



Hawes Side Academy

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Dear Parents and Carers

We have all enjoyed being back in the academy this week after our half term break. I am pleased to say that the weather held out for us and we were able to take the children's individual photographs outside as we had hoped. We will share further information with you once they are ready for you to buy; we are glad that we have managed to do this as I know that many of the photographs will be precious gifts for loved ones that sadly you cannot see at the moment during this period of lockdown.

Please note, I have attached the holiday dates for the academic year 2021-2022 at the end of this newsletter. You will see that we have extended our Easter holiday to just over two weeks and reduced our usual two week break in May/June to just over a week. We have done this in line with the local authority holiday pattern and consequently, other schools in the area. We feel that you have had so much disruption in your lives recently we wanted to align with local schools as much as we could to support those of you who have to cater for children in different schools. To further support you during the coming year, we have made the decision to close the academy at the staggered times we are currently using at the end of the day for each term too. To clarify, there will be no early finish times for Christmas, Easter or July this year. We hope these measures help you during these challenging and unprecedented times.

I hope you all have a restful weekend and I look forward to seeing you all on Monday.

Take care and be safe

Mrs Boothroyd

Primary School Reception Application – September 2021 – If your child was born between 1st September 2016 and 31st August 2017, you must apply for a Primary School Reception place for September 2021. Blackpool Council are encouraging parents to apply for a school place online at: www.blackpool.gov.uk/schooladmissions. **The closing date for Primary School applications is 15th January 2021.** Applications received after the closing date will be processed after all those which are received on time. If you apply late this may reduce your chances of an offer for one of your preferred schools. If you wish to receive a paper application and information booklet these are available from schoolaccess@blackpool.gov.uk or telephone 01253 476637. For more information, please see flyer at the bottom of this newsletter. **PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE IT UNTIL THE LAST MINUTE TO APPLY.**

School Meals – From 16th November we will be launching a new online school meal ordering system which will allow you to choose meal options with your child in advance – we have uploaded key information regarding this to the website (see <https://www.hawes-side.co.uk/our-parents/our-meal-service>). All parents will be sent a login for this system over the next week in order to set up. Please note: all parents will need to login to this system to choose meals for their child(ren) regardless of year group.

Whilst at this stage lunches will still be taken in classrooms for safety reasons, next week we will trial the addition of some hot sandwiches to the range currently offered (see menu below).

We want to return to our usual service as soon as we can; please be assured that as soon as we feel we are able to offer meals in the dinner hall safely we will do so. This will be a phased return beginning with FS, Y1 and Y2.

Lockdown – Whilst we are in the National Lockdown we ask, more than ever, for your support in ensuring the safety of our community. Please continue to follow the one-way system, maintain social distancing and encourage cleanliness routines with your child.

We have updated our Risk Assessment and links to guidance on our academy website.

Your support is very much appreciated.

Name	Class	Value recognised	Values Certificate Comment
Clayton	RA	Relationships	For always being a kind friends and encouraging towards children when he is playing. Well done Clayton!
Payton	RA	Reflection	Payton has begun to make the correct choices with her behaviour and choices in the classroom. Well done Payton!
Freddie	RH	Resilience	Freddie has tried so hard with his writing. He is working so hard to form recognisable letters and he made Mr Sandwell say 'Wow' this week with his wonderful effort!
Ava	RH	Relationships	Ava is always keen to do the right thing. She is helpful and shows a wonderful kindness in dealing with her friends. She is a delight to know and teach.
Alannis	RS	Resilience	Alannis has completed many challenges independently.
Ethan	RS	Resilience	Ethan has worked really hard this week during our phonic lessons.
Addison	1A	Resilience	For an extra effort in maths and trying really hard with his number bonds to 10.
Braxton	1A	Resilience	For trying really hard with his sentences and showing great improvement.
Storm	1H	Responsibility	For always being ready to learn and trying her best at all times.
Ava	1H	Relationships	For always working well with different children in class.
Scarlett	1S	Resilience	Scarlett has tried especially hard in phonics this week and has really impressed all the grown ups in class! Well done
Colby-Lee	2A	Resilience	For persevering with maths that he found tricky
Evie	2A	Relationships	For always being kind and helping other members of the class.
Darwin	2A	Responsibility	For being a responsible member of the class, always helping to tidy up and taking care to look after our resources.
Lucas	2A	Respect	For always using his manners and active listening in class
Jaejay	2H	Resilience	Well done to Jaejay for trying his best with reading and demonstrating great resilience when coming across tricky words.
Oliver	2H	Resilience	Well done to Oliver for completing his work with total resilience, ensuring he is trying his best in all he does
Arthur	2S	Relationships	Arthur has really helped support other pupils who find building relationships with others challenging. Arthur has offered to play games with children who need a friend to join in with them and has done so without any hesitation. He's always willing to help others and is a brilliant role model to have in class.
Owen	2S	Resilience	Owen has worked really hard this week to ensure that he adopts a growth mindset. He has completed challenging tasks with a smile on his face whilst developing his confidence in asking for help.
Sophia	3A	Resilience	For being a role model for resilience. Sophia is conscientious and works extremely hard to produce her best work every day. Well done Sophia
Dexter	3A	Respect	For being a role model for respect. Dexter always shows kind and courteous manners towards others. Well done Dexter

