

WEEK COMMENCING

Monday 5th May



GREEN DINNER MENU

WEEKLY NEWS



THURSDAY 1ST MAY 2025

MONDAY 5th -
MAY DAY BANK HOLIDAY
NO SCHOOL

TUESDAY 6th

- Forest School, pm - Year 3
- After School Club** - Goal Getters - Y2- Y6
Scooter Club with Miss Smith

WEDNESDAY 7th

After School Club - Y6 SATs with Mr Lovelass
Games Club with Miss Baugh

THURSDAY 8th - VE DAY

- **Wear Red, White & Blue**
 - Private drumming lessons, am
 - Forest School, pm - Reception
- After School Club** - Brumble Rumble with Mrs Brown

FRIDAY 9th

- Whole school, Y6 & Brumbles Photos, pm
- After School Club** - Choir with Mrs Brayley

**Life, Love &
Learning to the Full**



Dear Parents/Carers

A beautiful sunny week at school and the children have been enjoying OPAL playtimes on the field – playing football and rounders, being creative with the tubes and tyres and learning in the mud kitchen/garden. OPAL play has many benefits for children’s development, including enhanced social skills, improved mental health, and increased physical activity. It also fosters creativity, resilience, and a greater readiness for formal learning back in the classroom.

The children have been working really hard for the start of summer term and they have been curious to learn about their new topics.

The Squirrel and Fox class will be exploring ‘**Neon**

Lights and City Heights’ which focuses on exploring the United Kingdom, with a particular emphasis on London and its characteristics. It covers various aspects like geography (physical features, London's landmarks), history (like Guy Fawkes), and the British monarchy (like King Charles III). **The Hedgehog and Owl class** will be learning about the Romans, ‘**The Rise of Rome**’ where they will be studying ancient warriors, with comparisons between the Romans and the Celts. The children will explore the warfare tactics, cultures, key figures and the chronology of the time period.



Best wishes,

Miss Corrinne Smith - HOS

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Celebration of Achievement

Squirrels



Congratulations to Esme for being the super star of the week. Well done to Freya for remembering her BE values and being ready when coming into school. Congratulations Harry for being a thinking Tortoise and remembering his neat writing and taking things at a slower pace.

Hedgehogs



Congratulations to Poppy for receiving the Curious Cheetah for a really creative poem based on our new book. Well done to TJ and James for receiving the Working Well Together Walrus for demonstrating some excellent skills and co-operation in rounders this week.

Foxes



Congratulations to Malachi; he has achieved 1500 stars on Doodle spell. Well done James; he has achieved 1500 stars on Doodle maths. Our Top Doodler this week is Ethan. He has spent lots of time on doodle and has earned lots of stars. Orla is our 'Thinking Tortoise' this week. She has come back from the Easter break with a super maths brain!

Owls



Congratulations to Ollie for earning the bee-ing amazing certificate. Ollie helped another student during a tricky lesson, he was kind, considerate and respectful throughout. Congratulations to Dylan A for earning the Curious Cheetah award. Dylan was curious about our 'dissolving' experiment which extended our thinking as a class. Well done to Ella for earning Ready Reader 4! Well done to Betsy for earning Ready Reader 14! Well done to Cooper for earning Ready Reader 15!

60 Merits

Alfie, Toby,
Thomas, Charlie
& Esme



FUS Update:

I would like to say a big thank you to Jenni, Sam, Angharad and Suze for helping at the Antiques Fair. Through continuing to support the Village Hall with the antiques fairs we receive a proportion of their total profit at the end of the year. Thank you to those who attended the FUS meeting on Tuesday night.

Annemarie Warne – FUS Chair



Monday 5th May

May Day Bank Holiday

NO SCHOOL

80th Anniversary of VE Day

As you may know, **Thursday 8th May** marks the 80th anniversary of VE Day—Victory in Europe Day—which commemorates the end of World War II in Europe. **To honour this important moment in British history, we invite the children to come to school dressed in red, white, and blue.**

Throughout the day, we will be exploring the significance of VE Day and reflecting on its impact on our nation and the world.



Tempest Photos

On Friday, 9th May in the afternoon, Tempest will be attending school to take our Whole School, Year 6 and Brumble Bee group photos

Brumble Bee Photo – if you would like your child to be part of this photo and Friday afternoon is not their session to attend, please let Mrs Brown or Mrs Howard know you would like to join them for the photo.





Reminder - Sun Cream & Hats

With sunnier, warmer weather ahead of us please make sure your child/ren have sun cream applied before school and send children in with a bottle, that they can re-apply at lunchtime. Please also make sure children have a sun hat / cap in school each day

Team Multi Academy Trust Vacancies

Apply Now Direct at: - <https://mynewterm.com/>

or for more information: - [TEAM Multi-Academy Trust - Vacancies](#)



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Sports Day 2025

Tuesday, 1st July

2pm

The School Office

Emails & phone are only monitored between 8.30am and 12.30pm. If you need to speak to someone urgently, please call the school number: - 01769 540362. If no one answers, please leave a message and someone will contact you as soon as they can.

