



# NEWSLETTER

Selattyn C. E. Primary School

12<sup>th</sup> April 2024

This terms Collective Worship theme is: **SERVICE**

**Small School, Big Heart**

## Booking meals through ParentPay

Please see [this information sent out to all parents yesterday with details on booking your child's meals through ParentPay](#). **ALL children's meals should be booked through ParentPay in advance**, even if you are in receipt of Free School Meals or Universal Free School Meals.

**All outstanding balances up to today (12<sup>th</sup>) should be settled by the end of Thursday 18<sup>th</sup>** to settle final accounts with our lunch provider. All families who have an outstanding balance will have been text today. Where possible, please pay the exact amount due.

**You can login now to book your meals for next week.**

## Welcome to Mrs Garry

We are pleased to welcome Mrs Garry as teaching assistant to class 1 this week. She has enjoyed getting to know the children this week and will be supporting Class 1 on a daily basis.

## Stars of the Week

Class 1 – **Emma**

Class 2 – **Alfie**

Class 3 – **Isabelle**

Class 4 – **Sara**

## After-School Clubs – Summer Term

Our new run of after-school clubs have started this week with pupils having the opportunity to do different activities of cricket, golf and athletics. Our new art club starts next Wednesday. If you would like to join any of the new clubs please complete the online form: <https://forms.office.com/e/vpD3CdGFXQ>

## Bikeability

Year 6 pupils, took part in Bikeability training this week. They were all commended on their skills and road safety awareness with all the children enjoying the course. They have all been presented with a badge and certificate for their efforts.

## Letter to all parents from Shropshire Council

Please see [this letter to all parents regarding leave of absence in term time](#).

## SENCo Update

Please remember that Mr Smaje is offering appointments to discuss anything linked to SEND. If you would like to book an appointment, please book with the office. Appointment slots continue to be on Friday afternoons between 2pm-3pm.

## Question of the Week

Where does the sky start?

## Cross Country

All children in years 3 to 6 are invited to take part in this terms cross country sessions at the Marches school on Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> May. [Please complete this online form to sign up to these events](#).

We are no longer giving paper forms for signing up to cross country.

## Swimming

Swimming sessions have been organised for years 4, 5 and 6 later this term Sessions will take place at Oswestry School.

## Statutory Tests for Year 6 Pupils

Statutory tests for year 6 pupils will take place week beginning 13<sup>th</sup> May. It is a statutory requirement that all year 6 pupils are in attendance during this week.

## Transition for year 6 pupils transferring to St Martin's School

Staff from St Martins will be attending Selattyn next Friday to meet with those pupils who will be going to St Martin's school in September, along with school dog.

## Diary Dates

### Next week

<b>Mon</b>	Class 1 P.E. 3:30 – 4:30 Cricket Yr 3 – 6 SATs club – Year 6
<b>Tue</b>	Class 2 & 4 pBuzz lesson 3:30 – 4:30 Golf Yr R – 2 Reading Club yr 6
<b>Wed</b>	3:30 – 4:30 Art Club
<b>Thur</b>	Bikeability – yr 6 Class 2 P.E. 3:30 - 4:00 – SWAP Shop 3:20 – Cross Country @ Marches 3:30 – 4:30 Athletics Yr 3 – 6 Selattyn Helpers
<b>Fri</b>	9-10:30 Little Badgers Class 3 & 4 P.E. 3:30 – 4:30 Athletics Yr R -2 Chess Club – KS2

### Future Dates

6 <sup>th</sup> May	Bank holiday
13 <sup>th</sup> –16 <sup>th</sup> May	Year 6 SATS Week
24 <sup>th</sup> May	Break for half term
3 <sup>rd</sup> Jun	Return to school
12 <sup>th</sup> June	Crucial Crew

## Eco Class of the Week - Class 4

## Visitors to School this week

Nikki Hill – Governor  
Jordan Graham – Marches Sports  
Patrick Gough – Piano lessons  
Edward Waden – pBuzz lessons  
Jayne Evans – Positive Leap  
All Governors - Full Governors meeting

## Selattyn School Swap Shop

Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> April 2024

3:30-4:00

Please feel free to bring uniforms to donate or to take. All donations raised will contribute to Selattyn Helpers goals. If you have any questions, please ask Mr Smaje.

