

Wednesday 5th October 2022

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Newsletter

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CHILDREN'S VOICE

"We have been reading 'Sulwe' for Black History Month—Connor 2B"



Nasal Flu Immunisations



The Nasal Flu Immunisations will take place in school on Tuesday 15th November 2022 for Reception to Year 6 children. Consent forms will be sent home w/c 3rd October and will be collected by the NHS on 19th October 2022.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Mon 10th Oct	Wear Yellow for World Mental Health Day
Tues 18th and Thurs 20th Oct	Parents Evenings
Thurs 20th Oct	Harvest Festival Assembly
Mon 24th-28th Oct	HALF TERM School Closes Friday 21st and Reopens Mon 31st Oct
Wed 2nd-4th Nov	Year 6 Robinwood Residential
Thurs 10th Nov	EYFS Open Evening 3.45-6pm
Mon 14th Nov	Inset Day School Closed
Mon 14th-18th Nov	Anti-Bullying week
Tues 15th Nov	Flu Nasal Spray Reception to Year 6
Fri 18th Nov	Children In Need
Wed 23rd Nov	KS2 Cinema Night
Thurs 24th Nov	EY & KS1 Cinema Night
Thurs 1st Dec	Christmas Fair
Mon 5th Dec	KS1 Christmas Concert
Wed 7th Dec	KS2 Christmas Concert
Fri 9th Dec	EYFS Christmas Concert & Christmas Jumper Day
Mon 12th Dec	Year 1 & 2 Party
Tues 13th Dec	EYFS Party
Wed 14th Dec	Year 5 & 6 Party
Thurs 15th Dec	Year 3 & 4 Party
END OF TERM Friday 16th Dec	END OF TERM School Closes 2.00 pm

"WEAR YELLOW" FOR WORLD MENTAL HEALTH DAY

On Monday 10th October, children can come to School wearing something yellow to raise awareness of World Mental Health Day.



BLACK HISTORY MONTH

Mrs Riley led an assembly this week on Black History Month, where we recognised the achievements and contributions to society by black men and women including Nicola Adams, the boxer and Marcus Rashford, the Footballer.

PSHE AMBASSADORS – Our PSHE Leaders met with Mrs Knowles on Friday to discuss their new roles as PSHE Ambassadors.

PARENTS EVENINGS TUESDAY 18TH AND THURSDAY 20TH OCTOBER 2022

The results from the Parents Evening Questionnaire were 56% telephone appointments, 44% face to face appointments. So October's Parents Evening will be a telephone call home but our Parents Evening in March will be face to face in School.

Nursery Drop off and Pick up times

Could we remind parents that the opening times for Nursery are as follows:-
Drop off am Session 8.45am prompt Pick up am Session 11.45am prompt
Drop off pm Session 12.30pm prompt Collection pm Session 3.30pm prompt
If you arrive late for any of these sessions please go the main School Office.

CONGRATULATIONS!

Congratulations to Mrs Wheeler and Miss Grove for completing their ELSA (Emotional Literacy Support Assistant) Supervision Session this week. Thank you for all your hard work.

YEAR 1—NEWMILLERDAM VISIT

As part of their topic "Into the Wakefield Woods" Year 1 visited Newmillerdam last Thursday, where they spotted signs of Autumn, collected Autumnal objects for their art sculptures and enjoyed a lovely picnic in the woods.

CENSUS DAY DINNER - BUILD YOUR MEAL, YOUR WAY THURSDAY 6TH OCTOBER 2022

We are holding a themed dinner day tomorrow. Please go onto Feeding Hungry Minds to choose your child's dinner, the menu is: Pasta - Penne, Spaghetti or Fusilli, add your topping - Beef Bolognese, Ham Carbonara or Rich Tomato Sauce or ham or cheese sandwich or Jacket Potato with Beans and Cheese.

HARVEST FESTIVAL – Don't forget to request your tickets for your child's Harvest Festival Assembly

KS1 and Upper Foundation Assembly Thursday 20th Oct at 1.30 pm

KS2 Assembly Thursday 20th Oct at 2.15 pm

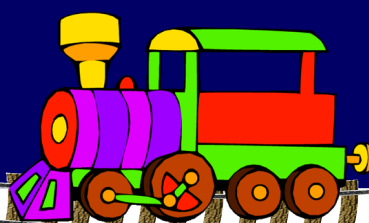
Please remember to send any donations you may have to School before Thursday 20th October, it would be greatly appreciated. Ideas for donations: any tinned food e.g. meat, fish, vegetables, fruit and soup, tinned stews/chilli, pasta, coffee and tea bags. We are donating all items to CAP (Community Awareness Programme).

Designated Safeguarding Leads - Mrs K Ashton (Headteacher), Mr D Benson (Deputy Headteacher), Mrs R Knowles (Assistant Head Teacher, SENCO & Early Years Foundation Leader), Safeguarding Governor - Mrs A Spiers (Chair of Governors - aspier@hendal.wakefield.sch.uk) If you have any concerns regarding the welfare of children you can contact Social Care Direct on 0345 850 3503

Attendance Tracking



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Class	Weekly Attendance
Llama (6A)	94.8%
Penguin (6B)	94.1%
Orca (5A)	98%
Falcon (5B)	98%
Zebra (4A)	95%
Koala (4B)	97.5%
Elephant (3A)	97.2%
Giraffe (3B)	97.3%
Toucan (2A)	99.6%
Flamingo (2B)	93.2%
Tiger (1A)	95.9%
Panda (1B)	93.8%
Lions 1 (UF1)	95%
Lions 2 (UF2)	94.8%

100% Class Attendance Non Uniform

Unfortunately there were no classes with 10% last week

ATTENDANCE

If a class gets 100% they are allowed to come in non school uniform the following Friday. Children love trying to achieve this and we would be grateful if you could support us with this.

ATTENDANCE CLASS LEADERS

1B	Half Term reward for extra playtime on last day of half term.
1B	Termly reward of a golden hour on last day of term.
1B	Whole School yearly reward of a visit by the Ice Cream van.

LATE ARRIVALS

8 children arrived late last week - this means that they lost valuable learning time and did not get the best possible start to the school day. Why not bring your child to our breakfast club to make sure they are at school ready to start lessons on time every day.

EVERY DAY COUNTS!

ATTENDANCE INDICATORS

Below 90%	Unacceptable persistent absence - serious cause for concern.
90-94.99%	Cause for concern - less chance of progression
95-97.99%	Satisfactory - room for improvement
98-99.99%	Good
100%	Excellent

Attendance as
at 30th September 2022
96.2% (Target 96%)

At Hendal Primary School we are dedicated to ensuring that each child has the opportunity to learn to the best of their ability and reach their full potential. To achieve this it is vital that children attend school every day, and arrive on time.

Star of the week

Class	Star of the Week	Class	Star of the Week
Llama (6A)	Kiera	Toucan (2A)	Yasmin
Penguin (6B)	Ella	Flamingo (2B)	Harper W
Orca (5A)	Max	Tiger (1A)	Ebony
Falcon (5B)	Max	Panda (1B)	Nyla
Zebra (4A)	Jessica	Lions (UF1)	Neive
Koala (4B)	Ethan	Lions (UF2)	Kiaan
Elephant (3A)	Lillie	Lion Cubs	Whole Class
Giraffe (3B)	Sara	Lion Cubs	Whole Class