



# The Fridge Magnet



## YEAR 4 TRIP 11 NOVEMBER 2019 DORCHESTER ABBEY

The trip will be the start of year 4 new Anglo-Saxon History topic. They will take part in several activities (lucet weaving and an Anglo-Saxon Copper Disc brooch), as well as tasting Anglo-Saxon bread. They will also be handling and investigating original and replica Anglo Saxon items and investigating what foods they ate and what they drank. Finally, they will be re-enacting a pre-Christian Anglo-Saxon ritual (in November it is based on the Anglo-Saxon Blotmonath - 'Blood Month') and will have a chance to dress up.

Please see your letter for more information



## DINNER MONEY ACCOUNTS

We would like to remind parents that school meals **must be paid** either at the beginning of the week or at the very latest Friday 1pm, keeping your child's account at a zero balance for the start of each week



## CHIP SHOP DAY 3 OCTOBER 2019

On 3<sup>rd</sup> October we will be holding a "Chip Shop Day". The day's menu will be:

MSC Battered Fish Fillet  
or  
Cheese and Leek Pasty

With

Chips

Baked Beans or Peas  
Or  
Jacket Potato

Vanilla, Chocolate or Strawberry Ice Cream  
Pots

Chip shop day will replace the current menu on 3<sup>rd</sup> October **only**.

We ask parents to help us by encouraging the children to take a school dinner on this day.



## SCHOOL PHOTOS 4 OCTOBER



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## WORLD MENTAL HEALTH DAY 10 OCTOBER 2019

The school will be taking part in World Mental Health Day on Thursday 10 October. Children are invited to wear something yellow for a donation of £1. Any money raised will be donated to Young Minds. We will also be running activities through break times which will be confirmed at a later date.

## DATA COLLECTION FORMS

Your child(ren) have been sent home with pupil data collection forms this week. Can parents carefully check the details and amend anything that is not correct or out of date. Some collection forms may have additional forms attached, please can you also complete these and return via your child's teacher **by Friday 4 October**.

## SWIMMING HATS

We have a small supply of swimming hats in the school office. The cost per hat is £3.00



There have been several cases of headlice. We ask parents to ensure that they check their child(ren)'s hair and treat if necessary.

## FACEBOOK

Check our official Facebook page  
<https://www.facebook.com/Abbey-Woods-Academy-559728691172613>



We need enthusiastic, reliable and responsible volunteers to help run our Forest School sessions for Year 2. The sessions will take place every Tuesday from 9:00 – 10:30am and you must be able to commit to all the sessions. You will also need to provide your own waterproof trousers, waterproof coat and wellies. We will provide on the job support and an opportunity to be involved in this fantastic learning experience. For more information, please contact Miss Dixon (Year 2 Class Teacher) or register your interest at the office.



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## WEBSITE

Check out our website for term dates, lunch menu, letters, Fridge Magnets and much more.

<http://www.abbeywoodsacademy.oxon.sch.uk>



## ABSENCE

Please report your child's absence before the start of the school day using the Absence line 01865 340420 option 1 or email

[absence@abbeywoodsacademy.oxon.sch.uk](mailto:absence@abbeywoodsacademy.oxon.sch.uk)

## ONLINE SCHOOL UNIFORM ORDERING

Please note the NEW bespoke e-commerce platform for ordering school uniform. Please now use the new link below

You will be asked to register to create your own personal log in. If you have any issues registering online, please call Price and Buckland on 0115 964 0827 or email [webenquiry@price-buckland.co.uk](mailto:webenquiry@price-buckland.co.uk)

4 October	School photos
10 October	World Mental Health Day
14 October	<b>Year 2</b> Fire visit
25 October	Last day of term
28Oct-1Nov	Autumn half term
4 November	Inset Day
5 November	<b>Year 3</b> Henley's river & rowing museum
5 November	First day of term
11 November	<b>Year 4</b> visit Dorchester Abbey
19 December	Last day of term
20 Dec-3 Jan	Christmas Holiday
6 January	Inset Day
7 January	First Day of term