Castle Mead Kitchen

Autumn Menu

Term 1 Sept 2022

Dear Parents/Carers

Please indicate your meal choices on the attached menus and return to the school by **Friday 15th July 2022**, providing payment where necessary. **School meals cost £2.30 per child per day.**

PAYMENT MUST BE MADE IN ADVANCE AT TIME OF PLACING ORDER. **Please pay online by ParentMail** wherever possible. You can also pay by cheque or cash. Please make cheques payable to 'The Mead Academy Trust.' We will copy and return your menu for you to retain for next term.

We aim to provide a nutritionally balanced menu that meets the standards set by the School Food Trust. We use quality ingredients that are:

- Produced or grown locally (where possible)
- · From sustainable sources or ethically supplied
- Farm assured, i.e. meat that carries the red tractor logo
- Approved by the Marine Conservation Society (Fish)

All hot meals are served with seasonal vegetables or salad and we offer a daily meat-free option, suitable for vegetarians. Every week there will be a selection of seasonal vegetables served with each meal which could include broccoli, sweetcorn, green beans and carrots.

Children also have the option of the cold buffet bar which includes a selection of items such as wraps/homemade bread/cold pasta etc. along with ham, cheese, tuna, salad (i.e. carrots, cucumber, peppers, tomatoes etc.).

Drinking water, milk and bread is freely available. Our bread is *homemade daily* by Mrs Huckett and Mrs Gould. All children will be offered the main dessert option; however, fruit is always available as an alternative. Please be aware the menu may change due to unforeseen circumstances.

We encourage the children to choose a balanced and healthy plate of food using the NHS Eatwell Plate – you can find out more about this at http://www.nhs.uk/Livewell/Goodfood/Pages/the-eatwell-quide.aspx

If you have any special dietary needs please contact the school office to discuss your menu options. Our Food Allergen Advice Note is available from the school office and on our website.

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PLEASE TICK YOUR CHOICE OF MAIN COURSE OR COLD OPTION EACH DAY ONE OF OUR MAIN COURSES IS ALWAYS A NON MEAT OPTION

WEEK 1	MONDAY 5/9/22	TUESDAY 6/9/22	WEDNESDAY 7/9/22	THURSDAY 8/9/22	FRIDAY 9/9/22
MAIN COURSE	Macaroni Cheese & Mixed Salad	Mild Chicken Curry And Rice Gf	Homemade Pepperoni Pizza **	Cottage Pie With Seasonal Vegetables GF	Breaded Fish And Oven Chips
MAIN COURSE MEAT FREE	Quorn And Vegetable Paella GF	Butternut Squash And Lentil Tagine GF	Homemade Cheese And Tomato Pizza **	Jacket Potato And Baked Beans GF	Lentil Burger In A Bun With Salad
COLD OPTION	Buffet Bar	Buffet Bar	Buffet Bar	Buffet Bar	Buffet Bar
DESSERT	Apple Crumble With Vanilla Custard	Chocolate Fresh Fruit Salad GF		Banana Cake	Fresh Melon GF
				TOTAL	£

WEEK 2	MONDAY 12/9/22	TUESDAY 13/9/22			FRIDAY 16/9/22
MAIN COURSE	Hidden Vegetable Pasta GF	Morrocan Chicken With Brown Rice GF	Beef Lasagne	Sausage Roast With Seasonal Vegetables GF	Homemade Cheese And Tomato Pizza **
MAIN COURSE MEAT FREE	Butternut Squash Soup With Wholemeal Bread	Jacket Potato With Cheese GF	Autumn Vegetable Crumble	Quorn Sausage Roast With Seasonal Vegetables	Vegetable And Bean Enchillada
COLD OPTION	Buffet Bar	Buffet Bar	Buffet Bar	Buffet Bar	Buffet Bar
DESSERT	Cherry Cake	Apple Flapjack Rice Pudding With Jam GF		Various Ice Cream GF	Seasonal Fruit Salad
		TOTAL	£		

^{**} Dairy free pizza available – please indicate on your form if you require this option.

Dietary Requirements		
Vegetarian Vegan Gluten Free Nut Free	 Dairy Free Halal Kosher Other	
Other (please detail):		

^{*}Dietary Requirements must be supported by a medical document. Please put any parental preferences or other dietary wishes in Other.

