

SCHOOL TERM DATES 26/27

- Monday 21st December- Christmas Holidays
- Monday 4th January- Non-pupil day
- Tuesday 5th January- Return to school
- Monday 15th February- Half term
- Friday 26th March- Bank Holiday
- Monday 29th March- Bank Holiday
- Tuesday 30th March- Easter Holidays
- Monday 12th April- Return to school
- Monday 3rd May- Bank Holiday
- Friday 28th May- Non-pupil day
- Monday 31st May- Bank Holiday
- Tuesday 1st June- Half Term
- Monday 7th June- Return to school
- Thursday 22nd July- Start of school holidays 2027

A Message from Headteacher

We have had a really busy and exciting return to school after half term, and it has been wonderful to see the children settle back into their routines so positively.

On our INSET day, we were delighted to welcome teaching staff from across Inspires MAT to our school. During the morning, colleagues came together to explore our shared vision and values and discuss how these continue to influence our work with children and families. In the afternoon, our own staff team got stuck into preparing our fantastic new OPAL zones, ready for the launch of our enhanced lunchtimes. The impact of these changes at lunchtime has already been incredibly positive. Children have embraced the opportunities to be creative, active and collaborative, and it has been lovely to see so much engagement and enjoyment. We hope children are coming home talking positively about their experiences. There has been the occasional lost welly or shoe, and we are already looking at ways to improve storage to reduce this happening. Please remember that children need a coat with a hood every day, as outdoor play continues in all weathers.

This half term began with a fascinating Bonfire Night and firework safety assembly delivered by the Fire Brigade. The children learnt important messages about staying safe around fireworks and enjoyed hearing from fire safety professionals.

Last week in assembly, we focused on our school value of respect. We shared a story about a young girl whose name was repeatedly mispronounced and discussed how showing respect means listening carefully to others, valuing their identity and treating everyone with kindness. It prompted some thoughtful discussions across the school.

Since the last newsletter, our EYFS children have enjoyed their very first Forest School session. They loved exploring the outdoor environment, investigating natural resources and developing their confidence in the outdoors. We are looking forward to seeing these experiences continue throughout the year.

For Remembrance Day, Year 5 delivered a truly beautiful and moving assembly. The children spoke with maturity and respect, helping us all reflect on the sacrifices made by others. They absolutely wowed us, and we were incredibly proud of their thoughtful presentation.

It has also been wonderful to see so many families visiting our Book Fair. We hope you have enjoyed the opportunity to browse and purchase books together. Alongside this, our new outdoor Reading Sheds are now open and ready to use. They have been stocked with some fantastic books, so please do take a look and make the most of them when you are on site.

Mrs Wright and I had the pleasure of carrying out a writing learning walk across the school last week. It was incredibly positive to see such high levels of engagement, enthusiasm and pride in writing across all year groups. The quality of discussion, the effort children were putting into their work and their eagerness to share their writing with us were wonderful to see.

As we begin to edge closer towards the Christmas season, please keep an eye out for updates about upcoming events and celebrations. There is certainly a lot to look forward to over the coming weeks, and we can't wait to share these experiences with you.

Thank you all for your ongoing support,

Mrs Meares

Dates for your Calendar

Monday 16th November- Scholastic book fair

Tuesday 17th November- Scholastic book fair

Friday 20th November – Coffee morning - TastEd

Thursday 26th November- Parent tour for EYFS 2027 starters

Tuesday 1st December – Winter craft afternoon

Tuesday 8th December- EYFS Church Visit

Wednesday 9th December – Irock concert at 2:15pm

Thursday 10th December- Christmas Jumper & Christmas Dinner Day

Thursday 10th December – Storytime with the Head EYFS and KS1 4:15pm – 4:45pm
KS2 – 5:00pm – 5:30pm

Monday 14th December- 1.30pm KS1- Christmas performance Parents invited.

