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House Points				
Danes	Romans	Saxons	Vikings	
Points	Points	Points	Points	
177@@	19800	171 🕲	208 🙂 🖰	
This week's winners are the Vikingsnon-uniform Monday 25th March				
😊 = previous win		3 wins = non-uniform day		

Stars, Wows & Writers		
	☆ Harriet	
Oak		
	Arna	
	☆Pennie	
Hazel		
	Charlie W	
	☆Gracie	
Maple		
	Connie	
	<b>☆Jordi</b>	
Cedar		
	Ayda	
	☆ Eve	
Rowan	⊘ Zy Zack	
	Mollie	
	☆ Alfie	
Elm	<b>⊅</b> Lottie	
	Owen	
	<b>☆Nell</b>	
Sycamore		
•	Molly	
Stars celebrate values and behaviour.  Wows celebrate an outstanding piece of work or learning.		
Writers celebrate wonderful literary achievements.		





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P.E. Days

Oak: Wednesday & Friday
Hazel: Monday & Friday
Maple: Monday & Thursday
Cedar: Tuesday & Thursday
Rowan: Tuesday & Thursday
Elm: Tuesday & Thursday.
Sycamore: Tuesday & Thursday.

No swimming next term, teachers will send out information next week if any days will be changing next term

#### Let's Celebrate

If your child has achieved something in sport outside of school, we would like to know about it! Email Miss Spearpoint on <a href="mailto:elm@mundford.dneat.org">elm@mundford.dneat.org</a> with a photo and caption so we can celebrate their successes in school!

#### **New Arbor Parent App**

Thank you to everyone who has already downloaded the new app, if you haven't got around to it yet we would appreciate you doing so by **Monday 25th March**, this will enable us to check everyone has been able to download the app before the Easter holiday. You will not be able to book lunches or wraparound care without the new app as Iris MYed and Parentmail will not be available after Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March. Any credit or debit balances will be transferred to Arbor but we ask that you that you pay as you go next week and not make any large top-ups.

The Arbor App will go 'live' on Friday 12th April and will be used for:

- Ordering dinners
- Signing up and paying for trips
- Wrap around Care
- Signing up for clubs
- In App Messages / Communication

An account has been set up for you. To finish creating your account you just need to set a password. Your username is the email address we've sent this email to.

Go to: <a href="https://mundford.uk.arbor.sc/?/home-ui/index">https://mundford.uk.arbor.sc/?/home-ui/index</a> and click **Forgot your password?** to finish setting up your account. When you have completed this step you will be able to download the App

The Parent App can be downloaded from either the Playstore on android phones or the Apple Store on iPhones.

Arbor – Apps on Google Play

<u>Arbor Parent App on the App Store (apple.com)</u>

<sup>\*</sup>Please note you will not see or be able to book anything until after the go live date.





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### **After School Clubs**

week commencing 25th March

**Tuesday** 

Rising Phoenix Martial Arts, Taekwondo: Y3-6 Wednesday

KS2 Summer Production Group: Y3-6

#### **Summer Term**

KS2 Summer Production Club will restart on Weds 17th April no need to sign up again.

All other clubs will restart week beginning 22<sup>nd</sup> April... sign up invitations will come via the Arbor App.

How to manage your child's online world without clashing - BBC Bitesize If you'd like to know more, or have any questions on this theme, please don't hesitate to get in touch.

Homepage - UK Safer Internet Centre

Elm Class bake Sale raised £107.

The funds will be split between FOMS and the School Council who are fund raising

Playground equipment and The Ripple Effect Foundation.

Thank you for your support.

### SENCo Kenco



Get in touch and have coffee and a chat if you have any concerns about your child at school.

Katie Tinkley – SENDCo katie.tinkley@mundford.dneat.org





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#### **Notices & Reminders**

• We have accumulated a substantial number of lost jumpers, cardigans etc., please can we remind you to name your children's clothing so that they can be returned. Lost property is currently inside KS1 pupil entrance whilst the weather is damp.

