

Hawes Side Academy

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Newsletter No. 09

5th November 2021

Dear Parents and Carers

This week we have been learning about UK Parliament. Throughout the week pupils have learnt about how parliament is structured and the type of issues which are discussed and how we can all have our say. Through assemblies and classroom activities our children have had the opportunity to take part in a vote with their very own polling station. Whilst the pupils were clearly excited to be offered the opportunity to experience voting, they were even more excited to learn that they would also get the opportunity to meet with Scott Benton MP. He held a special audience with our

Y5/6 pupils giving them an opportunity to ask their own questions and find out even more about the latest campaigns and how everyone's voice matters to influence change.

After the success of our previous Family Learning session, this is a reminder that Y2 Family Learning will begin next week. This is a 4-week course called 'Nature Detectives' and it starts Tuesday 9th November 9am-11am. Places are limited so please book your place by filling in the form at https://bit.ly/FLNatureDetectives. Due to health and safety we are unable to accommodate younger siblings at these sessions. Further details are on the flyer at end of this newsletter.

Following on from the success of the space competition, Dolce Catering are now asking children to take part in a Snowman Competition with the chance of winning a Nintendo

Switch. To enter, your child needs to create an A4 Snowman picture using paint, crayons or chalk (please do not use glitter or cotton wool). Please write your child's name, age and Hawes Side Academy on the back of picture. Once completed, the children need to hand their picture into Miss Simon, our school cook, before **12**th **November 2021**. Two entries from each school will be chosen and sent to Dolce who will announce a nationwide winner. Again, there is a flyer at the end of this newsletter for further information.

Have a wonderful weekend everyone and we look forward to seeing you on Monday.

Mrs Boothroyd

Relationships Respect Resilience Reflection Responsibility

<u>Poppy Appeal</u> – We still have quite a few poppies available in school. If you wish your child to buy a Poppy please send them in with a 20p donation. We also have available other Poppy Appeal merchandise (please see picture). If you wish to purchase any of these items please call into the school office before Thursday 11th November. As we do not have a price list for these items might we suggest a donation of at least £1. Thank you.



<u>Polite Notice</u> – Could I please remind parents that due to Health & Safety and many children being frightened of dogs, it is our school policy that <u>no dogs</u> are allowed on school premises. Thank you for your co-operation in this matter.

<u>YOUR CHILD'S ANNUAL FLU VACCINATION (NASAL SPRAY)</u> – The School Age Vaccination Team will be in school on Thursday 18th November to give the nasal flu spray to all those pupils with parental consent.

Please could we remind parents, if they haven't done so yet, to complete or decline for their child/children.

The link to consent or decline is: www.bthimmunisations.co.uk and enter your school code **BP138538** – please complete the form before www.bthimmunisations.co.uk and enter your school code **BP138538** – please complete the form before www.bthimmunisations.co.uk and enter your school code **BP138538** – please complete the form before www.bthimmunisations.co.uk and enter your school code <a href="https://www.b

Thank you.

Blackpool Teaching Hospitals School Age Vaccination Team

Pupil First Name	Class	Value Recognised	Values Certificate Comment	
Lacey	RH	Relationships	For being a kind and supportive friend when another child was upset.	
Alfie	RH	Resilience	For continued improvement during write away.	
			Carter worked well today and completed several of our class challenges.	
Carter	RS	Respect	He was very helpful during tidy up time.	
Seth	RS	Resilience	Seth did some excellent blending and segmenting today.	
			Teddy has been doing well with his early writing. He has been trying his	
Teddy	RA	Resilience	best to hold the pencil correctly and make an impression on the paper!	
			George has taken well to carrying out his classroom job. He is efficient and	
George	RA	Responsibility	always tries his very best. Super-duper George!	
			Aryan has been working really hard in maths breaking numbers into part-	
Aryan	1H	Resilience	part-whole. Well done Aryan!	
			Leo always shows respectful manners to his friends and adults around	
Leo	1H	Respect	school, setting a wonderful example to others. Well done Leo!	
Angel	15	Resilience	For independently doing some fantastic Autumn writing.	
Emma	15	Resilience	For super writing about Autumn.	
			Oscar is always respectful towards others, using beautiful manners at all	
Oscar	1A	Respect	times.	
			Oliver has shown great resilience and determination this week completing	
Oliver-Bailey	1A	Resilience	some fantastic pieces of writing in all areas of the curriculum.	
Ava	2H	Responsibility	For an excellent presentation to the class after her school council meeting.	
Bianka	2H	Resilience	For making a fantastic castle in DT and including lots of details.	
Isio	2S	Respect	For always trying her hardest.	
Oscar	2S	Relationships	For helping others with their reading.	
			For demonstrating resilience with his handwriting. Your hard work has	
Max	2A	Resilience	been paying off, well done!	
			For demonstrating resilience by practicing your joined-up handwriting at	
Maia	2A	Resilience	home. Well done Maia, we're very proud!	
Keegan	3H	Resilience	For showing determination in his lessons.	
Mia	3H	Responsibility	For being responsible for her own learning and helping others.	
			For showing resilience in maths when adding and subtracting. Faith listens	
			carefully to advice then works on this to build on her understanding. Keep	
Faith	3S	Resilience	up the super work Faith!	
			For showing fantastic active listening and always trying his very best. Well	
Louis	3S	Respect	done Louis!	
			Alexis enjoyed learning about Guy Fawkes and wrote a great story about	
Alexis	3A	Responsibility	'The Gunpowder Plot'.	
			Isaac is a responsible, hardworking and kind member of the class. He excels	
Isaac	3A	Responsibility	at everything he does! He has the perfect mindset for learning!	
			Alfie has been working really hard in maths this week and has done an	
Alfie	4H	Resilience	excellent job at converting measurements.	