## Attendance:

## Class with highest attendance award

Whole School: 96.10%

Class 1: 93.91%

Class 2: 98.46%

Class 3: 96.15%

Class 4: 95.50%

# CLASS NEWS

## Class 1

It was lovely having all the children back to school this week, after the Easter break, and to begin our new topic 'Let's Grow!'. In Science, we have looked at 'What is a plant?', and sorted living things depending on the criteria. In Maths, we have been looking at addition to 20 and number bonds. In Literacy, we have written our Easter news, completed comprehensions, and continued with our phonics. This week also marked the end of Ramadan, and the start of the Muslim festival of Eid. The children followed a young Muslim family, celebrating this special time, and also made Eid cards to take home. This week we also started our history topic of 'How have toys changed?', comparing toys in the past to those of present day. As part of this topic, please could children bring in a favourite toy from home, for next Thursday (18/4). Could I ask that the chosen toy is not too big or too expensive, thank you. Finally, as we are starting our topic of growing, please could children bring waterproofs (Coat and trousers if possible), and a pair of wellies, all with their name on, for next Wednesday. Thank you, and have a lovely weekend!

## Class 2

This week Class 2 have been working on Place Value in Maths as well as learning the 4 times tables. We have started looking at different aspects of the story, 'The Velveteen Rabbit' in our Literacy work. We have been finding out about timelines in our History work. We will be discovering the differences between the Stone Age, Bronze Age and Iron Age. We are also studying the beliefs of Muslims in our R. E. work. We are really looking forward to a great Summer term of learning in Class 2.

## Class 3

We have had a great start to our new term, our final term in primary school!! The children have been learning about decimals, percentages and fractions in maths and have been busy learning how to convert them from one form to another as well as finding quantities of different percentages. The children were excited to hear that our English focus of extended writing will be based around the book 'Wonder' which many have already watched the film! In computing we have been looking at three dimensional modelling and will continue with this next session. We all enjoyed our 'Bikeability' course, the instructors both commented on how well everyone did. Have a great weekend everybody!

## Class 4

It has been lovely to see everybody again in Class 4 and we have had a very busy start to the term. Our new text in English is 'The Lion, the Witch and the Wardrobe' and we have really enjoyed finding out more about the context of the story, including looking at the time period of WW2. In maths, we have been consolidating our understanding of place value, considering aspects such as ordering numbers and roman numerals. In our topic lesson, we have been comparing our local area with the Alps and in RE, we looked at the 5 Pillars of Islam. Have a lovely weekend everybody.

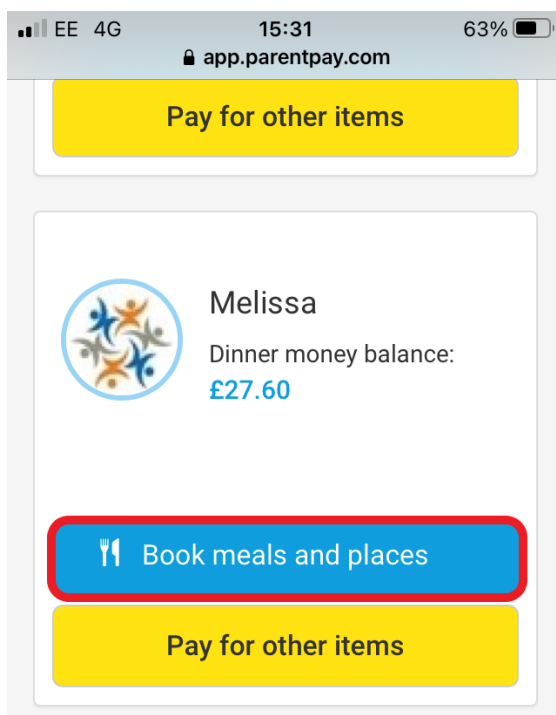
# How to book meals and events

If your child's school makes use of the ParentPay booking service, you will be able to book your child's meals and/or event place in advance of the session. This helps the school minimise food waste and reduce administrative burden on the school staff.

