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19th March 2021

The Perdiswell Post

Dear Families,

Thank you to all those who have made appointments for Parent's Evening for next Wednesday 24th March or Monday 29th March. These appointments will be a video call and give you an opportunity to discuss with your child's class teacher, how they have settled back in to learning. We have also been completing spring term assessments and the children are doing very well in so many areas but your help is always appreciated to support, if any gaps in learning have been identified.

A few parents have requested if sandwiches will still be available with Caterlink, our new catering provider, as they are not included on the three week menu option. We are currently investigating this. We will stop using the current lunch form on Monday and if sandwiches can be added, we will reissue it next week. If you have already sent in your form and you want your child to continue with the hot options selected, we will use the form we have already received. If you want to wait for a sandwich option or want to change to a sandwich option, please complete the new form when it is made available.

I have received a number of positive responses to the information video about our Relationships, Health and Sex Education Curriculum for Perdiswell. It is still available on our website and there is a question/comment form available, if you wish to respond. We will close this consultation on Friday 26th March.

Our Comic Relief fundraising day today, has been an extravaganza of red clothing, shoes and hair accessories. We even had some red noses and lips! Thank you for your generous support and I am delighted to say that we have raised £502.52. We are now all looking forward to focussing on our Ele-baby for St Richard's Hospice and the ideas already shared for both design and fundraising are amazing.

I understand that some parents are very keen for their children to enter school in the morning at the earliest opportunity, but our staggered start times are an essential element of our risk assessment to keep COVID 19 infections rates down. If we allow children from any year group to enter at any time, everyone could send their child at 8.35am and safety would be compromised. Please help us to support you and drop off your children at their entry time.

Thank you for your co-operation.

Rachel Hughes

Dates for your Diary

Date	Event
Wed 24th March	Late Parents' Evening 3:30-7:00pm
Monday 29th March	Early Parents' Evening 3:30-5:30pm
Thurs 1st April	Perdiswell Primary School becomes Tudor Grange Primary Academy Perdiswell Break up for the Easter holidays
Tuesday 20th April	Children return to school



Tudor Grange Primary Academy
Perdiswell

Coming soon...





Please remember that you still have access to a wide number of reading books on Collins Big Cat. You will have been emailed your log on details from your child's class teacher. If you need a reminder of the username, please send a message to the year group email.



Forgotten Items

Please ensure your children come into school with all they need.

The office staff are unable to cross bubbles to deliver these items.

Thank you.

**Red Nose Day donations total
£502.52 so far!**

Thank you so much for your support!



Tennis Anyone?



Freedom Leisure are now offering an opportunity to play some free tennis at the new courts in Gheluvelt and Cripplegate Parks.

On 29th and 30th of March from 4-5pm Freedom Leisure are holding a series of free family Mini Red Tennis events where parents can book a slot and play with their children over the smaller courts they have now at Cripplegate Park.

For those new to tennis or wishing to return after a break on Saturday 3rd of April Freedom Leisure are holding a free taster day, again for children and adults.

All of the above will be bookable via the website below.

<https://clubspark.lta.org.uk/FreedomLeisureTennis>

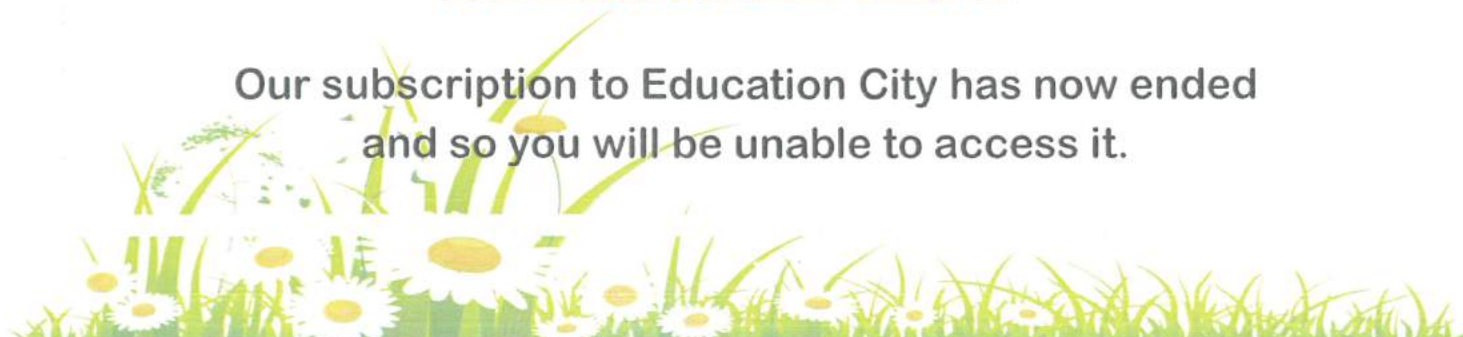
Lastly Freedom Leisure offer a range of 12-month household passes for £65 and concessionary rates which includes free court usage for those who qualify. For more information please click here :-