Tuesday 15th December- 2.00pm- EYFS- Christmas performance Parents invited

Tuesday 15th December- 3.30pm- KS1- Christmas Performance Parents invited

Wednesday 16th December- Year 1 Church visit

Wednesday 16th December- 1.30pm- KS2- Christmas performance parents invited

Wednesday 16th December- 3.30pm- KS2- Christmas performance

Thursday 17th December- Headteachers award assembly- invite only

Our amazing construction parents and the team from Tamdown have been working hard on a charitable contribution to our school grounds.

This kind gesture has saved the school considerable funds to redirect back into our children.

Our Site Manager, Mr Hampton has shared this brilliant update:

An update on the path around Early Years outdoor space.

I hope the school can appreciate what Tamdown are doing. The guys are working like trojans. The amount of material that has been dropped off has been immense.

These are photos taken on day three. The photos don't tell all the story. We've had civil engineering trucks constantly dropping off material and kit. The scale to install the path has been massive.

A huge and special shoutout to Barry, Tyler and the rest of the Tamdown Team. This path will ease the flow of traffic during peak school times and also be accessible all year round!

Silver End Academy are very fortunate and grateful for your efforts 😊













🎉 OPAL Bingo Winners! 🎉

We are delighted to announce our OPAL Bingo winners!
🏆 **Well done to Snowdon**, who collected an incredible **2,845 items** for our OPAL project!
🌟 **Well done to Mount Cook**, who achieved a **full house** by collecting the biggest variety of items!
As a reward for their fantastic efforts, both classes enjoyed a **movie afternoon with school cake on Friday!** 🍰🎬
A huge thank you to all our families for their generous donations and continued support. Every item donated is helping us make our playtimes even more exciting!

New 500 Words Storytelling Competition Launched in Essex for Primary Schools

Inspired by the publication of “Gruffalo Granny”, Essex Country Parks and Essex Library Service have launched a new storytelling competition for primary school aged children. Running until **Sunday 3 January 2027,** this is the perfect project for children this coming half term. Categories 5 to 7 and 8 to 11 years old. Essex County Council Deputy Leader, Councillor Russell Quirk announced the competition at Thorndon, home to the original and licensed trail, and invited children to share generational stories.

🌈 **OPAL SPONSORED BOUNCE DAY – NEXT THURSDAY!** 🌈

Dear Parents and Carers,

A little reminder that our **OPAL Sponsored Bounce Day** is taking place this week!

🗓️ **Thursday 19th November 2026**

⏰ **3:15pm – Straight after school**

📍 **School field/playground (weather permitting). If it rains, we will move into the school hall.**

We can't wait to see children, parents, carers and maybe even some teachers taking part in our fun space hopper races! 🐰🏁

🍰 **There will also be some exciting stalls**, including cakes for sale, Guess the Teddy's Name and a few other fun activities!

💰 **Please bring along your pennies!** All proceeds will go directly towards developing our OPAL provision and creating even more exciting play opportunities for our children.

📝 **Don't forget to collect your sponsors!** If you're taking part in the bouncing, please try to gather as many sponsors as you can. If you're not bouncing but would still like to help raise funds, we would really appreciate your support through sponsorship or donations!

Every penny makes a difference, and we are so grateful for your continued support.

We hope to see lots of you there for an afternoon of bouncing, laughter and fundraising!

Let's bounce together for OPAL! 🌈💚



❄️ WINTER CRAFT AFTERNOON! ❄️ 🎄

It's nearly that wonderful time of year again! ✨
We are excited to invite you to our Winter Craft Afternoon on Tuesday 1st December 2026, from 1:20pm to 2:50pm!
Come along and enjoy an afternoon of festive fun and creativity with your child in their classroom! We have lots of lovely winter-themed activities planned for families to enjoy together. 🎨 🤶

⏰ How will the afternoon work?

