St Michael's V.A. Junior School

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Clover Hill V.A. Infant & Nursery School
& St. Michael's V.A. Junior School,
Bowthorpe, Norwich

Week commencing 3rd February 2025

HOPE ~ RESPECT ~ PERSEVERANCE ~ TRUST ~ SUCCESS

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
PE Year 3	PE Year 4		PE Year 5	PE Year 6
Multi-Sports *finishes at 4.15pm*	Lego Club Year 5 and 6 Street Dance - All Years *finishes at 4.15pm*	All Angels' Active Club *finishes at 5pm*	Basketball *finishes at 4.15pm*	Football *finishes at 4.15pm*

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY



W/B Mon 3 February - Parent/teacher consultations *(more info to follow via Class DoJo)*
Tues 11 February - Lower School Year 3 & 4 Disco 3.25pm to 4.30pm
Thurs 13 February - Upper School Year 4 & 6 Disco 3.25pm to 4.30pm
Tues 25 February - 5W Trip to Bridewell Museum
Wed 26 February - 5C Trip to Bridewell Museum
Wed 26 February - Children Screened for Diabetes
Thurs 27 February - 5S Trip to Bridewell Museum
Tues 4 March - 5W Swimming for 6 weeks
Wed 5 March - 5WL Trip to Bridewell Museum
Thurs 6 March - 5S Swimming for 6 weeks
Fri 7 March - World Book Day, dress up as your favorite book character
Mon 10 March - Group Class photos



SCHOOL LUNCH

Week commencing 3rd February

WEEK 2

See website for full menu,



School menu click here

ATTENDANCE REMINDER

Parents must contact the school as soon as possible and **before 9am to report a child's absence.**
If a reminder text has to be sent this is a safeguarding issue.
Reporting after a text is sent may result in an unauthorised absence.



REPORTING YOUR CHILD'S ABSENCE



Please call the school office **EVERY DAY** that your child is absent **before 9am**.
Leave a **CLEAR** message on the absence line (extension 1) stating your child's name, class and reason for absence.
We don't accept unwell as a reason.

NATIONAL CHANGES TO SCHOOL ATTENDANCE

Planning a holiday?
Illness with no medical evidence?
Arriving Late after registers closed?
The Government has made changes to school attendance.

This could affect you!
If your child is absent for 5 days or more without permission or medical evidence you will face fines.

You can help yourself!
We can give you information, advice and guidance.
Speak to us for support.

How to keep your child healthy - click here



DSL Designated Safeguarding Leads for St. Michael's VA Junior School

Designated Safeguarding Lead Mrs. McCarney, **Alternate Safeguarding Lead** Mrs Claflin & Mr Bennison
SENCO Mr Laband, Mrs Brabbin **Pastoral** Mrs Francis, Mr Stapleton, Ms Howard, Miss Armstrong
Year 3 Lead Mrs Reeve **Year 4 Lead** Mr Shailes **Year 5 Lead** Mr Watkins **Year 6 Lead** Mr Anstiss

NO MOBILE PHONES IN SCHOOL



We remind parents and children that we do not allow children to bring their phones to school.

This is a common policy in schools due to safeguarding reasons.

If you have any worries about your child's safety, it may be best to pick them up from school or arrange for them to walk with others.

Should there be **exceptional circumstances** requiring the need to bring a phone to school, we will need you to state these in an email to the school office addressed to Mrs McCarney.

Supporting you with your child's behaviour: A Norfolk Steps Approach



Session 1: (3rd Feb) 9.15-10.15am

To reflect on behaviours that you are seeing

What this could mean and how we can respond to it.

Looking at a range of techniques that could support your child.

Session 2: (10th Feb) 9.15-10.15am

Empowering children to communicate and understand their feelings.

Exploring how to repair and restore relationships.

Venue:

St Micheals VA Junior school- Family room.

Opportunities to ask questions and find further support.

Norfolk County Council

WORLD BOOK DAY
Friday 7 March





Have a THINK about what you want to dress up as for

Also, do you have any pre loved dressing up costumes you are willing to donate?

If so, please bring them to the school office. These will then be available to purchase from the Office ready for World Book Day!



All proceeds will go to school funds for the pupils. Thank you



SCHOOL DISCO 3.25pm to 4.30pm



LOWER SCHOOL Year 3 & 4 ~ Tuesday 11 February

UPPER SCHOOL Year 5 & 6 ~ Thursday 13 February



Cost £4

which will include a drink and a Valentines biscuit payable via ParentPay.

