

Wednesday 12th October 2022

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Newsletter

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CHILDREN'S VOICE

"We have been learning about the world, we live in Wakefield in England" Kaitlin UF1



Nasal Flu Immunisations



The Nasal Flu Immunisations will take place in school on Tuesday 15th November 2022 for Reception to Year 6 children. Don't forget to return your consent form to School, these will be collected by the NHS on 19th October 2022.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Tues 18th and Thurs 20th Oct	Parents Evenings
Thurs 20th Oct	Harvest Festival Assembly
Fri 21st Oct	Wear Red for "Show Racism the Red Card"
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 4-6pm
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
Tues 22nd Nov	EY & KS1 Cinema Night
Thurs 24th Nov	KS2 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

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).

SCHOOL STREETS TRIAL

We are taking part in consultations for a School Streets trial led by Wakefield Council. This trial will restrict traffic at drop-off and pick-up times to help traffic congestion as well as giving children the chance to get to school safely and will make the road safer for everyone. Thank you for taking the time to express your views and support via our Parentmail form. If you have any concerns or questions please get in touch with the School Streets Team at Wakefield Council by emailing schoolstreets@wakefield.gov.uk or phoning 0345 8506506.

PARENTS EVENINGS TUESDAY 18TH AND THURSDAY 20TH OCTOBER 2022

Our Parents evening consultations are taking place by telephone call by your class teacher next Tuesday and Thursday (also Wednesday for 3A) - If you have not booked your slot please do so through Parentmail or contact the School Office.

SAFETY IN PE LESSONS Please can we remind you that long hair needs to be tied up and no earrings should be worn for PE Lessons.



Year 4 enjoyed visiting the Bradford Hindu Temple last week. They got to experience traditional Hindu music and extend their understanding of the Hindu Religion.

Upper Foundation 1 and 2 had a fabulous time at Eureka, where they took part in a five senses Science Workshop linked to their topic "What makes me marvellous"



YEAR 6 ROBINWOOD RESIDENTIAL PARENTS MEETING

MONDAY 17TH OCTOBER 3.30PM

We are holding a meeting in 6B Miss Ward's classroom on Monday 17th October at 3.30 pm for parents of children who are going on the Robinwood Residential. At this meeting there will be an opportunity for you to ask any questions you may have.



PUNCTUALITY

We had 13 children arriving late to School last week, which is unacceptable.

Children need to be at their classroom door for 8.45 in Nursery and 8.50 am for all other classes.

Did you know that arriving only 5 minutes late every day adds up to over 3 days lost learning each year.

Nursery Drop off and Pick up times

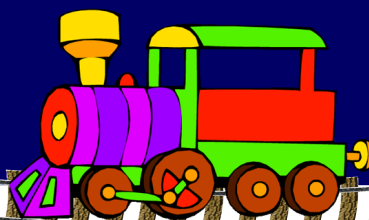
Could we remind parents that the opening times for Nursery are as follows:-
Drop off am Session 8.45am prompt Pick up am Session 11.45am prompt
Drop off pm Session 12.30pm prompt Collection pm Session 3.30pm prompt
If you arrive late for any of these sessions please go the main School Office.

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



Hendal Primary School
Belong, Aspire, Achieve.



Class	Weekly Attendance
Llama (6A)	92.9%
Penguin (6B)	95.2%
Orca (5A)	98.7%
Falcon (5B)	96%
Zebra (4A)	92%
Koala (4B)	96.7%
Elephant (3A)	94.5%
Giraffe (3B)	95.9%
Toucan (2A)	97.3%
Flamingo (2B)	97.8%
Tiger (1A)	95.9%
Panda (1B)	95%
Lions 1 (UF1)	96.7%
Lions 2 (UF2)	92.6%

100% Class Attendance Non Uniform

Unfortunately there were no classes with 100% 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

13 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
95.6% (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)	Arshia	Toucan (2A)	Matilda
Penguin (6B)	Ria	Flamingo (2B)	Bella
Orca (5A)	Rafael	Tiger (1A)	Kaelan
Falcon (5B)	Isaac	Panda (1B)	Lewis
Zebra (4A)	Favour	Lions (UF1)	Maddison
Koala (4B)	Ciara	Lions (UF2)	Mason
Elephant (3A)	Krishna	Lion Cubs	Whole Class
Giraffe (3B)	Joey	Lion Cubs	Whole Class