



Hawes Side Academy

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Newsletter No. 14

10th December 2021

Dear Parents and Carers

We have had a lovely week this week and am so pleased that we were able to hold our Foundation Stage performances. A big thank you to all the families that attended and supported the measures we put in place to enable this to happen. It was wonderful watching the children sing and they did a fantastic job, it certainly felt like the start of Christmas!

Our Year 2 nativities are being held next week using the same measures we put in place for Foundation Stage. We would like to thank the families who will be attending in advance for supporting us with this so that we can hold these nativities 'in person'. Should anything change in the meantime that would prevent this from happening we will let you know.

I am excited to share that Mrs Harris will be hosting our Christmas Community Café on Tuesday 13th at 3.00pm outside in front of the Year 1 classrooms. Whilst enjoying a hot drink and festive treat to eat, Year 4 will be singing some Christmas songs to continue the Christmas spirit!

It is going to be an exciting week next week, please don't forget that school closes for the Christmas break on Friday at 2.00pm. The children can come in non-uniform or their Christmas jumpers on that day.

We look forward to seeing you all on Monday for our final week of the term.

Mrs Boothroyd

Relationships Respect Resilience Reflection Responsibility

Tree Planting – This week, Year 4 have worked closely with Charlotte from Myerscough College. The children were given the opportunity to ask questions, explore nature and even plant their own tree which we hope will grow as big as 15-30ft and form a fantastic outdoor learning space for our children to use!

The children were incredibly excited to go outside and start planting. Despite the rainy weather, they didn't let this stop them from getting stuck in and learning about their environment.

Mr Fleckney



Cycling Skills – Our Foundation Stage children have been offered the opportunity to practise their cycling skills. Active Blackpool started their sessions this week with the aim to improve the children’s co-ordination skills, safety awareness and spatial awareness. The children have enjoyed cycling immensely - just take a look at all their faces!



Elf Run 2021 – Thursday 16th December 2021 - Thank you to those of you who have purchased elf hats for our Elf run this week. These will be given to the pupils on the mornings of the runs. The monies collected are paid directly to Trinity along with any donations made on the day. If you missed out on purchasing a hat, please don't worry, all children will take part in the run and we will be collecting donations for this great cause on the day.

We are looking forward to some elf fun!

Thank you in advance for your continued support.



Parking – It has been brought to our attention by some parents that there was an altercation at the back of school one morning this week involving a driver and a pedestrian whose child had almost been hit by the car. Discussion got a little overheated and strong language used. Although the academy has no authority when it comes to parking out on the streets we would like to appeal to all drivers who are bringing children to school that they park in a safe place, adhering to the highway code. Incidents like these also upset our children and so we are therefore asking, for the safety of our children and for the respect of our neighbours, that drivers ensure that they park safely and legally. Thank you for your co-operation with this matter.

Pupil First Name	Class	Value Recognised	Values Certificate Comment
Millie	RH	Reflection	For listening well during sound steps and using her knowledge learnt in her writing during the provision.
Thomas	RH	Relationships	For encouraging his friends to be more creative and work as a team to create objects using junk modelling.
Raven	RS	Resilience	For showing resilience when writing sentences.
Dolores	RS	Resilience	For showing resilience and trying her best in all she does.
Jakob	RA	Reflection	Jakob is making a tremendous effort to follow his active listening rules! He is doing really well and is beginning to follow instructions much quicker. Well done Jakob!
Layla	RA	Relationships	Layla has been caring for her friends and helping them out. Well done Layla!
Rory	1H	Resilience	Rory has shown great determination with his speaking and listening, using sentence stems to help him speak clearly and fluently. Well done Rory!

