



The Park Way Post



5th Sept 2025



Welcome back to school!

A special welcome to our new reception children !

Reception children will be staying for lunch next week – please collect your children from their classrooms at 1.30pm.

We have some new members of staff who join us at Park Way. Mrs Daniells, who is the class teacher in Walnut Class and Mrs Pitcher who is a booster teacher who will be working with children across the school.

We have been very lucky to have been gifted a beautiful picture of our Park Way logo by Ms Allen. It is now on display in the reception area, thank you Ms Allen!

Scopay

Please ensure you have downloaded the Scopay app and have an account - please do not unsubscribe from our emails as you will miss vital information. All of our trips, clubs and permissions are all on Scopay, if you do not have the app your child could miss out. If you require a link code, please come to the office.

New Reception parents - you will receive your log on details when your child is attending full time.

Football

Football sessions at Park Way will be up and running again this term, run by Lily herself. Formally working for STS, Lily has now started up on her own and will be continuing to run fun football sessions for all. LKS2 and KS2 sessions will run on Wednesdays 3:15 - 4:15 and KS1 will run on Thursdays, same time. If interested please look on the flyer attached, grab one from reception or hunt down Mrs Morris or Lily for more information.

Years 5 and 6

Mobile Phones

The children in years 5 and 6 can bring their mobile phone to school only if they walk home alone. The phones are collected on arrival to school and must be handed in. They are locked away safely and given back at the end of the day. If your child is bringing a phone to school, you must complete a form for them to do so. Please use the QR code shown. If your child wears a Smart Watch to school, this will need to be handed in with the mobile phones at the beginning of the day and will be given back at the end of the day.



Year 6 - if you completed a form when your child was in year 5, you do not need to worry. If your child is bringing their phone in for the first time, please complete the form too.

Walking Home Alone

If you wish your year 5 or 6 child to walk home alone, for your child's safety please can this be put in writing and given to the class teacher.
if you have any queries please see Mrs Rackley.

Year 3 and 4 Swimming

Next week Year 3 and 4 will be starting their swimming lessons. Children need to bring their swimming kit (swimming costume, towel, goggles) in a named bag, which they will bring into the classroom. Children will walk down to the swimming pool each week, therefore please ensure you send children with weather appropriate clothing (coats, hats, gloves etc) to wear over their school uniform. Swimming is a compulsory part of the curriculum, therefore children can only miss lesson if there is a genuine medical reason. In these instances children will be walking down to the pool with their class and will sit by the side.

We are also asking for volunteers to help walk the children to and from swimming - please contact the class teacher or let the office know if you can help.

Swimming days will be as follows:

Maple - Monday Walnut - Tuesday Elm - Thursday

Year 3 and 4 PE

PE will take place from next week. Children can come to school dressed in their PE kits (plain t-shirt the colour of their team, black shorts or jogging bottoms, plimsols or trainers). Our PE days are:

Elm - Monday - Maple and Walnut - Wednesday

After School Club & Breakfast Club

The school has been heavily subsidising after school club and breakfast club for a long time, unfortunately we now need to increase prices. Our prices have not increased for the last 3 years and this is not a decision we have made lightly.

From September prices will be as follows:

Breakfast Club – 8am – 8.45am will be £3 and 8.30am – 8.45am will be £1

After School Club Full Session 3.15pm – 5.30pm – will be £10

Half Session with Food 3.15pm – 4.15pm will be £6

Half Session without Food 3.15pm – 4.15pm will be £5

Nits

We have had several cases of head lice already. Whilst head lice are nothing to worry about they do need to be treated quickly and effectively. Most treatments require TWO applications, 7 days apart. Please check your child's hair and treat as necessary.

Long hair should ALWAYS be tied up for school.

Some parents may be eligible for free treatment - more information can be found here:

<https://www.boots.com/nhs-services/minorailments>



If your child has any amazing out of school achievements that you are proud of, why not share them with us? Please email the office!

Attendance

Please do not email the office – we have 100's of emails everyday and your's could get missed! Please follow the instructions below.

If your child is unwell and unable to come to school, please call on the first day of illness and each day they are unwell

Call – **01622 753651 CHOOSE Option 1.**

Should no-one be available please leave a message stating your child's **name, class and reason for absence.**

Or

Email - Attendance@park-way.kent.sch.uk

PE Term 1



Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Apple & Pear Oak Elm	Holly Ivy	Rowan Maple Walnut	Cedar Cherry Oak	Cherry Cedar Rowan

Swimming - Term 1



Please be aware that swimming forms part of the national curriculum and as such is treated like any other lesson, your child is **expected to attend every week.**