The afternoon will be split into three 30-minute sessions:

- Session 1: 1:20pm–1:50pm
- Session 2: 1:50pm–2:20pm
- Session 3: 2:20pm–2:50pm

If you have more than one child at school, you'll have the opportunity to move between their classrooms, starting with your youngest child. Children will remain in their own classrooms throughout.
📍 Please enter through the usual playground entrances, where staff will guide you to the correct classroom.
A few important reminders:

- Please avoid bringing younger siblings, pushchairs or buggies where possible due to limited space.
- Unfortunately, parent toilet facilities will not be available during the afternoon.
- Parents will leave at 2:50pm, with children being dismissed as normal at 3:05pm.

It will be a wonderful opportunity to spend some quality time with your child, get creative and enjoy a little festive cheer! ❤️
Please pop the date in your diaries! 🗓️
We can't wait to welcome you all! 🎄 ✨

SILVER END

Parent & Carer Play Survey

What families told us about play, outdoor learning and next steps

56 responses

PLAY REALLY MATTERS

91%

say play is very or extremely important



40 extremely • 7 very • 4 somewhat • 1 not so

CHILDREN MOSTLY ENJOY PLAYTIME

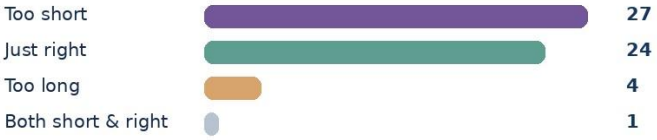
43 clear “good” or “brilliant” responses



2 additional responses selected mixed options.

IS PLAYTIME LONG ENOUGH?

48% said playtime is too short



OUTDOOR PLAY OPPORTUNITIES

66% say children have fewer opportunities

37	19
No	Yes

Parents described more rules, safety concerns and less freedom.

WHAT PLAY HELPS CHILDREN DEVELOP

Most frequently selected benefits (out of 56 responses)



Friendship and physical development stand out most strongly.

WHAT FAMILIES WOULD LIKE TO SEE MORE OF

More nature & Forest School

Growing, planting, nature areas, den building and outdoor learning.

More active play

Climbing frames, obstacle courses, sports, gym access and movement.

More resources & creativity

Loose parts, construction materials, skipping ropes, role-play and messy play.

More time, choice & adult support

Longer outdoor play, freedom to explore, adults modelling play and play leaders.

MUDDY CLOTHES & MINOR ACCIDENTS

71% approve or strongly approve • 27% neutral • 2% disapprove

Overall message: families value play and want richer, more varied outdoor opportunities.

Christmas Dinner and Christmas Jumper day Thursday 10th December 2026

We will be holding our Christmas dinner on Thursday 10th December. The cost of the meal will be £3.20.

Please see the menu below:

Option 1

Roast Turkey
Roast Potatoes
Yorkshire Pudding
Pigs in blankets
Stuffing
Sliced carrots
Peas
Gravy

Dessert

Festive Ice Cream tub



Option 2

Quorn Fillet
Roast Potatoes
Yorkshire Pudding
Stuffing
Sliced carrots
Peas
Gravy

Dessert

Festive Ice Cream tub

THERE WILL NOT BE ANY OTHER CHOICE OF MEAL ON THIS DAY. ALL MEALS NEED TO BE ORDERED IN ADVANCE. NO ORDERS CAN BE TAKEN ON THE DAY.



Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 do NOT need to pay as it is included in the Universal Free School Meals.

Year Three, Four, Five and Six will need to pay in advance on ParentMail. Your child's Christmas dinner will not be ordered until payment has been made. Please go onto ParentMail, Accounts & Products, Products and then click on 'Christmas Dinner 2026' to pay. Please do NOT make the payment on the usual dinner account section, as the price for the Christmas dinner is higher. Please select which option you would like by **Monday 23rd November at 2pm.**

If your child is entitled to free school meals, no payment is required.

