



NEWHALL JUNIOR SCHOOL

Lionheart Educational Trust

CHARACTER STRENGTHS



Respect

Trust - Gratitude - Empathy



Resourcefulness

Imagination - Curiosity - Problem Solving



Resilience

Courage - Perseverance - Concentration



Reciprocity

Collaboration - Support - Communication



Responsibility

Accountability - Enthusiasm - Decisiveness



Reflection

Evaluating - Honesty - Planning



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WELCOME TO NEWHALL JUNIOR SCHOOL

SENIOR LEADERS



Robert Prior – Executive Principal
Clare Weaver – Head of School
Jo Smith – Assistant Head of School



MIDDLE LEADERS

Mr Lander – Year 3/4 Phase Leader

Mr Wibberley – Year 5/6 Phase Leader

Mr Roper – Reading

Miss Rushton – Maths

Miss Vickers – Writing

Mrs Insley – Behaviour and Mental Health Lead



Your child's class teacher and name of class should now have been emailed out to you. Children have been organised into 2 classes, based on advice from your child's Infant School and our recent visits.

ADDITIONAL STAFF IN YEAR 3



Mrs Thompson

Mr Pearson

Mrs Brown

Mrs Guest

Miss Baldwin

COMMUNICATION



First, see the class teacher or phone/email school info@newhalljunior.org.uk to contact them

Second, arrange a meeting with the Phase Leader

Third arrange a meeting with the Assistant Headteacher before speaking to Headteacher

Fourth, still not happy? Follow the complaints policy.





- [Safeguarding – Newhall Junior School](#)
- Key Information on website
- Teaching children how to stay safe is embedded across our curriculum
- Designated Safeguarding Officers – Mrs Weaver, Mrs Wardle, Mrs Smith, Miss Summers, Mr Lander and Mr Wibberley
- Attendance Team – Mrs Wardle and Miss Summers
- Anti-Bullying Officers – Mrs Insley, Mr Lander, Mr Wibberley and Mrs Weaver

Every School Day Counts		
Attendance during the school year	Equates to days absent	Which is approximately
96%	6 days	1 week
94%	10 days	2 weeks
90%	19 days	4 weeks
85%	29 days	6 weeks
80%	38 days	8 weeks
75%	48 days	10 weeks
70%	57 days	11.5 weeks
65%	67 days	13.5 weeks

PASTORAL SUPPORT



Thrive

- To develop healthy, happy, confident children, who are ready to learn.
- Working with children to support social and emotional development.
- All children are 'screened' and some children may require 'reparative' support.
- Parents are fully involved in the process.
- Thrive Practitioners are Mrs Wardle and Mrs Watson.





Inclusion Leader – Mrs Smith.

We have already contacted Newhall Infants, Elmsleigh Infants and other feeder schools regarding any specific needs and requirements.

We aim to work 'in partnership' with parents/carers, the child and any adult support.

THE SCHOOL DAY



Breakfast Club 7:45am
Arrive at 8:45am
Registration at 8:55am
Break at 10:20am
Lunch at 12:05pm to 1:05pm
School Finishes at 3:20pm

YEAR 3



	Autumn 1 (8wks)	Autumn 2 (7wks)	Spring 1 (6wks)	Spring 2 (5wks)	Summer 1 (6wks)	Summer 2 (7wks)
Art/DT	DT: Cooking and nutrition Eating Seasonally	Art: Drawing Growing artists	DT: Digital World Electric Charm	Art: Craft and Design Fabric of nature	DT: Structures Constructing a castle 4 sessions	Art: Sculpture and 3D Abstract shape and space Art : Tie dyeing materials
Computing	E-Safety - Smart Crew	Computer Skills - Basic Skills	Document Creation - Power Point	Programming - Induction to Coding - Beebot	Digit Content Creation - Photos	Programming - Scratch - Basic Skills
French	Physical French Phonics (colour and numbers)	Physical French Phonics (months and days of the year)	Greetings	Numbers to 20, body parts	Classroom Instructions, numbers to 31, months and birthday	Animals (Salut! Unit A)
Geography/History	History: The Stone Age What was new about the Stone Age?	Geography: Climate and Weather Why is climate important?	History: The Bronze Age and The Iron Age Which was more impressive - the Bronze Age or the Iron Age	Geography: Our World Where on Earth are we?	History: Our Local Area Why is local history important?	Geography: Coasts Do we like to be besides the seaside?
Music	Let Your Spirits Fly (RnB)	Glockenspiel: Exploring/developing playing skills	Sing4Life (Derbyshire Music Partnership)	Sing4Life (Derbyshire Music Partnership)	Three Little Birds (Reggae) The Dragon Song (Contemporary)	Bring Us Together (Disco)
PE	OAA (Sports coach) Netball (teachers to teach)	Gymnastics Ball Skills	Dance Basketball	Football Fitness	Fundamentals Y3/Y4 Tennis	Athletics Cricket
PSHE and RSE	Being Me in My World 'Who am I and how do I fit?'	Celebrating Difference Respect for similarity and difference. Anti-bullying and being unique	Dreams and Goals Aspirations, how to achieve goals and understanding the emotions that go with this	Healthy Me Being and keeping safe and healthy	Relationships Building positive, healthy relationships	Changing Me Coping positively with change

PUPIL CENTRED, POSITIVE AND PROFESSIONAL

EDUCATIONAL VISITS



These are to enhance learning that can not be replicated in school. We subsidise the trip or external visitor and ask for a contribution from parents. No parental contribution, could lead to no experience. School budget is spent on providing lots of free opportunities:

Sing 4 Life in Y3

Whole class music lessons in Y4

Swimming lessons in Y5

Bikeability in Y5 and Y6

Transport to sporting events

Daily Sports Coach at lunchtime

Character Awards for Year 3 and Year 4

Curriculum resources and equipment

Visiting professionals (Open Centre RE Workshops, Y6 Mini-Police)

Magical Mayhem visits

Sports Day at Shobnall

LUNCHTIME



- Newhall Catering
- Price from September - £2.80
- Pay via Beehive and book meals
- Free School Meals – please sign up with Derbyshire if you are entitled

<https://www.derbyshire.gov.uk/education/schools/your-child-at-school/meals/school-meals/free-school-meals.aspx>

WEEK ONE

Week Commencing: 09.09.2025, 29.09.2025, 20.10.2025, 17.11.2025, 08.12.2025

Monday

Option 1: Chicken Curry
Option 2: Vegetable Curry
Both served with 50/50 rice & homemade flatbread, sweet corn & baton carrots
Option 3: Jacket Potatoes with cheese and/or beans & vegetables
Dessert = Lemon Cake
Salad & Homemade Bread
Fresh Fruit & Yogurts

Tuesday

Option 1: Ham & Pineapple Pizza
Option 2: Margherita Pizza
Both served with wedges, peas & cauliflower
Option 3: Jacket Potatoes with cheese and/or beans & vegetables
Dessert = Bitesize Chocolate Crunch with fruit
Salad & Homemade Bread
Fresh Fruit & Yogurts

Wednesday

Option 1: [Menu item]

Thursday

Option 1: [Menu item]

Friday

Option 1: Fish Fingers
Option 2: Tomato Pinwheel
Option 3: Jacket Potatoes with cheese and/or beans & vegetables
Dessert = Anzac Biscuits
Homemade Bread
Fruit & Yogurts

WEEK TWO

Week Commencing: 15.09.2025, 06.10.2025, 03.11.2025, 24.11.2025, 15.12.2025

Monday

Option 1: Pork Meatballs
Option 2: Veggie Meatballs
Both served with pasta, homemade tomato sauce, garlic bread, baton carrots & sweetcorn
Option 3: Jacket Potatoes with cheese and/or beans & vegetables
Dessert = Bitesize Flapjack with fruit
Salad & Homemade Bread
Fresh Fruit & Yogurts

Tuesday

Option 1: Big Breakfast (1 x sausage & 1 x bacon)
Option 2: Veggie Big Breakfast (2 x veggie sausage)
Both served with a hash brown, baked beans & tomatoes
Option 3: Jacket Potatoes with cheese and/or beans & vegetables
Dessert = Rosalie Biscuits
Salad & Homemade Bread
Fresh Fruit & Yogurts

Wednesday

Option 1: Roast Turkey
Option 2: Quorn Fillet
Both served with stuffing, creamed broccoli, cauliflower, sliced carrots
Option 3: Jacket Potatoes with cheese and/or vegetables
Dessert = Sticky Chocolate Sp...
Salad & Homemade Bread
Fresh Fruit & Yogurts

WEEK THREE

Week Commencing: 22.09.2025, 13.10.2025, 10.11.2025, 01.12.2025

Monday

Option 1: Chicken Wholemeal Pasta Bake
Option 2: Vegetable Wholemeal Pasta Bake
Both served with baton carrots and cauliflower and homemade garlic bread
Option 3: Jacket Potatoes with cheese and/or beans & vegetables
Dessert = Bitesize Chocolate Cracknel with fruit
Salad & Homemade Bread
Fresh Fruit & Yogurts

Tuesday

Option 1: Cottage Pie
Option 2: Quorn Cottage Pie
Both served with peas, green beans & gravy
Option 3: Jacket Potatoes with cheese and/or beans & vegetables
Dessert = Shortbread Slice
Salad & Homemade Bread
Fresh Fruit & Yogurts

Wednesday

Option 1: Pork Sausages
Option 2: Quorn Sausages
Both served with mashed potatoes, broccoli, cauliflower, sliced carrots & gravy
Option 3: Jacket Potatoes with cheese and/or beans & vegetables
Dessert = Strawberry Marble Cake
Salad & Homemade Bread
Fresh Fruit & Yogurts

Thursday

Option 1: Pepperoni Pizza
Option 2: Margherita Pizza
Both served with wedges, green beans & carrots
Option 3: Jacket Potatoes with cheese and/or beans & vegetables
Dessert = Coconut & Cherry Cookies
Salad & Homemade Bread
Fresh Fruit & Yogurts

Friday

Option 1: Fish Fingers
Option 2: Veggie Sausage Roll
Both served with chips, peas & sweetcorn
Option 3: Jacket Potatoes with cheese and/or beans & vegetables
Dessert = Muffins
Salad & Homemade Bread
Fresh Fruit & Yogurts

THE PARENT & SCHOOL ASSOCIATION



- All of our PSA members are parents and carers with busy lives, and we are very grateful to them for the time they give to the school.
- Make new friends, get to know the school environment, and help raise much needed funds
- So, if you can spare a few hours occasionally, please come along and join our PSA.



- DfE Rebuild Programme
- Brand new, two-storey school on current footprint
- Newhall After-School Provision until 5:30



FINALLY



- Look out for e-mails from us over the summer
- Visit our school website
- Check you've received and completed the school admission form so we have your details
- Coffee morning – Friday 11th July from 9:15 in the school hall
- Back to school 9.9.25