WEEK 3	MONDAY 19/9/22	TUESDAY 20/9/22	WEDNESDAY 21/9/22	THURSDAY 22/9/22	FRIDAY 23/9/22
MAIN COURSE	Tomato,Basil And Mozzarella Penne Pasta GF	Chicken Paprika With Rice GF	Pasta Bolognese With Wholewheat Pasta GF	Chicken And Ham Pie With Seasonal Vegetables	Tuna Fishcakes With Herby Diced Potatoes
MAIN COURSE MEAT FREE	Autumn Vegetable Risotto GF	Jacket Potato With Baked Beans GF	Lentil Bolognese With Wholewheat Pasta GF	Vegetable And Bean Chilli With Brown Rice GF	Vegetarian Nuggets
COLD OPTION	Buffet Bar	Buffet Bar	Buffet Bar	Buffet Bar	Buffet Bar
DESSERT	Lemon Cake	Toffee Apple Peaches And Ice Sponge Cake cream GF		Shortbread	Fresh Fruit Salad GF
		TOTAL	£		

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WEEK 4	MONDAY 26/9/22	TUESDAY 27/9/22	WEDNESDAY 28/9/22	THURSDAY 29/9/22	FRIDAY 30/9/22
MAIN COURSE	Macaroni Cheese With A Mixed Salad	Mild Chicken Curry And Rice	Homemade Pepperoni Pizza	Cottage Pie With Seasonal Vegetables	Breaded Fish With Oven Chips
MAIN COURSE MEAT FREE	Quorn And Vegetable Paella	Butternut Squash And Lentil Tagineand Cous Cous	Homemade Cheese And Tomato Pizza	Jacket Potato With Baked Beans	Lentil Burger In A Bun With Side Salad
COLD OPTION	Buffet Bar	Buffet Bar	Buffet Bar	Buffet Bar	Buffet Bar

DESSERT	Apple Crumble And Vanilla Custard	Chocolate Brownies	Fresh Fruit Salad	Banana Cake	Fresh Melon

WEEK 5	MONDAY 3/10/22	TUESDAY 4/10/22	WEDNESDAY 5/10/22	THURSDAY 6/10/22	FRIDAY 7/10/18
MAIN COURSE	Hidden Vegetable Pasta	Morrocan Chicken With Brown Rice	Beef Lasagne	Sausage Roast With Seasonal Vegetables	Homemade Cheese And Tomato Pizza
MAIN COURSE MEAT FREE	Butternut Squash Soup With Wholemeal Bread	Jacket Potato With Cheese	Autumn Vegetable Crumble	Quorn Sausage Roast With Seasonal Vegetables	Vegetable And Bean Enchillada
COLD OPTION	Buffet Bar	Buffet Bar	Buffet Bar	Buffet Bar	Buffet Bar
DESSERT	Cherry Cake Apple Flapjack Rice Pudding Ice Cream				Fresh Fruit Salad
	£				

WEEK 6	MONDAY 10/9/22	TUESDAY 11/9/22	WEDNESDAY 12/9/22	THURSDAY 13/9/22	FRIDAY 14/9/22/18	
MAIN COURSE	Tomato,Basil And Mozzarella Penne Pasta	Chicken Paprika With Rice	Pasta Bolognese With Wholewheat Pasta	Chicken And Ham Pie With Seasonal Vegetables	Tuna Fishcakes With Herby Diced Potatoes	
MAIN COURSE MEAT FREE	Autumn Vegetable Risotto	Jacket Potato With Baked Beans	Lentil Bolognese With Wholewheat Pasta	Vegetarian Chilli With Brown Rice	Vegetarian Nuggets	
COLD OPTION	Buffet Bar	Buffet Bar	Buffet Bar	Buffet Bar	Buffet Bar	
DESSERT	Lemon Cake	Toffee Apple Sponge	Various Ice Cream	Fresh Fruit Salad	Spiced Shortbread	
				TOTAL	£	

WEEK 7	MONDAY 17/10/22	TUESDAY 18/10/22	WEDNESDAY 19/10/22	WEDNESDAY 19/10/22		,	FRIDAY	
MAIN COURSE	Macaroni Cheese With Mixed Salad	Mild Chicken Curry With Rice	Homemade Pepperoni Pizza		Holiday		Holiday	
MAIN COURSE MEAT FREE	Quorn And Vegetable Paella	Butternut Squash And Lentil Tagine	Homemade Cheese And Tomato Pizza					
COLD OPTION	Buffet Bar	Buffet Bar	Buffet Bar					
DESSERT	Apple Crumble With Vanilla Custard	Chocolate Brownie Fresh Fruit Salad						
					TOTAL		£	

WEEK	MONDA	DAY TUESDAY WEDNESDAY							
MAIN COURSE									
MAIN COURSE MEAT FREE									
COLD OPTION									
DESSERT									
					TOTAL		£		
					TOTAL PAIL)	£		

If you have any questions about the menu or food we prepare as part of the school meals please do get in touch – we welcome your feedback and suggestions.