To check whether your child's school uses the booking feature, select the child you wish to view. The bookings option will be available on the child's information screen 'Book meals and places'.

## Making bookings

1. Login to [www.parentpay.com](http://www.parentpay.com)
2. Select **Book meals and places** for the person you wish to make the booking for.




3. Select the time of day that you wish to make a booking for.

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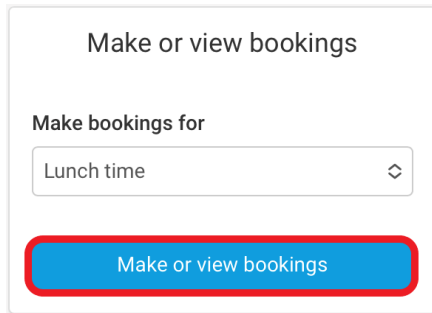
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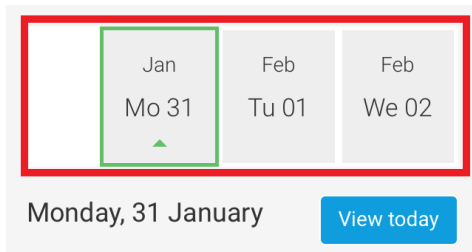
Lunch time 

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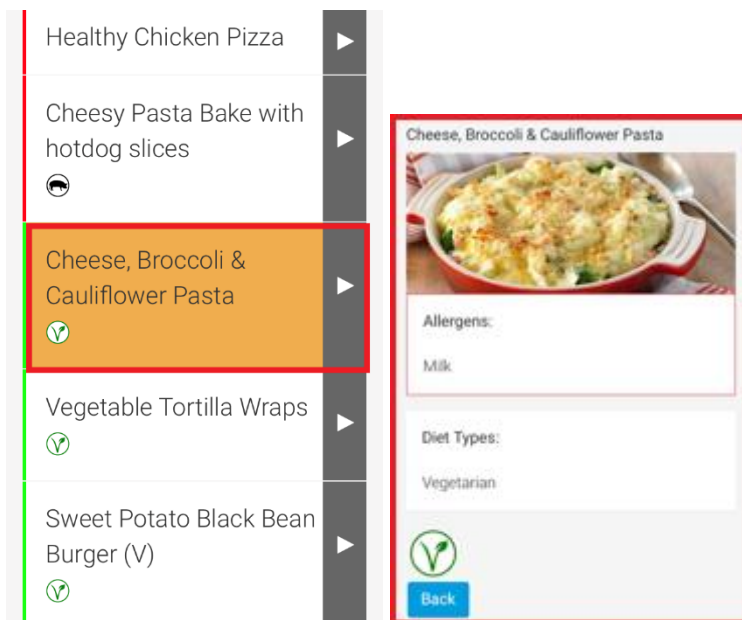
4. Select **Make or view bookings**.



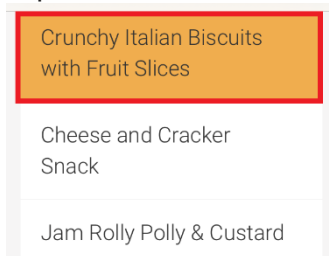
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6. Select the date you wish to book.