Please remember to complete the order form on ParentMail, under Forms to choose your child's option for Christmas dinner day, if your child is Free school Meals or Universal Free School Meals.

Kind regards
School Office

Silver End Academy PTA

CHRISTMAS FAMILY QUIZ

Gather the family, test your knowledge and get into the festive spirit!

FRIDAY 4TH DECEMBER 2026

6:30 PM – 9:00 PM

DOORS OPEN AT 6:00 PM

SILVER END VILLAGE HALL

£25 for a table of 8

£5 per child additional (for Santa)

£3 per additional person (up to a maximum of 10 people per table)

Drinks and snacks will be available to purchase

No outside drinks and snacks permitted

School reception admissions 2027

As you may be aware, the primary school (Reception) admission round opened on **Monday 9 November 2026**, for parents of children to apply for a Reception school place for the academic year that starts in September 2027.
The statutory national closing date for applications is **15 January 2027**.
Applications can be made online via www.essex.gov.uk/admissions. 99% of parents in Essex applied online last year. All of the application information is available on the website above.
Our remaining tour dates are Thursday 26th November at 5pm and Thursday 7th January at 9.00am.





Picture News For Parents



October 2026

Hello!

It's Katie from Picture News here. If you're reading this newsletter, your child's school uses our weekly news resources, so I thought it'd be helpful to fill you in on everything Picture News schools have been up to this half term! Let's get started...

News Recap

Each Picture News resource focuses on a 'Big Question', to encourage deeper thinking and discussion around news stories. Let's look back at some of the topics we've explored this half term...

Learning from Dolly:
What can help us feel hopeful about a new beginning?



Dolly Parton re-recorded a song to raise money for charity, showing how revisiting something from the past can have a fresh impact. Coinciding with the new school year, children considered how they can build on their earlier experiences, take on new challenges, and make a positive difference.

Homelessness:
Do we all have a part to play in helping those in need?



Prime Minister Andy Burnham pledged to offer everyone sleeping rough in England a safe place to stay by Christmas. Children thought about times when people need the help of others, what that help might look like, and why asking for help and telling a safe adult when we are worried about someone can matter.

School Lunches:
Who should decide what we have for school lunch?



News of healthier changes to school dinner rules was the focus of this resource. Children thought about how decisions are made, discussing personal choice and shared responsibility, and the factors schools consider when providing meals.

AI:
Do we need AI wherever we go?



The announcement of the new Meta Muse Charm led to thought-provoking conversations in schools about whether AI is useful and when might we be better off without it. Children discussed AI's potential and limits, and how much technology should play a part in our lives.

Tip!

Explore our Discussion Board together at home, to share thoughts on the Big Question and find out what other children say about the stories.

VISIT THE DISCUSSION BOARD



Allergy Awareness Support



The new school year has brought new changes to allergy safety rules for schools across England. To help, we've hosted a range of Allergy Awareness Live Assemblies. The recordings are below, in case you'd like to watch together at home too!



Allergies Live Assembly with the Sadie Bristow Foundation

Clare Bristow and 14-year-old Reuben joined around 1 million children to explore what allergies are, what it's like to experience them, and how we can help keep each other safe.

REWATCH THE SESSION HERE



Being Allergy Allies! Primary Live Assembly

We explored more about allergies, with interactive quizzes and discussions. We heard from Lucy, who told us what it's like to live with coeliac disease, and shared how her friends and teachers helped to keep her safe.

REWATCH THE SESSION HERE

AI and schools: What's happening?

With news of the first-ever teacher of AI in a Scottish secondary school, and questions of how we can use AI responsibly amid new product launches like the Meta Muse Charm, AI has been an ongoing topic of conversation in and out of the classroom.





With 56% of children aged 8-17 using AI, we've been investigating how AI is impacting children and teachers. **Take a look at our recent post to find out more here.**

This half term, teachers and pupils have talked openly about AI with the help of our Picture News pack. Together we explored the new Meta Muse Charm, and asked children, "Do we need AI wherever we go?"