Please ONLY phone after 12.30pm if it is urgent!

Breakfast Club

Please book in advance by 12pm every Friday for following week!

Time: - 7.45am - 8.45am

£4.00 per child

Payments will be added to your Arbor account

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UMBERLEIGH ACADEMY MENU - SUMMER 2025



	Week 1: 21/04, 12/05, 09/06, 30/06, 21/07	Week 2: 28/04, 19/05, 16/06, 07/07	Week 3: 05/05, 02/06, 23/06, 14/07
M o n d a y	Beef Lasagne V – Vegetable Lasagne Garlic Bread and Salad Platter Fruit Sundae	Spaghetti Bolognaise Veggie Spaghetti Bolognaise Sweetcorn and Coleslaw Waffle Cone and Fresh Fruit	Beef Enchiladas V – No Meat Enchiladas Garlic Bread, Peas & Salad Brownie
Tu e s d a y	Chicken Chow Mein V - Cheesy Pasta Bake Sweetcorn & Green Beans Fruit Jelly & Ice Cream	Chicken Fajitas V – Quorn Nugget Fajitas Summer Salad Buffet Lemon & Strawberry Cheesecake	Katsu Curry V – Veggie Curry Rice and Mixed Vegetables Fruit Muffin
W e d n e s d a y	Roast Pork V – Cauliflower Cheese Roast Potatoes and Seasonal Veg Fruit Salad & Choc Pot	Roast Gammon V - Vegetarian Roast Roast Potatoes and Seasonal Veg Fruit & Ice Cream	Roast Turkey V – Cheese & Onion Pie Roast Potatoes and Seasonal Veg Yoghurt & Fruit
Th u r s d a y	Sausage and Bacon V - Quorn Sausages Hash Browns, Egg, Beans, Peas, Tomatoes & Mushrooms Sticky Chocolate Cake	Toad in the Hole V - Vegetarian Toad in the Hole Diced Potatoes & Seasonal Veg Sticky Toffee Pudding	Hotdogs V – Quorn dogs Wedges, Sweetcorn and Peas Pineapple Upside Down Cake
Fri d a y	Salmon Cakes V – Cheesy Wheels Golden Fries and Seasonal Vegetables Flapjack with Apple Sticks	Fish in Breadcrumbs V – Cheese Omelette Golden Fries and Seasonal Vegetables Cookie & Milkshake	Fish Fingers V – Vegetable fingers Golden Fries, Seasonal Vegetables Shortbread biscuit

Main meal in **Bold** V = Vegetarian Option
 Available Everyday: - Jacket Potatoes with filled choices of Tuna, Cheese & / or Beans. Yogurt Pots & Fresh Fruit
 Brumble Bees - £2.00 per day Infant Children – FREE Junior Children - £2.58 per day

Dates for your Diary		
18 th – 23 rd May	Year 6 Bude Residential	
23 rd May	Family sharing morning – all classes	8.45am – 9.15am
26 th – 30 th May	Half Term	
2 nd June	Non-Pupil Day	
1 st July	Sports Day	2pm
9 th – 11 th July	Y3&4 Wildside Residential	
22 nd July	Family sharing morning – all classes	8.45am – 9.15am
22 nd July	LAT DAY OF SUMMER TERM	



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CHANGE OF DATE!

A PARTY TO REMEMBER!

Come along to a
VE Day 80 celebration

YOU'RE INVITED TO:
Umburleigh Village Hall
 We're having a Bring and Share Lunch
 Remember to BYOD

Fancy dressing up?
 1940s vintage or military style is optional but highly encouraged!!!

WHEN & WHERE:

Change of Date NOW Sunday 11th May
From 12 noon onwards

Fun for the kids includes:
 * A 1940s Themed Dress Competition with prizes for the best outfit.
 * Plenty of children's activities and much more

BIG LUNCH

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Breakfast

NEW DATE - Sat 31st May!



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Umberleigh Village Hall

9am – 12pm



Full English Breakfast
including cereal, toast,
fruit juice & tea / coffee



£10.00 per person ~ £5.00 per child under 10 years

Please book tickets in advance by 7th May with Emily on: - 07485142756

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MUSICAL IN A WEEK 2025

NORTH DEVON

Disney
FROZEN
KIDS

Tuesday 5th to Saturday 9th August
Ages 4 to 9 years | 9am to 1pm each day

Performance: 9th August @ 1pm

To book, contact:
tolley.angell@yahoo.co.uk



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MUSICAL IN A WEEK 2025

NORTH DEVON

WE WILL ROCK YOU
young@part®

Tuesday 5th to Saturday 9th August
Ages 11 to 18 years | 9am to 5pm each day

Performances: 9th August @ 5pm & 7:30pm

To book, contact:
tolley.angell@yahoo.co.uk

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MUSICAL IN A WEEK 2025

NORTH DEVON

IAN FLEMING'S
CHITTY CHITTY BANG BANG JR.

Monday 4th to Friday 8th August
Ages 9 to 13 years | 9am to 5pm each day

Performances: 8th August @ 5pm/7:30pm

To book, contact:
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