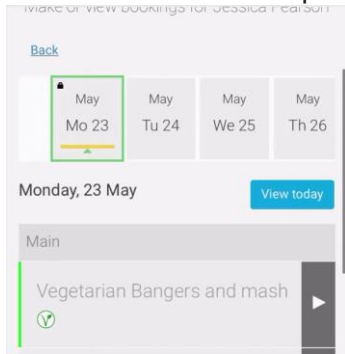
7. Scroll and tap the **main meal choice** or **place** for your child (this will then be highlighted in orange).  
8. Tap the arrow to view Allergen or nutritional information (if available).



9. Some menu's may require you to select a dessert. Scroll to view dessert options and tap the desired choice.

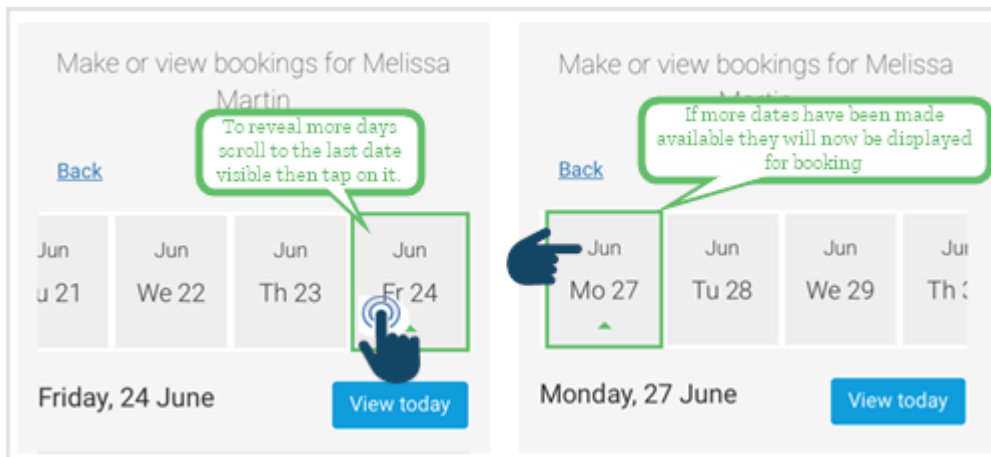


10. Scroll back to the top of the screen to choose another day.

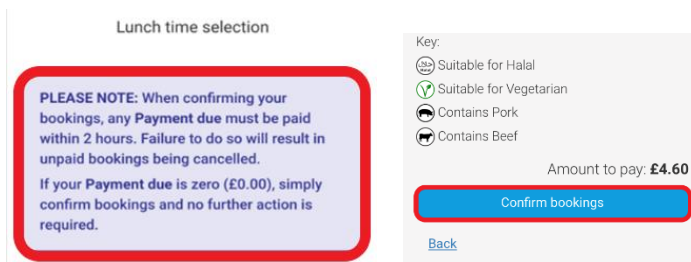


11. Repeat steps 7 through to 9 until you are ready to confirm your bookings.

Note: You can scroll through the dates and choose meals for up to 10 weeks in advance (depending on your schools settings). You will need to select the last date that appears, to be able to see further dates.



12. If you pay for the bookings these will need to be paid within two hours of confirming.



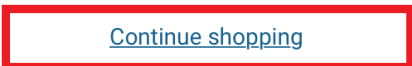
13. Tap on the **Confirm bookings**, if payment is due you will be taken to the basket.

Basket	
Item	Edit Remove
Melissa - A - School meals £2.30	
Order summary	
Items:	£2.30
Total:	£2.30
<b>Pay by Parent Account credit:</b>	<b>-£0.00</b>
<b>Amount to pay:</b>	<b>£2.30</b>

14. You may wish to add more bookings for another child, select the **Continue shopping** option.



[Other payment method](#)



15. Once you have completed your bookings return to the basket and choose the payment option that most suits you.

16. Confirmation of payment will appear on your mobile device and you meal or places bookings will have been sent to the school.