What did your children think?

Let us know via the Discussion Board here.

Picture News Pioneers!



Earlier this term, Picture News founder Katie Harrison led an online session teaching children about how they can become Picture News Pioneers, and lead their own assemblies and discussions in school!

We've been inundated with lovely letters from children, explaining why they'd be good Picture News leaders..

If these letters are anything to go by, we're in safe hands with the next generation of leaders!



Read some of the letters and learn more about why schools are introducing Picture News Pioneers here!

Bye for now!

That's all from me for now. I hope you have a wonderful time together during the half term holidays.

Another edition of Picture News for Parents will be published at the end of Autumn 2, but in the meantime you can keep up with all-things Picture News on our socials (linked below).

And as always, any questions or feedback are welcome!

Speak soon,

Katie, Editor
katie.n@picture-news.co.uk



What is a Young Carer?

A Young Carer is a child or young person aged under 18 years who provide regular and ongoing care to another person in their household.

A Young Carer may be looking after a family member with a long term chronic illness, mental health condition or addiction.

Your child may be a Young Carer if they:

- Care for a family member because of illness, disability or old age
- Help someone with bathing / dressing, going to the toilet or getting out of bed
- Need to help with the cooking for the family
- Help to organise the household budget
- Help with the housework, washing and tidying
- Help anyone to take their medication regularly
- Go shopping, collect prescriptions or benefits on behalf of a family member
- Look after a sibling by taking them to school, extra emotional / play support at home
- Translate or interpret for someone at home
- Support someone emotionally

At Silver End Academy, we want to ensure that all our students are offered full access to all the school provides and are given every opportunity to succeed. We understand the impact being a Young Carer can potentially have on a young person's education and wider life.

We can support them by:

- Making staff aware of students' specific needs, for instance, needing additional time or support in order to complete homework
- Offering the opportunity to have pastoral support if required.
- Facilitating access to external support via services such as those provided by: the Mental Health Support Team and Essex Child and Family Wellbeing Service

If you think your child is a Young Carer, please let us know - email Mrs Hatchman at AlysonHatchman@Inspiresmat.co.uk to arrange a quick chat.

Any information you give will be treated sensitively and will not be shared without your knowledge.

Parking Reminder

Please be careful when parking your car at school drop off and pick up. We have been made aware that cars are blocking residents driveways.

Please be considerate when parking .

If you see an incident please report it to: https://north.parkingpartnership.org/enforcement-requests/

North Essex Parking Partnership will respond to every report and the more reports they get the better informed they are on how they can support the local area and the school improve





Police dogs—our school premises

As part of our ongoing commitment to support our community, we are proud to let parents know that our local police dog handlers will be using the school premises (out of hours) to train their dogs. This will provide an extra level of security to the school which is good.



Smart Watches

Please be reminded that children should not wear smart watches to school. Devices with messaging, games, internet access, camera, or recording functions can be distracting and raise safeguarding concerns. If your child requires a watch, please ensure it is a simple analogue or digital watch. Thank you for your support as we work together.



Want To Learn How To Play The Guitar or Ukulele?



- Fun and engaging lessons
- Students choose the songs they want to learn!
- Group or one-to-one lessons available
- Competitive prices
- Prizes for ability/ effort
- Spare instruments available to use during lessons

Email: rubyguitarist@gmail.com
Or request a sign-up form at the office!

OUR SCHOOL NOW HAS AN ANAPHYLAXIS KITT

We are pleased to let parents and carers know that our school now has an Anaphylaxis Kitt supplied by Kitt Medical on site.



WHAT IS IT?

The Anaphylaxis Kitt comes with **four adrenaline auto-injectors** and clear instructions for use in a medical emergency, alongside **anaphylaxis awareness training** for staff.