GLOW IN THE DARK FACE PAINT £1 and GLOW STICKS 50p each, so please bring your cash with you.

SWIMMING FOR YEAR 5



5W swimming from Tuesday 4 March for 6 weeks

5S swimming from Thursday 6 March for 6 weeks







BAGS FOR SALE ARE BLUE

FOR SALE

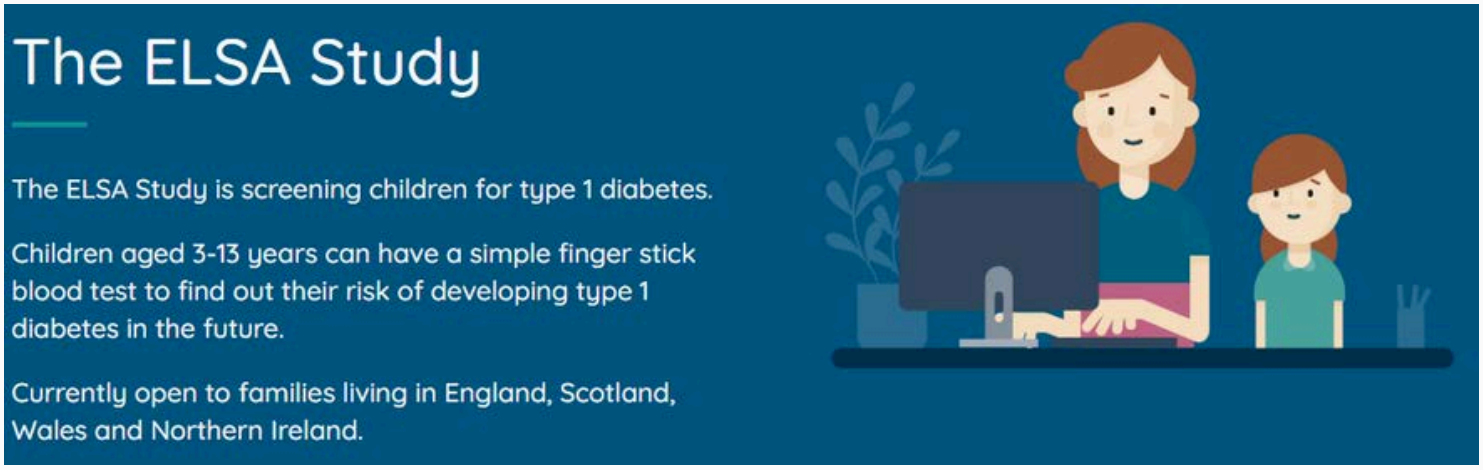
SWIMMING HAT £1

PE BAG £1

AVAILABLE FROM THE OFFICE

How to sign up for the Type 1 Diabetes screening.

Screening will take place on Wednesday 26th February in school

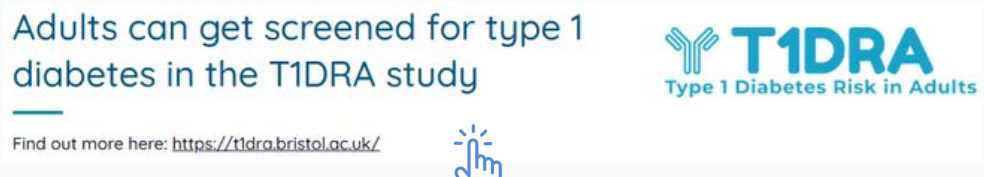


Click on the following links or scan QR code









Parent coffee morning

on the **first Tuesday of the month** where Pastoral are available for a chat, please come along to the Family Room.

Tuesday 4th February



family hubs

St. Michael's V.A. Junior School

FAMILY HUB DROP IN

OPEN

FOR WHO?

Parents/ carers of children aged 0-19 years (up to 25 years for young people with special educational needs and disabilities)

WHY JOIN US?

- Safe and confidential space
- Free information, advice and support
- Links to other services and organisations



WHEN & WHERE?

Tuesday 4th February
9:00am – 10:30am

The Family Room, St Michael's V.A. Junior School Astley Rd, Norwich NR5 9LA

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Start for Life

Free Coffee & Biscuits

St. MICHAEL'S SCHOOL HAS A CLOTHING BIN FOR PRE LOVED CLOTHES, SHOES AND OTHER ITEMS







Make sure you put your items in a bag and that shoes are paired and tied together.

See below items that ***<u>can</u>*** *and* ***<u>can't</u>*** *be accepted. This can also be found on the side of the clothing bin.*







