

# Herbert Thompson Headteacher Update 28.10.22



#### Kitchen Refurbishment

The council are upgrading our school kitchen so they are setting up a temporary kitchen after term, because of the new universal free school meals roll out.

There will be a temporary menu whilst the work is being undertaken for approximately 6 weeks. The menu options will be a sandwich, pasta pot or jacket potato. The menu will be available on Parent Pay.

#### Half Term starts on Monday

We will return to school on Monday 7th November



We have had Inspectors in this week and they have been so impressed by how incredible our children are. We will be able to share the report with you in the new year.

Thank you for all your support, especially those who came to the meeting and responded to the questionnaire online. It means so much to us.

Wishing you all a lovely half term Kind regards, Mrs Marsh

#### Attendance and Punctuality

We are working on improving our attendance and punctuality across the school. It is so important that our children are in school every day.

Please work with us to ensure your child's attendance is really good.

## What does it mean?

Categorising attendance		
99% - 100%	Outstanding	
97% - 98.9%	Excellent	
95% - 96.9%	Good (expected)	
92% - 94.9%	Needs to improve	
90% - 91.9%	Poor	
Below 90%	A major cause for concern	

95%	=	47 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 8 days in total or 1 week and 3 days
90%	=	95 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 16 days in total or 3 weeks and 1 day
<b>85</b> %	=	142 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 24 days in total or 4 weeks and 4 days
80%	=	190 LESSONS MISSED EACH YEAR 32 days in total or 6 weeks and 2 days

### WEEKLY ATTENDANCE

<u>91.2%</u>

Our school target is 95%