

Newsletter No. 02

21st September 2018

Dear Parents

Another wonderful week at Hawes Side Academy, routines are becoming well established and the children are learning extremely well in their classes. Thank you again for supporting us by ensuring your children arrive everyday promptly. I am delighted to say that our school attendance is above the national average for the third week in a row. Lots of children have received their first 'Golden Ticket' to recognise their 100% attendance this week. Sport is again high on the agenda at Hawes Side Academy as Coaches from BFC community trust joined our team this week and began teaching pupils in our KS2 along with running after school sports sessions.

After an intense interview schedule I am overjoyed to announce that from Year 6, Lewis and Alea have been made Head Boy and Girl and Maddison and Luke are Deputy Head Girl and Boy. They have many engagements coming up and I have no doubt they will represent the academy fabulously. I look forward to interviewing our Year 6 for the Spring term positions. The standard of the interviews was extremely high, well done to all the applicants. The quality of our Year 6 is further demonstrated by the large number of academy prefects we have installed at this early stage of the term. Keep up the great work Year 6!

Further improving reading is a key area for us this year at Hawes Side Academy, I am happy to announce that our school library is ready to go thanks to the work of Mrs Randles and her team of fantastic Year 6 librarians. We will keep you all informed of the many events we have planned to promote reading this academic year.

Have a lovely weekend. Look forward to seeing you all on Monday.

Mr Shepherd

Attendance – week ending 21 st September 2018		
Best Key Stage 1 class attendance	25	100%
Best Key Stage 2 class attendance	5S	99.4%
Most punctual Key Stage 1 class	RH, RA	1 late arrival each
Most punctual Key Stage 2 class	4H, 4S	0 late arrivals
Whole school attendance for the week		97%
Number of pupils late at least once during the week		49

It is expected that all schools will remain above 96.2% and, as you can see, we were above this level this week. Please make every effort to get your children into school as poor attendance is not only a barrier to progress but can leave the children with large gaps in their learning that can be very difficult to fill. Well done 2S for achieving 100% attendance this week.

To continue our quest for great attendance we are running a 'Golden Ticket' initiative whereby each week pupils who have 100% attendance will receive a 'Golden Ticket'. These tickets can be posted into the golden box in the library and a prize draw will take place at the end of each half-term.

At Hawes Side Academy it is our aim to promote 100% attendance so that our pupils have 100% chance of success during their time with us. *If a child is absent from school they are absent from learning!*

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Class	Effort Award	School Values Award (Respect, Resilience, Responsibility, Reconciliation, Reflection, Everyone Matters)	
1H	Freddie – For always finishing off pieces of work	Tilly – For showing respect by always being ready to listen	
15	Rory – For always being ready to learn and help others	Poppy – For always being respectful to others. A great listener	
1A	Angela – For always trying her best in everything she has done	Ruben – For demonstrating star manners and showing to adults and children all week	
2H	Stevie-Mae – For trying hard with her presentation	Jack – For being resilient in maths	
25	Mollie – For doing her best in all of her work, all week!	Harry – For being resilient in his writing about The Enormous Crocodile	
2A	Darcy – For approaching everything with great enthusiasm!	Oliver – For impeccable manners and respectful behaviour	
3H	Jack – For excellent effort in place value during maths	Dakota – For always being respectful to her teachers and classmates	
35	Alfie – For fantastic effort in maths	Skye – For always listening and following our classroom promise	
3A	Bethany – For excellent effort in maths on the place value of 3-digit numbers	Olly – For always being respectful towards other children and adults	
4H	Bobby – For always giving 100% in every lesson	Mikey – For setting a fantastic example to others in Year 4	
4S	Jayden – For excellent effort in all subjects and settling into his new class well	Harrison – For being kind and respectful and setting a good example for the rest of the class	
4A	Jorja – For always being enthusiastic and trying her hardest	Alexis – For settling into a new class really well and making lots of new friends	
5H	Eli – For fantastic effort for his new start	Marley – For responsible learning leading to assisting others learning (everyone matters)	
5S	Kaia – For always trying her best in all lessons	Luke – For being a responsible learner	
5A	Ryan – For superb effort in class and at home to improve his learning taking real ownership	Joshua – For being a fantastic leader in charge of his learning his resilience shown towards improving is phenomenal	
6H	Xander – For amazing maths work	Leon – For being resilient with his spellings	
6S	Oliver – For trying hard with his joined up handwriting	Mackenzie – For settling into Year 6 and working super hard	
6A	Joshua – For super stamina with reading	Isobel – For trying her best with learning	



Welcomes you to join us at our

OPEN EVENTS FOR ADMISSION 2019

Wednesday 10th October at 5.30 p.m. — Open Evening (Parents) Saturday 3rd November from 10.00 a.m. — Open Morning (All)

The events will provide all prospective new families who would like to join us from September 2019 the chance to come and see our academy and speak with our staff. Please feel free to contact us or visit our website for further information.

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Join our family

<u>Diary Dates</u> (correct at time of printing)

Year 6 SATs Meeting – Wednesday 26th September @ 3:30pm & 5:30pm

Macmillan Coffee Morning – Friday 28th September – 9:00 to 10:00am

Open Evening for 2019 September Intake – Parents only – Wednesday 10th October @ 5:30pm

Gazette Photographer – School Starters Supplement – Foundation Stage – Thursday 11th October @ 2:00pm

School closes for Autumn Half Term – Friday 19th October

(Foundation, Yrs 1 & 2 finish @ 3:15pm) (Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 @ 3:20pm)

School re-opens – Tuesday 30th October @ 8:50am

Open morning for 2019 September Intake – All Welcome – Saturday 3rd November @ 10:00am

School Nurses in to administer Flu Immunisation (Nasal Spray) – Foundation Stage to Year 5 – Wednesday 14th November (am)

> School closes for Christmas 2018 – Friday 21st December (Whole school finish @ 2:00pm)

School re-opens – Monday 7th January @ 8:50am

School closes for Spring Half Term – Friday 15th February (Foundation, Yrs 1 & 2 finish @ 3:15pm) (Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 @ 3:20pm)

School re-opens – Tuesday 26th February @ 8:50am

School closes for Easter Break 2019 – Friday 12th April (Whole school finish @ 2:00pm)

School re-opens – Tuesday 23rd April @ 8:50am

School closed for May Day – Monday 6th May 2019

Year 6 SATs – week commencing 13th May 2019

School closes for Summer Half Term – Friday 24th May (Foundation, Yrs 1 & 2 finish @ 3:15pm) (Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 @ 3:20pm)

School re-opens – Monday 10th June @ 8:50am

School closes for Summer Holidays 2019 – Friday 19th July 2019 (Whole school finish @ 2:00pm)

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