



Dear Families,

Happy Friday! The students have worked incredibly hard this week and new displays of their creative work have been put on show around the building. I look forward to welcoming the students back into school on Monday which is our last week of Term 3.

Sarah Franklin

Associate Assistant Principal

## Head of Middle School

A message from the Principal, Katherine Ogden.

“Many of you will know that **Becki Thielen** (Head of Middle School) started her maternity leave this week. Whilst we all wish Becki good luck for the final stages of her pregnancy, we are also delighted to confirm that we will be welcoming **Emma Sanders** in to take on the Head of Middle School (maternity cover) role from Term 4. Emma is an experienced Year 6 Raising Achievement Leader at Begbrook Primary Academy (Cabot Learning Federation) and will be working very closely with Sarah Franklin and the Year 6 team as they prepare to take our first cohort of students through their Key Stage 2 SATS later this year. Emma will be working with us in a non-teaching role for the remainder of the year to ensure that she can be based across both the Lower & Upper School sites and is looking forward to meeting with our Year 5-8 parents very soon.”



## ASPENS—Special Menu

Throughout each month, ASPENS will be holding an ‘Around The World’ menu so students can explore different foods and meals from across the Globe.

This month, students will be enjoying popular dishes originating from China.

On Thursday 17 February the following will be on offer:

Sweet and Sour Battered Chicken with Rice

(Sweet and Sour sauce to be served separately)

Vegetable spring Rolls with Rice

Soy Green Beans

Chinese Five Spice Cupcakes

## Kingswood Rugby Club

I am pleased to inform you that from Monday 14 February, Kingswood Rugby Club’s car park facility from the hours of 15:00—15:20 will be available for parents to use. Due to their car park being used in the morning by another provider it is not possible for them to accommodate the morning drop off.

### Important Dates

Thursday 17 February: Alternative 'Chinese' Lunch Menu

Friday 18 February: Last Day of T3

Monday 28 February: First Day of T4

Thursday 3 March: World Book Day/ Alternative Lunch Menu

Wednesday 16 March: Academy INSET Day (closed to all Year Groups)

Friday 25 March: Y5 Trip to—We The Curious

Friday 1 April: Last Day of T4

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