Freddie	3H	Respect	For being being respectful, always demonstrating active listening and presenting all his work well.
Daisie	3H	Responsibility	For showing great responsibility when given jobs to do around the classroom and always making sure her work is completed to a high standard.
Dolly-Rae	3S	Relationships	For consistently being a polite and well-mannered member of the class that always wishes to contribute her skills.
Mason	3S	Resilience	For showing a tremendous amount of resilience through a difficult experience within class.
Ashton	4A	Respect	For always being ready to learn
Jacob	4A	Relationships	For always offering to help
Elysia	4H	Relationships	For always offering a helping hand to anyone who may need it.
Charlie	4H	Resilience	For his resilience and determination in learning column addition and subtraction
Mason	4S	Relationships	For settling in well to his new school and working hard to already form fantastic relationships with his peers.
Harry	4S	Respect	For always showing wonderful respect to everyone within school.
Ava	5A	Resilience	Ava has shown resilience in her lessons .
Ollie	5A	Reflection	Ollie has shown great reflection in thinking about his answers in science.
Lucas	5H	Responsibility	For being a kind, sensible and helpful member of the class.
Dakota	5H	Resilience	Doing fantastic work while working independently.
Lily	5S	Relationships	For being a good friend to everyone in the class.
Zara	5S	Relationships	For being such an excellent friend to someone in need.
Jorja	6A	Relationships	For showing super lovely acts of kindness.
Alecia	6A	Responsibility	For taking fantastic responsibility for her independent learning tasks.
Jay	6H	Resilience	For proving how determined he is to face any challenge with a smile
Lacey	6H	Respect	For always doing the right thing in class and being a fantastic role model to others
Theo	6S	Relationships	For shaking hand with others after things have gone wrong. What a fantastic role model for others!
Natalia	6S	Respect	For being respectful to everyone.



Brigade Clothing – Parents Direct Delivery - We are delighted to inform you that parents can now order school jumpers/cardigans directly from Brigade. Please see below their instructions on how to order.

HOW TO USE THIS SERVICE INSTRUCTIONS:

1. Log onto www.brigade.uk.com
2. Click on the parents click to order button
3. Enter your child’s school name
4. Select the school from the drop down list provided
5. Follow the online instructions to place your order

Free delivery on orders over £50.00 (parents clubbing orders together can take advantage of this)

£3.99 delivery fee applied for all orders under £50.00

IMPORTANT WASH CARE INSTRUCTIONS

Always refer to your garment care label to ensure that your uniform looks as good as new for as long as possible. We produce tough, hardwearing uniform; however it is important that you follow the care labels correctly to ensure you get the best out of your purchase.

Turn garments inside out to wash and dry

- Fasten any buttons before washing
- Do not overload machine
- Iron inside out on a cool setting to avoid heat damage, which can cause a shiny surface on fabrics (do not iron knitwear or cuffs and welts on sweatshirts)
- Bobbling/Pilling is caused by friction and excessive heat. It is also known within the British textile industry that fabric softeners are a major cause of bobbling/pilling of the fabric. Bobbling/pilling often disappears over time and is not a reflection on the quality of the garment.