4H	Respect	Anna is a fantastic active listener and always tries her best at all she does.		
		For showing fantastic responsibility within school and taking greater		
45	Responsibility	responsibility for his learning.		
		For showing greater resilience within her work, allowing her to make		
4S	Resilience	fantastic progress this half term so far!		
		Fantastic responsible learning at all times throughout the school day.		
4A	Responsibility	Amazing learner.		
		Amazing mathematical learning. Very resilient and always challenging		
4A	Resilience	himself.		
5H	Respect	Fantastic effort in Musical Theatre this week.		
		Constantly putting his hand up and taking part in class discussions, great		
5H	Responsibility	effort.		
5S	Responsibility	For asking great scientific questions.		
5S	Responsibility	For fantastic poetry work.		
		Freya has worked really hard during her Mandarin lessons since the start		
5A	Resilience	of the year and is showing very good progress.		
		Tyler has shown great resilience in his swimming lessons and this week had		
		a big achievement of moving into the larger pool and completing full		
5A	Resilience	widths.		
6H	Resilience	Working hard in Maths and trying new challenges with a positive attitude.		
		For being a fantastic representative of the school council during Parliament		
6H	Responsibility	Week.		
		For recognising how perseverance and determination are fantastic skills to		
6S	Responsibility	help with learning - Well done Lena!		
6S	Relationships	For showing kindness and compassion towards others - Thank you Zara!		
6A	Responsibility	For being responsible in his approach to learning and always giving 100%.		
		For being resilient in maths and never giving up even though it may be		
6A	Resilience	difficult.		
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<u>School Admissions – September 2022</u>

<u>Primary Applications</u> – If your child was born between **1st September 2017** and **31st August 2018**, you must apply for a Primary School Reception place for September 2022. (Applications are required for all children with a 4th birthday between 1st September 2021 and 31st August 2022). **Closing date for applications – 15th January 2022.**

<u>Secondary Applications</u> – 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 2022. (Applications are required for all children who are in their final year at a primary school). **Closing date for applications – 31**st **October 2021.**

If you live in Blackpool (pay council tax to Blackpool) you need to 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 01253 476637.

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.

PLEASE DO NOT LEAVE IT UNTIL THE LAST MINUTE!

Diary Dates (Correct at time of printing)

Annual Flu Vaccination (Nasal Spray) - Thursday 18th November 2021

Non-Uniform Day – Friday 17th December 2021

Christmas 2021 – School closes on Friday 17th December 2021 @ 2:00pm (Whole school)

School re-opens - Wednesday 5th January 2022 @ 8:50am

Open Evening for children starting school September 2022 – Thursday 6th January 2022 @ 4:00pm-6:00pm

Non-Uniform Day - Friday 11th February 2022

Spring Half Term 2022 – School closes on Friday 11th February 2022 (Foundation, Yrs 1 & 2 @ 3:15 pm)

(Yrs 3, 4, 5, & 6 @ 3:20 pm)

School re-opens - Monday 21st February 2022 @ 8:50am

Non-Uniform Day – Friday 1st April 2022

Easter Break 2022 – School closes on Friday 1st April 2022 @ 2:00pm (Whole school)

School re-opens – Tuesday 19th April 2022 @ 8:50am

May Day – Monday 2nd May – School closed all day (open as normal Tuesday 3rd May @ 8:50am)

Non-Uniform Day – Thursday 26th May 2022

Summer Half Term 2022 – School closes on Thursday 26th May 2022
(Foundation, Yrs 1 & 2 @ 3:15 pm)
(Yrs 3, 4, 5, & 6 @ 3:20 pm)

School re-opens - Tuesday 7th June 2022 @ 8:50am

Non-Uniform Day – Thursday 21st July 2022

School closes for Summer Holidays – Thursday 21st July 2022 @ 2:00pm (Whole school)

Please note the term dates have been amended to include the additional holiday awarded in recognition of Her Majesty the Queen's Platinum Jubilee celebrations

Hawes Side Academy Term Dates – 2022/2023									
	School Closes		School Opens						
Autumn Terms 2022 starts			Monday	5 September 2022					
Inset Day (Monday 3 October)	Friday	30 September 2022	Tuesday	4 October 2022					
Autumn Half Term 2022	Friday	21 October 2022	Monday	31 October 2022					
Christmas 2022	Tuesday	20 December 2022	Thursday	5 January 2023					
Spring Half Term 2023	Friday	10 February 2023	Monday	20 February 2023					
Easter Break 2023	Friday	31 March 2023	Monday	17 April 2023					
May Day 2023 (Monday 1 May)	Friday	28 April 2023	Tuesday	2 May 2023					
Summer Half Term 2023	Wednesday	24 May 2023	Monday	5 June 2023					
Summer 2023	Friday	21 July 2023							







Adult, Community and Family Learning

Nature Detectives course for Year 2 families



Take part in fun activities with your child based on a nature theme

- Discover ways to support your child's learning
 - Find out what your child learns at school
 - Make a scrap book with your child
 - Children join in last part of every session

Free 4 week course starting

<u>Tuesday 9th November 9-11am</u>

at Hawes Side Academy

Book your place by filling in the form at https://bit.ly/FLNatureDetectives

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