

VICTORIA JUNIOR SCHOOL

NEWSLETTER

Friday, 17th January 2025

We hope you all had a wonderful and restful break.

As we step into this new year, we are excited to welcome everyone back to school. Pupils have settled in well and are back in the full swing of life at our school.



Dates for your Diaries:

World Book day -Thursday,
13th March 2025

PGL Meeting - Monday, 27th
January 2025

PGL Trip 5th-7th March 2025

Reminders:

*Please remind your children to come off from their bikes/scooters when they are on the school premises.
Many thanks.

*Please see days below of when your child will be doing PE each week.

*Please ensure you book a lunch for your child. See menu below for options

*If you have received an individual learning plan for your child, please complete the comments section, sign it and hand it in to your child's class teacher.



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School Uniform

Below is a reminder of our uniform expectations.
You will find more detailed information on our school website:
<https://www.victoriajunior.co.uk/>

Black or grey trousers



Black or grey skirt



Summer: Black or grey shorts



Summer: Checked or striped blue dress



White or pale blue polo shirt



VJS maroon jumper



PE kit: White t-shirt & black shorts. If cold, black joggers



PE kit: Plimsoles or trainers



Black school shoes



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PE Timetable



When your child's class has PE, please make sure they come to school in their PE kit. In colder weather, they can wear joggers and a jumper. See the timetable below to find out the day your child will be doing PE.



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Year 4 Ebony & Rowan PE	Year 3 PE	Year 5 PE	Year 4 Beech PE	Year 6 Chestnut PE
			Year 6 Cherry & Laurel PE	



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**Cook Well,
Eat Well**



Year 3 DT

Year 3 pupils will be participating in some of their DT lessons at Springwest Academy on Monday, 20th January and Wednesday, 5th February. This will involve the preparation and cooking of two dishes, as part of their 'Cook well, Eat well' topic.

A separate letter has gone out about any allergies or dietary needs your child may have, so please fill out the form so we can make any adjustments.
Thank you.

We are looking forward to seeing and tasting the food that they make...
photos to follow in the next newsletter!



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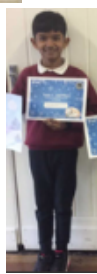
Congratulations

On the last day of Autumn Term, we celebrated the children who were given certificates, trophies and prizes for taking part in Art and Sport competitions.
Many congratulations!



**ART
COMPETITION!**

After School **Clubs**



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School Dinners



Could all parents/carers ensure they book their child's school meal online please. Unfortunately, if your child's school meal is not booked then they will not be given a hot meal. A sandwich will be given instead.

Great quality, freshly prepared food is a vital part of the school day. Children who eat a balanced, healthy diet are more likely to be alert in class and have more energy to enjoy an active lifestyle.

This is the menu for the Spring term:

Chartwells

WEEK 1

W/C: 04/11, 25/11, 16/12, 20/01, 10/02, 10/03, 31/03

AUTUMN/WINTER 2024

HOT SPECIALS

MONDAY

Macaroni Cheese 🍷
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Vegetable Korma 🍷 🍷
Served with Wholegrain Rice

Cheese & Baked Bean Panini
served with mixed salad, and
dessert of the day
Ham Sandwich served with mixed
salad, and dessert of the day

TUESDAY

Bun-less Beef Burger with
potato wedges
Bun-less Beef Burger with potato
wedges 🍷

Bun-less Quorn Burger 🍷
Served with Potato Wedges

Tomato Pasta Fresh,
homemade tomato sauce with
penne pasta 🍷
Cheese Sandwich served with mixed
salad, and dessert of the day 🍷

WEDNESDAY

Roast Gammon with roast
potatoes and gravy
Roast Chicken with roast potatoes
and gravy 🍷

Roast Quorn 🍷
Served with Roast Potatoes and
Gravy

Cheese and Tomato Sauce
Panini served with mixed salad,
and dessert of the day
Ham Sandwich served with mixed
salad, and dessert of the day

THURSDAY

BBQ Chicken Pizza 🍷 served
with pesto pasta
BBQ Chicken Pizza 🍷 served with
pesto pasta 🍷

Meatless Feast Cheesy Pizza 🍷
Served with Pesto Pasta

Cheese Sandwich served with
mixed salad, and dessert of the
day 🍷
Ham Sandwich served with mixed
salad, and dessert of the day

FRIDAY

Southern Fried Chicken with
chips
Southern Fried Chicken with chips
🍷

Veggie Fingers 🍷
Served with Chips

Cheese Sandwich served with
mixed salad, and dessert of the
day 🍷
Ham Sandwich served with mixed
salad, and dessert of the day

All main meals are served with two vegetables

DESSERT

Chocolate Ice-Cream

Apple Crumble with Custard 🍷

Rice Pudding with Jam or
Chocolate Spread

Flapjack with Fruit 🍷

Chocolate Brownie

AVAILABLE EVERY DAY

Water, salad, freshly baked bread,
yoghurt & fresh fruit

Vegetarian

Oily Fish

Wholegrain

Fruity!