<https://clubspark.lta.org.uk/FreedomLeisureTennis/Membership/Join>

<https://clubspark.lta.org.uk/FreedomLeisureTennis/Membership/Concessions>

REMINDER

Our subscription to Education City has now ended
and so you will be unable to access it.





School Menu for 8th - 26th March 2021



W/C 8 th March	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Fishcake	Breaded Chicken	Roast Chicken	Sausage Roll	Pizza
	Vegetable Bake	Vegetable Fingers	Quorn Fillets	Cheese & Onion Roll	
	Herby Potatoes	Mashed Potatoes	Roast Potatoes/ Mash	Wedges	Chips
	Peas	Sweetcorn	Seasonal Vegetables		Green Beans
	Frozen Yogurt	Blueberry & Apple Muffins	Jelly Sundae	Peach & Apple Danish	Fruit





W/C 15 th March	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Fish Fingers	Sausage	Roast Beef	Meatballs	Pizza
	Vegetable Nuggets	Vegetarian Sausage	Vegetarian Sausage & Yorkshire Pudding	Tomato Pasta	
	Wedges	Rice/Diced Potatoes	Roast Potatoes/Mash	Penne Pasta	Chips
	Peas	Broccoli/Carrots	Seasonal Vegetables	Cauliflower	Baked Beans
	Yogurt	Apple Flapjack	Jelly Sundae	Carrot Cake	Banana Cake

W/C 22 nd March	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
	Fish Fillet	Sausage Roll	Roast Chicken	Tomato Pasta	Pizza
	Cheesy Omelette	Quorn Dippers	Quorn Fillet		
	Diced Potatoes	Wedges	Roast Potatoes/Mash	Crusty Roll	Chips
	Peas	Carrots	Seasonal Vegetables	Sweetcorn	Baked Beans
	Frozen Yogurt	Lemon Drizzle Cake	Pancakes	Apple Flapjack	Fruit Jelly

COVID-19 (coronavirus) absence: A quick guide for parents / carers





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What to do if...	Action needed	Back to school...
 <p>...my child has COVID-19 (coronavirus) symptoms*</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Child shouldn't attend school Child should get a test Whole household self-isolates while waiting for test result Inform school immediately about test results 	<p>...when child's test comes back negative, if they are NOT a known contact of a confirmed case, they feel well and they have not had a fever for 48 hours</p>
 <p>...my child tests positive for COVID-19 (coronavirus)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Child shouldn't attend school Child self-isolates for at least 10 days from when symptoms* started (or from day of test if no symptoms) Inform school immediately about test results Whole household self-isolates for 14 days from day when symptoms* started (or from day of test if no symptoms) - even if someone tests negative during those 14 days 	<p>...when child feels better, and has been without a fever for at least 48 hours</p> <p>They can return to school after 10 days even if they have a cough or loss of smell / taste. These symptoms can last for several weeks once the infection is gone.</p>
 <p>...somebody in my household has COVID-19 (coronavirus) symptoms*</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Child shouldn't attend school Household member with symptoms should get a test Whole household self-isolates while waiting for test result Inform school immediately about test results 	<p>...when household member test is negative, and child does not have COVID-19 symptoms*</p>
 <p>...somebody in my household has tested positive for COVID-19 (coronavirus)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Child shouldn't attend school Whole household self-isolates for 14 days from day when symptoms* started (or from day of test if no symptoms) - even if someone tests negative during those 14 days 	<p>...when child has completed 14 days of self-isolation, even if they test negative during the 14 days</p>

* Symptoms include at least one of a high temperature; a new continuous cough; a loss of or change to your sense of smell or taste. See more at:

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/coronavirus-covid-19/symptoms/>

