finish)



Spring Term

Monday 5th January Inset Day School Closed

Tuesday 6th January Children back to school

Thursday 15th January Year 4 swimming starts



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:

4T 98.6%

3H 97%

5OB 96.2%

6K 95.3%

5W 95%

6S 93%

4P 91.8%

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



Timetable Rockstar results are in

We've had an incredible display of mathematical talent across our year groups.

Our class winners this round are **4T, 3C, 6K, and 5W** - a huge congratulations to these brilliant mathematicians!

I'm particularly proud to announce that **Otters** has emerged as our overall house winners, showcasing fantastic teamwork and mathematical skill.

Field Junior Birthdays



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

Piper 3C and Zander 6S



Year 3 Thursday & Friday

Year 4 Tuesday & Wednesday

Year 5 Wednesday & Thursday Swimming

Year 6 Monday & Thursday

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.

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
3. Shop as normal - the retailer will make a donation to our school



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 01.12.2025 is week 2

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.

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

Card – 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

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.

Tuesday's 12:20pm- 1pm

8th September - 8th December 2025

All ages £7 a session paid termly

[Clubspark / Croxley Tennis Club - Juniors / Coaching / Course](#)

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.