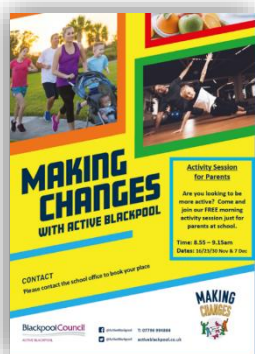
Delilah	1H	Resilience	For dancing and performing for other members of the class in PE! Well done for being so brave!
Archer	1S	Responsibility	For always being ready to learn and setting a great example to others.
Evie	1S	Relationships	For always being kind and helpful towards others.
Paige	1A	Reflection	Paige has been reflecting on her learning in maths over the last few weeks to help explain how she has solved some tricky problems. Well done Paige!
Amelia	1A	Respect	Amelia has been a great role model for others, listening to other members of her class and waiting patiently for her turn to talk.
Class 2H	2H	Responsibility	For putting in lots of effort into their Nativity performance.
Ruben	2H	Resilience	For putting lots of effort into his dancing and singing in the Nativity performance.
Eliza-Rae	2S	Resilience	Eliza-Rae has worked really hard to improve her handwriting and leave consistent finger spaces. Well done Elisa-Rae!
Jake	2S	Responsibility	Jake has showed great responsibility this week, doing extra jobs to help ensure the class is tidy.
Leo	2A	Responsibility	For demonstrating a great level of responsibility with his learning about the Victorians. It's lovely to see your enthusiasm for learning.
Lily-Mae	2A	Resilience	Well done Lily-Mae for working very hard to use your phonics in your sentence writing.
Layla	3H	Relationships	For being a great learning partner and supporting her team mates.
Alexander	3H	Responsibility	For being hard working and encouraging others in their learning.
Harley	3S	Resilience	For trying hard in maths finding the multiplication and division fact families.
Riley	3S	Resilience	For trying hard to improve his handwriting. Keep it up Riley!
Clarke	3A	Responsibility	Clarke has been trying really hard this week with his writing. He wrote all about the life cycle of a butterfly.
Tommy	3A	Responsibility	Tommy has been making all the correct choices in the classroom this week. He has had a great week of learning.
Jessica	4H	Resilience	Jessica has been working hard in her violin lessons and exams and performed beautifully for the class this week.
Daisie	4H	Resilience	Daisie has been working extremely hard at her times tables and has become a multiplication wizz!
Poppy	4S	Responsibility	For always taking fantastic responsibility for her work and striving to make it the best she can!
Presley	4S	Relationships	For always being a kind and caring friend, whilst going out of her way to look after all those around her!
Olivia	4A	Respect	For always demonstrating active listening and being ready for learning.
Ruben	4A	Resilience	For great resilience and confidence when approaching challenges in maths.
TT COCO MELONS	5H	Responsibility	Fantastic effort in their Isaac Newton presentation.
TROPICAL TREES	5H	Responsibility	Fantastic effort in their Isaac Newton presentation.
Ollie	5S	Resilience	For working so hard in all areas of school and particularly in maths!
Lilly	5S	Relationships	For always helping peers and putting other people before herself. You are a really kind friend!
Connor	5A	Resilience	Connor worked really well during our DT day and focused on his sewing skills to create a lovely Karen Rose inspired star.

Keisha	5A	Responsibility	Keisha has been working really hard both in and out of school, in her own time she has created a fantastic scrap book about the constellations in space.
Lily	6H	Resilience	For working hard in lessons, completing all her tasks and challenging herself.
Coby	6H	Respect	For being a respectful member the Hawes Side Community and always happy to help others.
Alfie	6S	Responsibility	For working so hard with his learning and making great contributions in class! Well done Alfie!
Leon	6S	Resilience	For showing resilience and trying super hard to come into school with a smile on his face! Well done Leon - keep going!
Tyler	6A	Responsibility	For taking responsibility for his own learning and giving 100%.
Frankie	6A	Resilience	For always trying hard in everything she does and never giving up.

Year 2 Nativity Performances - As you may be aware, your child has been rehearsing for their class Nativity performance. Performance dates are as follows: Class 2H - Monday 13th December 2:45pm-3:15pm. Class 2S - Wednesday 15th December 2:45pm-3:15pm and Class 2A - Thursday 16th December 2:45pm-3:15pm.

On the day of your child's performance please send your child into school with a black top and black pants in a plastic bag with their name on. If your child is an angel please bring a white top and light-coloured tights instead. This is to be changed into and worn under their costume.

Making Changes programme - FREE HEALTH AND FITNESS PROGRAMME!!!



In January, the Making Changes sessions will be on a Tuesday afternoon: 3:30pm until 4.30pm. During this hour, you and your child/children will learn all about health and wellbeing. You'll learn many things including information on portion sizes, eating a balanced diet, food groups, hydration, wellbeing and the benefits of being active.

To book a place please contact the school office. As places are limited – 6/8 families, allocations will be made on a first-come-first served basis.

School Admissions – September 2022

Primary Applications – 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.**

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 2022. (Applications are required for all children who are in their final year at a primary school). **Closing date for applications – 31st 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)

Class 2H Nativity – Monday 13th December – 2:45pm-3:15pm

(Please note: we ask that parents/carers wear face masks)

Family Learning Christmas Workshop – Foundation Stage – Tuesday 14th December – 9:15am-11:15am

(Please see flyer at the end of this Newsletter for booking information)

Community Café – Tuesday 14th December – 3:00pm-3:30pm

(more information on flyer further down in this newsletter)

Year 4 Christmas Singing (outside) – Tuesday 14th December – 3:00pm-3:30pm

Class 2S Nativity – Wednesday 15th December – 2:45pm-3:15pm

(Please note: we ask that parents/carers wear face masks)

Class 2A Nativity – Thursday 16th December – 2:45pm-3:15pm

(Please note: we ask that parents/carers wear face masks)

Elf Run 2021 – Thursday 16th December 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****

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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		

Christmas Community

Café

Tuesday 14th December

3.00 – 3.30

(Under the community shelter: front playground)