Adrenaline is the **first-line treatment** for severe allergic reactions (anaphylaxis) and can be life-saving when given promptly.



WHY DOES THE SCHOOL HAVE ONE?

- Severe allergic reactions can occur suddenly and unexpectedly.
- Not everyone who experiences anaphylaxis has a known allergy.

WHO CAN THE KITT BE USED FOR?

Any pupil, staff member or visitor on the school site experiencing a suspected anaphylactic reaction. Including individuals without a diagnosed allergy.

IMPORTANT INFORMATION FOR PARENTS & CARERS

If your child has a diagnosed allergy:

- Please continue to provide their prescribed adrenaline auto-injectors.
- Inform the school of any changes to medical needs.
- The school Anaphylaxis Kitt does not replace a child's own medication.

Learn more at www.kittmedical.com

COFFEE MORNING

Everyone welcome!

WITH

Taste Ed

VISITING

Taste Ed
Inspiring a love of good food

www.tasteeducation.com

TIME:
8.45am

VENUE:
School Hall



Hot drinks, good company, great conversations!

We look forward to seeing you there!

FRIDAY
20th
NOVEMBER

SPECIAL INVITE

Storytime with the Head!

Come back to school and join us for a cosy **after-school storytime** with the Head!
Bring your grown-up along, pop on your PJs, onesie or comfiest clothes and get ready to snuggle up with a story.
There'll be **hot chocolate** and **biscuits** to enjoy while we listen to a story together.
So, sit back, relax and enjoy some special storytime together.



EYFS & KS1

- Date: 10/12/26
- Time: 4.15 – 4.45
- Where: School hall

KS2

- Date: 10/12/26
- Time: 5.00 – 5.30
- Where: School hall

We'd love to see you there!







Water Bottles

Please make sure your child has a named water bottle in school and you follow the school policy that bottles should only contain water.

Silver End Academy Pantry

Now by appointment only



If you would like a pantry bag please let Mrs Gigg know via DOJO, email adminsil@inspiresmat.co.uk or via the school Office. We are well stocked at the moment and are able to support with a range of products.

Kind regards

Mrs Gigg

Children's medical appointments

If your child needs to attend a medical/dental appointment during school time.

Please email adminsil@inspiresmat.co.uk your proof of medical appointment.



Celebrating your Child's Birthday

Don't forget to book in for lunch to celebrate your child's birthday!

- One adult can book in to have lunch, on or near, your child's birthday.
- Go to Parentmail and buy an adult lunch, priced at £3.20 you can also have a packed lunch if you wish free of charge.
- Email the school office at least a week in advance so we can book you in and we can let our catering team know.
- If you have missed your child's birthday, please don't worry – find a convenient day and book to have lunch this term or next term.
- When you arrive at school (12pm), your child will meet you at the office. Once you've finished eating, you'll be brought back to the school office.



Head Lice is not nice'



We have had a few reported cases of headlice in school recently.

We kindly ask that you check your child's hair regularly and treat if necessary, to help prevent further spread.



Head lice are a common occurrence in school settings and nothing to be alarmed about. With everyone's support, we can manage this quickly and effectively.

Thank you for your cooperation.

School Car Park

We kindly remind all families that the staff car park is not to be used for drop-off or pick-up at any time, including during Breakfast Club and After School Clubs.

As we have a small car park, it is important that we keep these spaces available for staff and essential deliveries only.

If you have prior agreement from the school office or hold a valid Blue Badge, you may use the designated disabled parking bays.

We appreciate your cooperation in keeping the car park safe and accessible for those who need it.

Thank you for your understanding and support



Inspires MAT School Term and Holiday Dates

Academic Year 2026-2027

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= Schooldays = School holidays = Bank holidays

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In addition, schools allocate five non-pupil days, highlighted yellow, out of the school days indicated, or the equivalent in disaggregated twilight sessions.