#### • Zig Zag Yellow Lines

Are there for the safety reasons, please do not park on them whilst dropping off and collecting children at any time of the day.

#### Snacks

We have noticed a variety of items being eaten at breaktime for snack. As part of our drive to be
a healthy school we have a policy that only fruit or veg should be consumed at breaktimes. Fruit
and veg options are provided daily by the school for pupils in EYFS and KS1. We are happy for
you to provide a snack for your child but it should be fruit or veg and we will be reminding the
children of this over next week.

http://www.churchsidefederation.norfolk.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2020/02/Food-Policy-1.pdf

**Please do not park on the playground.** We have noticed recently that the playground is being used as a car-park when collecting children from after-school clubs/care. This is creating a potential hazard for both pupils and parents arriving/leaving the playground on foot.

#### Food Policy

So that we can ensure that any child who is allergic to nuts does not come into contact with them please do not include items containing nuts in packed lunches. The Food policy can be found on the school website <a href="http://www.churchsidefederation.norfolk.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2020/02/Food-Policy-1.pdf">http://www.churchsidefederation.norfolk.sch.uk/wp-content/uploads/2020/02/Food-Policy-1.pdf</a>

#### Water Bottles

Can we kindly request that children do not bring water bottles with loose lids and straws? These aren't suitable for the classroom, as they can easily leak or will spill if knocked over. Sports-style bottles with leakproof lids are preferred. If your child does bring in an unsuitable bottle, they may be asked to keep it outside or by the classroom sink to prevent spillages on work.

- We politely ask that all parents/carers keep their children with them whilst on the playground, at drop off and pick up.
- We ask that you refrain from cutting through the cricket club fence/hedge. Please stick to the pathways for your own safety and the safety of others. The cricket club kindly allow us to use their parking facility, so please be respectful.





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#### **Music Lessons**

Mrs Whistler teaches a variety of musical instruments and she has a few spaces available on a Wednesday afternoon. If you would like your child(ren) to attend Music lessons, kindly provided by Mrs Whistler, please contact her direct by email: whistlermusic@yahoo.com for further information and cost.

#### **Diary Dates**

Monday 25<sup>th</sup> March – Elm Mundford Junction 2:30 pm

Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> March – Tea with Mrs G

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March – Sycamore Class Mundford Junction 9.15am-10.15am

Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March – Rowan Mundford Junction 2:30 pm

Weds 27th March: Last Day of Term

EASTER HOLIDAYS: 28<sup>th</sup> March – 14<sup>th</sup> April
Friday 19<sup>th</sup> April – Maple Bake Sale, 3:20pm
Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May – Oak Bake Sale, 3:20pm
Friday 17<sup>th</sup> May – Sycamore Bake Sale, 3:20pm
Friday 7<sup>th</sup> June – Hazel Bake Sale, 3:20pm
Friday 21<sup>st</sup> June – Acorns Bake Sale, tbc

#### **Resources for Supporting your Child at Home**

The school website and half-termly class newsletters outline what each class is currently learning, along with ideas for things you can do at home. From Year 2 upwards, homework will be shared on Google Classroom. Please ask the class teacher if you are unable to access this and would prefer paper copies.

#### Bug Club <a href="https://www.activelearnprimaty.co.uk">https://www.activelearnprimaty.co.uk</a>

Bug Club is our online library of reading books, where you will find books assigned to your child's reading ability. It also has questions build-in to develop children's comprehension skills.

Numbots https://play.numbots.com/#/account/school-login/35246

& TT Rockstars https://play.ttrockstars.com/auth

Practice number facts and times table in a fun game-based situation.

Purple Mash https://www.purplemash.com/sch/mundford





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We use Purple Mash for teaching computing, but it also contains games sections for practising English & Maths at home.

If your child needs their log-in details for any of the above, please contact the class teacher.

**Letterjoin** www.letterjoin.co.uk

Desktop Login username: Mund password: ford

Tablet Login username: Mund passcode: a capital 'L' shape starting at top left

This site allows children to practise their handwriting and spelling.

**School Uniform** 

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