Come and join us for some festive fun

Munch on a mince pie or yule log

while sipping on

a hot chocolate before

you pick up the children

Christmas spirit

Christmas carols

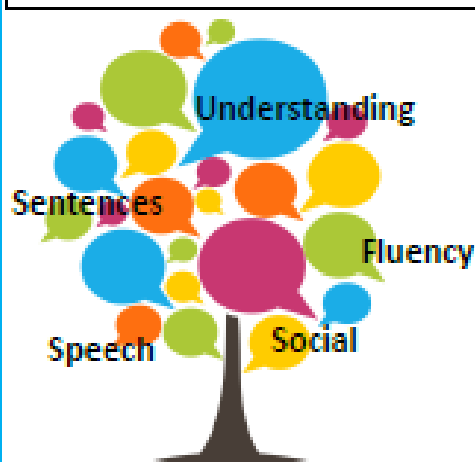
Christmas fun



Telephone drop in service

Due to the Covid-19 pandemic, our drop-in clinics are currently replaced by a telephone advice service. Families can contact us to request advice and will be offered a 15 minute telephone appointment to discuss their concerns and decide whether any further support is needed. Please continue to use the guidelines below to help you determine whether this service or a referral would be best for the child.

Telephone drop-in	Refer a child to speech and language therapy
Mild Speech Clarity concerns (Speech sounds)	Significant concerns with clarity of speech
Mild - moderate Language Delay	Significant concerns with use and understanding of language
Stammering – children up to age 7 (consider parent only)	Social skills / Interaction
Quality of voice	Stammering – 8 years +
Attention and listening	Attention and listening and Auditory Processing



More information can be found at:

www.bfwh.nhs.uk/childrens (select speech and language from the 'our service' menu).

Parents/carers can request a telephone appointment by contacting us on 01253 951101

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.

Washing symbols and their meaning

Always check the label!!



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PARENT ENQUIRIES EMAIL: sales@brigade.uk.com

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IMPORTANT SUMMER HOLIDAY ORDER INFORMATION
Place your order before **1st August** for delivery before the start of term

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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

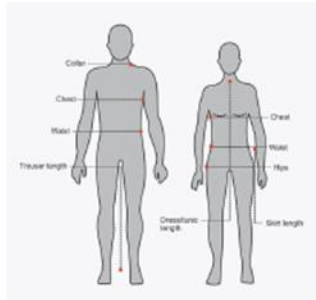
WAIST: Measure around the natural waistline.

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.



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 INFORMATION ON SUMMER HOLIDAY ORDERS

July to September is a busy time for ALL uniform providers!

Place your order BEFORE 1st August for delivery before the start of term

We cannot guarantee orders placed after this date will be delivered in time for the start of the new term.

ORDER SATURDAY OR SUNDAY FOR FASTER DELIVERY!

PRIMARY UNIFORM - SIZE COMPARISONS

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

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

Knitwear Jumpers (Acrylic, 50/50 and Contrast Stripe)

Chest	22"	24"	26"	28"	30"	32"	34"	36"
Age	2-3	3-4	5-6	7-8	9-10	11-12	13-14	15-16

Blazers

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

PE Shirts

Waist	14/16"	18/22"	22/24"	26/28"	30/32"
Age	3-4	5-6	7-8	9-11	12-13

PLEASE NOTE: The sizing comparisons are for guidance only and are NOT applicable to all our products.

SENIOR UNIFORM - SIZE COMPARISONS

Blazers

Chest	28"	30"	32"	34"	36"	38"	40"	42"	44"	46"	48"	50"
Age	7-8	9-10	11-12	13-14	15-16							
Female	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	24	26	28
Male					XS	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL	4XL

Knitwear Jumpers (Acrylic, 50/50 and Contrast Stripe)

Chest	28"	30"	32"	34"	36"	38"	40"	42"	44"	46"
Male	7-8	9-10	11-12	XS	S	M	L	XL	2XL	3XL
Female	6	8	10	12	14	16	18	20	22	24

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

Chest	28"	30"	30/32"	32"	34"	36"	38/40"	42/44"	46/48"
Age/Size	7-8	9-10	9-11	10-11	12-13	S	M	L	XL

PE Shirts

Waist	22/24"	26/28"	30/32"	34/36"	38/40"	42/44"
Age/Size	7-8	9-11	12-13	S	M	L

TIES (For Primary and Senior Schools)

Tie Style/Size	Elastic	9"	Clip on	12"	14"	16"	Tie	39"	45"	52"
School Age		Inf/Jr		Junior	Junior	Senior		Junior	Jun/Sen	Senior

Christmas workshop for Foundation Stage families



**Join the Family Learning team for fun
Christmas crafts and activities**

- Find out what your child learns at school
- Work with your child and help their learning
 - Discover more about Family Learning
 - Meet other parents

**Tuesday 14th December 9.15-11.15am
at Hawes Side Academy**

Book your place by filling in the form at

<https://bit.ly/FLChristmas21>

Due to health and safety we are unable to accommodate younger siblings in the session