HOW TO MEASURE YOUR CHILD

Measure the actual body measurements as this is far more accurate than measuring over clothes.

- **CHEST:** Measure around the chest at the fullest part, placing the tape close up under the arms.
- **COLLAR:** Measure around the base of the neck where the collar sits, inserting two fingers between the neck and tape to allow growth
- **WAIST:** Measure around the natural waistline.
- **TROUSER LENGTH:** Measure the inside leg from crotch to floor without shoes on.
- **HIPS:** Measure around your hips, 20cm (8") below your natural waistline.
- **SKIRT LENGTH:** Measure from the waist down to where you would want the hem
- **DRESS & PINAFORE LENGTH:** Measure from nape of neck to length required.

PRIMARY UNIFORM - SIZE COMPARISONS

Brigade Sweatshirts and Sweatshirt Cardigans/Polo Shirts/T-Shirts

Chest	22"	24"	26"	28"	30/32"	32"	34"
Age	2-3	3-4	5-6	7-8	9-11	10-11	12-13

TIES (For Primary and Senior Schools)

Tie Style/Size	9" – Elastic	12" – Clip on	14" – Clip on	16" – Clip on	39" – Tie	45" - Tie
School Age	Infant/Junior	Junior	Junior	Senior	Junior	Junior/Senior

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Term Dates – 2020/2021

	School Closes	School Opens
Autumn Terms 2020 starts		Wednesday 2 September 2020
Inset Day	Thursday 1 October 2020	Monday 5 October 2020
Autumn Half Term 2020	Friday 23 October 2020 <i>(Foundation, Yrs 1 & 2 @ 3.00 pm)</i> <i>(Yrs 3, 4, 5, & 6 @ 3.10 pm)</i>	Monday 2 November 2020
Christmas 2020	Thursday 17 December 2020 <i>(Foundation, Yrs 1 & 2 @ 3.00 pm)</i> <i>(Yrs 3, 4, 5, & 6 @ 3.10 pm)</i>	Monday 4 January 2021
Spring Half Term 2021	Friday 12 February 2021 <i>(Foundation, Yrs 1 & 2 @ 3.00pm)</i> <i>(Yrs 3, 4, 5, & 6 @ 3.10 pm)</i>	Monday 22 February 2021
Easter Break 2021	Friday 26 March 2021 <i>(Foundation, Yrs 1 & 2 @ 3.00 pm)</i> <i>(Yrs 3, 4, 5, & 6 @ 3.10 pm)</i>	Wednesday 7 April 2021
May Day 2021	Friday 30 April 2021 <i>(Foundation, Yrs 1 & 2 @ 3.00 pm)</i> <i>(Yrs 3, 4, 5, & 6 @ 3.10 pm)</i>	Tuesday 4 May 2021
Summer Half Term 2021	Friday 21 May 2021 <i>(Foundation, Yrs 1 & 2 @ 3.00 pm)</i> <i>(Yrs 3, 4, 5, & 6 @ 3.10 pm)</i>	Monday 7 June 2021
Summer 2021	Tuesday 20 July 2021 <i>(Foundation, Yrs 1 & 2 @ 3.00 pm)</i> <i>(Yrs 3, 4, 5, & 6 @ 3.10 pm)</i>	

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	School Closes <i>(Foundation, Yrs 1, 2 & siblings @ 3.00 pm)</i> <i>(Yrs 3, 4, 5, & 6 @ 3.10 pm)</i>	School Opens <i>(Siblings @ 8:40am)</i> <i>(Rest of school @ 8:50am)</i>
Autumn Terms 2021 starts		Thursday 2 September 2021
Inset Day <i>(Friday 1 October)</i>	Thursday 30 September 2021	Monday 4 October 2021
Autumn Half Term 2021	Friday 22 October 2021	Monday 1 November 2021
Christmas 2021	Friday 17 December 2021	Wednesday 5 January 2022
Spring Half Term 2022	Friday 11 February 2022	Monday 21 February 2022
Easter Break 2022	Friday 1 April 2022	Tuesday 19 April 2022
May Day 2022 <i>(Monday 2 May 2022)</i>	Friday 29 April 2022	Tuesday 3 May 2022
Summer Half Term 2022	Friday 27 May 2022	Tuesday 7 June 2022
Summer 2022	Thursday 21 July 2022	