Maple - Monday

Walnut - Tuesday

Elm - Thursday

DIARY DATES

2nd Sept

1st Oct

10th Oct

17th Oct

28th Oct

Return to School

Carmal Jane Photography Individual Photos

NHS Flu Vaccines

End of Term 1

Term 2 Begins



TERM DATES

2025/2026

TERM 1	
Monday 1 st September	Staff Development Day
Tuesday 2 nd September	First Day Term 1
Friday 17 th October	Last Day of Term 1
OCTOBER HOLIDAY	
Monday 20 th Oct – Friday 24 th October	Holiday – No School
TERM 2	
Monday 27 th October	Staff Development day
Tuesday 28 th October	First Day of Term 2
Friday 19 th December	Last Day of Term 2
CHRISTMAS HOLIDAY	
Monday 22 nd December to 2 nd January	Holiday – No School
TERM 3	
Monday 5 th January	Staff Development Day
Tuesday 6 th January	First Day of Term 3
Friday 13 th February	Last Day of Term 3
FEBRUARY HOLIDAY	
Monday 16 th to Friday 20 th February	Holiday – No School
TERM 4	
Monday 23 rd February	First Day of Term 4
Thursday 2 nd April	Last Day of Term 4
Friday 3 rd April	Bank Holiday
Monday 6 th April	Bank Holiday
EASTER HOLIDAY	
7 th April to Friday 17 th April	Holiday – No School
TERM 5	
Monday 20 th April	First Day of Term 5
Monday 4 th May	Bank Holiday – No School
Friday 22 nd May	Last Day of Term 5
Monday 25 th May	Bank Holiday – No School
MAY HOLIDAY	
Tuesday 26 th May – Friday 29 th May	Holiday – No School
TERM 6	
Monday 1st June	First Day of Term 6
Friday 17 th July	Last Day of Term 6
20 th & 21 st July	Staff Development Days

Spring Summer
2025

WEEK ONE

21.04.2025
12.05.2025
09.06.2025
30.06.2025
21.07.2025
08.09.2025
29.09.2025

Option One

Macaroni
Cheese

TUESDAY

BBQ Chicken Pizza
With Potato Salad

WEDNESDAY

Sausages With Roast
Potatoes & Gravy

THURSDAY

Spaghetti
Bolognese

FRIDAY

Fishfingers or Salmon
Fishfingers with Chips &
Tomato Sauce

Option Two

Veggie Baked Bean Hot
Pot

Mild Mexican
Chilli with Rice

Roasted Quorn Fillet
Roast
Potatoes, & Gravy

NEW Chefs Special
Chickpea Curry
with Rice

Cheese & Bean Pasty
with Chips & Tomato
Sauce

Vegetables

Peas & Sweetcorn

Coleslaw & Baked
Beans

Carrots & Cabbage

Green Beans &
Sweetcorn

Baked Beans & Peas

Dessert

Apple
Flapjack

Summer Lemon
Cake

Fruit
Platter

Savoury Cheese
Scone

Strawberry Jelly
with
Mandarin

WEEK TWO

28.04.2025
19.05.2025
16.06.2025
07.07.2025
25.08.2025
15.09.2025
06.10.2025

Option One

Cheese & Tomato Pizza
With Crushed New
Potatoes

Pork Hot Dog with
Wedges & Tomato
Sauce

Roast Chicken With
Roast Potatoes, & Gravy

NEW Chefs Special
Chicken Korma with
Rice

Battered Fish with Chips
& Tomato Sauce

Option Two

Lentil & Sweet Potato
Curry With Rice

Hot Dog with Wedges &
Tomato Sauce

Vegetable Soya Roast,
Roast Potatoes & Gravy

Spaghetti
Veggie Bolognese

Cheese and Tomato
Quiche with Chips

Vegetables

Sweetcorn & Green
Beans

Baked Beans & Peas

Carrots & Broccoli

Green Beans &
Sweetcorn

Peas & Baked Beans

Dessert

Iced Vanilla Sponge

NEW Strawberry and
Apple Crumble with Ice
Cream / Cream for
Serving

Freshly Chopped
Fruit Salad

Peaches and Ice
Cream / Cream for
Serving

Vanilla
Shortbread

WEEK THREE

05.05.2025
02.06.2025
23.06.2025
14.07.2025
01.09.2025
22.09.2025
13.10.2025

Option One

Classic Veggie Pasta
Bolognese

NEW Green Thai
Chicken Curry
with Rice

Roast Turkey, Roast
Potatoes & Gravy

NEW Greek Macaroni
Pastitsio

Breaded Fish
and Chips & Tomato
Sauce

Option Two

NEW Chefs Special
Five Bean
Jalfra Rice

Quorn Burger In Bun With
Potato Wedges

Veg Wellington,
Roast
Potatoes & Gravy

Spinach and Cheese
Whirl with Rice & Tzatziki

Veggie Sausage With
Chips & Tomato Sauce

Vegetables

Sweetcorn & Green
Beans

Broccoli & Mixed
Peppers

Vegetable Medley

Mixed Salad & Coleslaw

Peas & Carrots

Dessert

Pear & Chocolate
Upside Down Cake

Cheese and Crackers

Fruit Salad

Jam and Coconut

Oaty Cookie

MENU KEY



Added Plant Protein



Wholemeal



Vegan



Chef's Special

Available Daily: - Freshly cooked jacket potatoes with a choice of fillings - Bread freshly baked on site- Daily salad selection -
Fresh Fruit and Yoghurt

ALLERGEN INFORMATION:

If you would like to know about particular allergens in foods please ask a member of the catering team for information. If your child has a school lunch and has a food allergy or intolerance you will be asked to complete a form to ensure we have the necessary information to cater for your child. We use a large variety of ingredients in the preparation of our meals and due to the nature of our kitchens it is not possible to completely remove the risk of allergen cross contact.

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Football
Coaching



After School Football

Years 3/4/5/6
Every Wednesday
3.15pm - 4.15pm

Years 1 & 2
Every Thursday
3.15pm - 4.15pm

Options to pay
per session or
per term
£5 a session

How to sign up



Email:
Lpfootballcoaching
@outlook.com

with child's name
and year group
or
drop us a message
on
07704 976846