What to do if...	Action needed	Back to school...
 <p>...NHS Test and Trace has identified my child as a 'close contact' of somebody with symptoms* or confirmed COVID-19 (coronavirus)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Child shouldn't attend school Child self-isolates for 14 days (as advised by NHS Test and Trace) - even if they test negative during those 14 days Rest of household does not need to self-isolate, unless they are a 'close contact' too or develop symptoms themselves 	<p>...when the child has completed 14 days of self-isolation, even if they test negative during those 14 days</p>
 <p>...we / my child has travelled and has to self-isolate as part of a period of quarantine</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Do not take unauthorised leave in term time Consider quarantine requirements and FCO advice when booking travel Provide information to school as per attendance policy <p>Returning from a destination where quarantine is needed:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> Child shouldn't attend school The child and fellow travellers self-isolates for 14 days - even if they test negative during those 14 days 	<p>...when the quarantine period of 14 days has been completed for the child, even if they test negative during those 14 days</p>
 <p>...we have received advice from a medical / official source that my child must resume shielding</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Child shouldn't attend school Contact school as advised by attendance officer / pastoral team Child should shield until you are informed that restrictions are lifted and shielding is paused again 	<p>...when school / other agencies inform you that restrictions have been lifted and your child can return to school again</p>
 <p>...I am not sure who should get a COVID-19 test for (coronavirus)</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Only people with symptoms* need to get a test People without symptoms are not advised to get a test, even if they are a 'close contact' of someone who tests positive 	<p>...when conditions above, as matching your situation, are met</p>

For further information:

www.worcestershire.gov.uk/coronavirus

www.gov.uk/backtoschool

Family Learning Courses

Family Learning Courses are **FREE for everyone**

April - July 2021

Please tick "**course free because of Covid plan**" box to book on **FREE**

Please book onto each course by searching for the course title at:

www.worcestershire.gov.uk/courses or call **01905 728537**



Courses just for parents to support their child with school

Phonics in the Early Years for Parents

Literacy in the Early Years for Parents

English in Key Stage 1 for Parents

English in Key Stage 2 & 3 for Parents

Maths in the Early Years for Parents

Maths in Key Stage 1 for Parents

Maths in Key Stage 2 & 3 for Parents

Transition Support for Parents
to help their child

Courses for parents to enjoy with their child

Science for Dads and their Children

STEM course for Parents and their child
(Science, Technology, Engineering & Maths)

Cook with your Family Course

Cook with your Teenager course

Yoga for Baby and Me Family Learning Course

Sign-a-story for Families

Courses just for parents to support their child at home

Shape - Improving Health and Exercise for
your Family

Art Introduction course for Parents

Family Memories COVID-19 Time Capsule

E- Safety Family Course for Parents

Cooking on a low budget course for Parents

Supporting you with Special Educational Needs & Disabilities

Signalong Foundation Course for Parents

SEND - Understanding Autism

SEND - Strategies for Positive Behaviour

SEND - Managing Mindfulness for Parents

Online Learning



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Our friendly Family Learning courses are currently online using 'Zoom' on your mobile phone, ipad, tablet or laptop. We will ring you before your course starts to **help you get online** for your course and can support you to access Zoom, help you check that you can use it ok and offer you any help you need.

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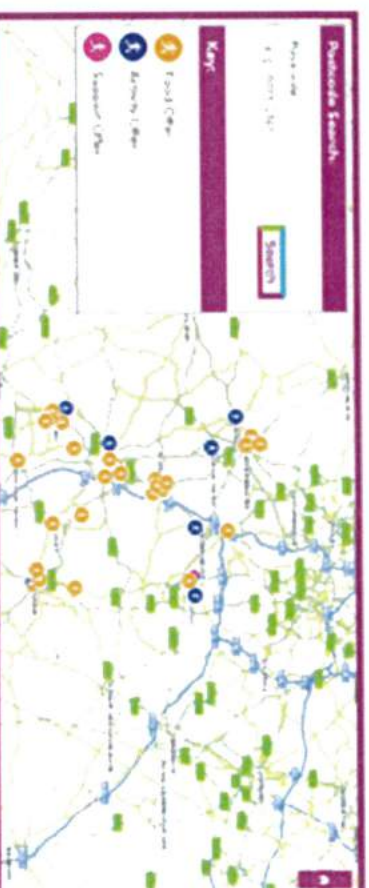


To find food and activities for children in your local area visit:
www.worcestershire.gov.uk/readysteadyworks
Take a look for help getting food, simple recipes and school holiday activity ideas and support.



Follow us at @worcschildren #readysteadyworks

Visit our **ONLINE MAP** to find help to feed your child this school holiday and activities in your local area.



We have colour coded the map to show help with food, activities and support. On the online map you can click on the icons to open up more information on the help available.

If you can't find help to feed your child from the Ready, Steady, Worcestershire map, visit **HERE 2 HELP** and complete a request for support.



Remember
You can ask
your school nurse,
health visitor or
support worker for
help and advice
too.

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