Autumn Term:	Tuesday 1 September 2026 – Friday 18 December 2026 *Half Term 26 October – 30 October*	74 days
Spring Term:	Monday 4 January 2027 – Thursday 25 March 2027 *Half Term 15 February - 19 February*	54 days
Summer Term:	Monday 12 April 2027 – Wednesday 21 July 2027 *Half Term 31 May – 4 June, and May Bank Holiday - 3 May*	67 days
		195 days

Please note:
The above dates may vary for individual schools, especially Foundation, Voluntary Aided schools and Academies.
You are strongly advised to check with your child's school before making any holiday or other commitments.

Inspires MAT School Term and Holiday Dates

Academic Year 2027-2028

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March 2028						
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April 2028						
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May 2028						
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June 2028						
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July 2028						
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August 2028						
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= Schooldays

= School holidays

= Bank holidays

= Weekends

In addition, schools allocate five non-pupil days, highlighted yellow, out of the school days indicated, or the equivalent in disaggregated twilight sessions.

Autumn Term:	Wednesday 1 September 2027 – Friday 17 December 2027 *Half Term 25 October – 29 October*	73 days
Spring Term:	Tuesday 4 January 2028 – Friday 31 March 2028 *Half Term 14 February - 18 February*	59 days
Summer Term:	Tuesday 18 April 2028 – Friday 21 July 2028 *Half Term 29 May – 2 June, and May Bank Holiday - 1 May*	63 days
		195 days

Please note:
The above dates may vary for individual schools, especially Foundation, Voluntary Aided schools and Academies.
You are strongly advised to check with your child's school before making any holiday or other commitments.

Menu for week commencing 16.11.26 Week 3

Silver End Academy

Week 3

Menu

Monday

Cheese and Tomato Topped Chicken
Served with Wholegrain Rice and salad

Vegan Meatballs in Tomato Sauce
Served with Rice and salad

Jacket Potato

Tuesday

Brunch Lunch
Sausage, bacon, egg, hash brown and baked beans

Veggie Brunch Lunch
Veggie sausage, egg, hash brown and baked beans

Jacket Potato
With a choice of toppings

Wednesday

Chicken with Tomato Pasta
Served with peas or salad

Golden Spanish Paella
Served with peas or salad

Jacket Potato
With a choice of toppings

Thursday

Homemade Lasagne
Served with sweetcorn or salad

Homemade Macaroni Cheese
Served with sweetcorn or salad

Jacket Potato

Friday

Jumbo Fish Finger
Served with crispy chips, peas and baked beans

Vegetable Nuggets
Served with crispy chips, peas and baked beans

Jacket Potato
With a choice of toppings

Sweet Treat Friday
Kitchens Choice

Available everyday
A healthy salad bar, fresh fruit, and yoghurt, water, milk and Lactose reduced milk

Fresh
All our food is cooked fresh each day

Healthy
Our pasta, rice and breads are healthy wholemeal products

Checked
We always use reputable suppliers and where possible use local produce

Menu for week commencing 23.11.26 Week 1

Silver End Academy

Week 1

Menu

Monday

Homemade Cheese & Tomato Pizza
with salad bar and five bean salad

Jacket Potato
With a choice of toppings

Tuesday

Beefburger in a bun
Served with herby diced potatoes and corn on the cob

Vegetarian Chilli
Served with wholemeal rice and corn on the cob

Jacket Potato
With a choice of toppings

Wednesday

Cheesy Pasta
Served with Whole green beans

Vegetable Strudel
Roasted vegetables wrapped in pastry served with Whole green beans

Jacket Potato
With a choice of toppings

Thursday

Chicken Curry
Served with wholegrain rice, naan bread and salad

Vegetable Samosa
Served with Wholegrain rice and sweetcorn

Jacket Potato
With a choice of toppings

Friday

Breaded Fish Fillet
Served with crispy chips and peas or Baked Beans

Halloumi in a bun
Served with crispy chips and peas or beans

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