Blackpool Adult, Community and Family Learning

Family Learning Workshops

Join us and learn more about how to support your children's learning
90 minute online workshops and access to downloadable resources

Step into School Find out how children learn in Reception and how to support learning through everyday activities	Wednesday 4 November 12.30-2.00
Fun with Phonics Find out how children learn to read and write using phonics and how to support learning at home through fun activities	Thursday 5 November 12.30-2.00
Now We're Back at School Tips to support children's emotional wellbeing and help them to be happy and confident at school and at home	Tuesday 10 November 12.30-2.00
Fun with Maths Find out more about how your children learn maths skills and fun ways to help your child with maths in Year 1 and 2	Wednesday 11 November 12.30-2.00
Fun with Writing Find out more about how your children learn and fun ways to help your child with writing skills in Year 1 and 2	Thursday 12 November 12.30-2.00

To book or for more information: ☎ 01253 478131 ✉ adult.learning@blackpool.gov.uk
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SCHOOL ADMISSIONS – SEPTEMBER 2021

PRIMARY APPLICATIONS

If your child was born between **1st September 2016** and **31st August 2017**, you must apply for a Primary School Reception place for September 2021. **(Applications are required for all children with a 4th birthday between 1st September 2020 and 31st August 2021).**

SECONDARY APPLICATIONS

If your child is in the final year of primary education (Year 6), you must apply for a Secondary School Year 7 place for September 2021. **(Applications are required for all children who are in their final year at a primary school).**

If you live in Blackpool (pay council tax to Blackpool) –

**APPLY FOR A SCHOOL PLACE ON-LINE AT:
www.blackpool.gov.uk/schooladmissions**

Before you complete and submit your application you are advised to read Blackpool Council's guide for parents at: www.blackpool.gov.uk/schooladmissions

The on-line system offers a quick and secure means of applying for places. Paper applications and information booklets are available from schoolaccess@blackpool.gov.uk or telephone **01253476637**.

CLOSING DATES FOR APPLICATIONS FOR SEPTEMBER 2021

PRIMARY APPLICATIONS – BY 15TH JANUARY 2021
SECONDARY APPLICATIONS – BY 31ST OCTOBER 2020

Applications received after the closing dates will be processed after all those which are received on time. If you apply late this may reduce your chances of an offer for one of your preferred schools.

PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE IT UNTIL THE LAST MINUTE!

If you pay your council tax to Wyre or Fylde then you will need to access Lancashire's on-line application system at www.lancashire.gov.uk You can still express preferences for Blackpool schools on Lancashire's application system.

www.blackpool.gov.uk

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New Menu from Monday, 09 November 2020

Monday 09

Handmade Pizza Margherita (V)

Bread Roll (cheese or ham)

Carrot Sticks (picnic)

Easy Peeler

Shortbread (sultana)

Tuesday 10

Beefburger in a Bun

Baguette (choice of fillings) CPU/POD

Crumbed Vegetable Burger in a Bun (VG)

Cucumber Sticks (picnic)

Frubes Yogurt Tube

Vanilla Sponge (concept)

Wednesday 11

Cheese & Tomato melts

Wrap (choice of fillings) Cheese or Ham

Ham and Cheese Melts

Mixed Pepper Sticks (picnic)

Apple

Crispy Biscuits

Thursday 12

Pork Sausage Sandwich

Baguette (choice of fillings) CPU/POD

Vegetarian Sausage Sandwich

Carrot Sticks (picnic)

Frubes Yogurt Tube

Lemon Sponge (concept)

Friday 13

Fish Finger Wrap

Sandwich (Choice of Fillings) V0

Cucumber Sticks (picnic)

Banana