Nutritionist's Choice



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Chartwells		WEEK 2				
		W/C: 11/11, 02/12, 06/01, 27/01, 24/02, 17/03				
AUTUMN/WINTER 2024	HOT SPECIALS	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
		Veggie Supreme Pizza Served with Pesto Pasta 🌱 Veggie Supreme Pizza Served with Pesto Pasta 🌱	Beef Bolognese Served with Wholewheat Pasta 🌱 Beef Bolognese Served with Wholewheat Pasta 🌱	Roast Chicken with roast potatoes and gravy Roast Chicken with roast potatoes and gravy	Chicken and Vegetable Pie Served with Mashed Potato and Gravy Chicken and Vegetable Pie Served with Mashed Potato and Gravy	Crispy Chicken Burger Served with Chips Crispy Chicken Burger Served with Chips
		Vegetable Fajita 🌱 Served with Wholegrain Rice	Chinese Vegetable Noodles	Winter Vegetable Hotpot Served with Gravy	Macaroni Cheese	Quorn Dippers Served with Chips
		Cheese & Baked Bean Panini served with mixed salad, and dessert of the day Ham Sandwich served with mixed salad, and dessert of the day	Cheese Sandwich served with mixed salad, and dessert of the day Ham Sandwich served with mixed salad, and dessert of the day	Cheese Sandwich served with mixed salad, and dessert of the day Tomato Pasta Fresh, homemade tomato sauce with penne pasta 🌱	Cheese Sandwich served with mixed salad, and dessert of the day Ham Sandwich served with mixed salad, and dessert of the day	Cheese & Baked Bean Panini served with mixed salad, and dessert of the day Ham Sandwich served with mixed salad, and dessert of the day
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DESSERT		Vanilla Ice Cream	Apple and Cinnamon Sponge with Custard	Fruits of the Forest Jelly	Orange Glazed Sticky Sponge Pudding with Custard	Crunchy Chocolate Mousse
AVAILABLE EVERY DAY Water, salad, freshly baked bread, yoghurt & fresh fruit						
Vegetarian 🌱 Oily Fish 🐟 Wholegrain 🌾 Fruity! 🍓 Nutritionist's Choice 🍷						
Chartwells		WEEK 3				
		W/C: 18/11, 09/12, 13/01, 03/02, 03/03, 24/03				
AUTUMN/WINTER 2024	HOT SPECIALS	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
		Cheese & Tomato Pizza with Pasta Salad Cheese & Tomato Pizza with Pasta Salad	Pork Sausages Served with Mashed Potato and Gravy Chicken Sausages Served with Mashed Potato and Gravy	Roast Beef Served with Roast Potatoes and Gravy Roast Beef Served with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Chicken and Vegetable Korma 🌱 Served with Wholegrain Rice Chicken and Vegetable Korma 🌱 Served with Wholegrain Rice	Quorn Dipper served with Chips
		BBQ Quorn Fillet 🌱 Served with Wholegrain Rice	Quorn Sausages Served with Mashed Potato and Gravy	Roasted Vegetable and Cranberry Slice Served with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Tomato and Sweetcorn Pasta 🌱	Cheese and Sweetcorn Omelette Served with Chips
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DESSERT		Vanilla Ice Cream	Bread and Butter Pudding with Custard	Sicilian Lemon Cookie with Fruit	Jam and Coconut Sponge with Custard	Chocolate Beet Brownie with Orange Slices
AVAILABLE EVERY DAY Water, salad, freshly baked bread, yoghurt & fresh fruit						
Vegetarian 🌱 Oily Fish 🐟 Wholegrain 🌾 Fruity! 🍓 Nutritionist's Choice 🍷						



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Recognitions

For the past few weeks, pupils have been focusing on "Being Ready" and "Being Respectful". Please celebrate the fantastic effort your children have been putting into their targets and see below those children who received certificates over the past fortnight.

Year 3		Year 4		Year 5		Year 6	
Ash	Yanya	Ebony	Veronika Angeleeca	Magnolia	Janya Anisa	Cherry	Awal Kiara
Oak	Maxwell	Beech	Anabele	Willow	Pranav Lenny	Laurel	Shahrad Slavia
Elm	Pahanya Shanaya	Rowan	Arsha Sophia	Holly	Zoya Beverly	Chestnut	Tommy Hollie



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Spring Term 2025

Monday 6th January – First day Spring Term

Monday 17th February to Friday 21st February – Half Term Holiday

Monday 24th February – INSET DAY (school closed to pupils)

Tuesday 25th February – First day Spring Term 2

Friday 4 th April – Last day Spring Term (school closes at 2pm)

Monday 7 th April to Monday 21st April – Easter Holiday

Summer Term 2025

Tuesday 22nd April – First day Summer Term

Monday 5 th May – May Day Holiday (school closed)

Friday 23rd May - INSET Day (school closed to pupils)

Monday 26th May to Friday 30th May – Half Term Holiday

Monday 2 nd June – First day Summer Term 2

Tuesday 22nd July – Last day Summer Term (school closes at 2pm)

