



Dear Parents

On Monday we begin our new approach to the teaching of English (Success for All) which we are all very excited about. A great deal of work has gone into staff training and organising 'stage not age' groups and this will represent a change to the way English is currently taught. The children will move into groups across their key stage for 90 minutes each day and we are confident that this new system will have a significant impact on the children's learning outcomes. In order for us to get the most out of this programme it is crucial that children are in school by 9.00am as the Success for All lessons will begin each day at 9.05am. The training and trial sessions to date suggest this exciting new approach will be hugely beneficial however, it would be very difficult for children who arrive late to catch up with any lost learning. As previously reported there is further information about Success for All on the website and a parents' workshop is planned for later this term.

*Mr Shepherd*

**Year 6 - Head Boy, Head Girl and Deputies** – I am delighted to announce that Dylan and Milly are our Head Boy and Head Girl and Harvey and Jasmine are Deputy Head Boy and Girl for the spring term. It was, once again, an extremely difficult decision to make as all the applicants were very strong and interviewed well. Many thanks to all those Year 6 pupils who applied for the positions. Our thanks go to our retiring Head Boy and Head Girl Lewis and Alea and Deputies Luke and Maddison for carrying out their duties efficiently during the autumn term.

**School Choir (Key Stage 2)** – Apologies for the error in last week's newsletter. Choir practice will resume on Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> February, 3.20pm-4.15pm and will be held in the small hall. This term we will be learning 'songs from the shows'.

**Attendance – week ending 25<sup>th</sup> January 2019**

Best Key Stage 1 class attendance	1A	98.7%
Best Key Stage 2 class attendance	4H	97.3%
Most punctual Key Stage 1 class	RS, 2H	3 late arrivals each
Most punctual Key Stage 2 class	4S	1 late arrivals
Whole school attendance for the week		94%
Number of pupils late at least once during the week		82

**It is expected that all schools will remain above 96.2% and, as you can see, we are below 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.**

**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!***

Class	Effort Award	School Values Award (Respect, Resilience, Responsibility, Reconciliation, Reflection, Everyone Matters)
1H	<b>Oliver</b> – For listening very well to stories	<b>Millie</b> – For showing respect by always being ready to listen
1S	<b>Scarlett</b> – For trying extremely hard with her reading	<b>Presley</b> – For always being responsible and working hard
1A	<b>Lily-Rose</b> – For her efforts in phonics and reading	<b>Poppy</b> – For being a good friend and practicing her reconciliation skills
2H	<b>Lewis</b> – For trying hard in English	<b>Poppy</b> – For always being kind and helpful to others
2S	<b>Cody</b> – For some great predictions when reading 'The Magic Paintbrush'	<b>Mark</b> – For being encouraging and helping his team mates

2A	<b>Leon</b> – For self-correcting himself when reading	<b>Sian</b> – For always being ready to learn and being an excellent role model
3H	<b>Courtney</b> – For super effort with her 5 times tables work	<b>Sasha</b> – For making sure everyone matters and including everyone in her English teamwork
3S	<b>Bella</b> – For putting in 100% effort in maths. <b>Ethan</b> – For fantastic reading and writing. Well done	<b>Skye</b> – For being respectful of the classroom environment
3A	<b>Logan</b> – For excellent effort multiplying in maths	<b>Poppy</b> – For always being kind and respectful towards others
4H	<b>Bobby</b> – For making every effort to concentrate on his learning	<b>Amelia</b> – For being a co-operative learner and helping others
4S	<b>Natasha</b> – For excellent understanding of using the grid method for multiplication in maths	<b>Harrison</b> – For being a caring member of class 4S who thinks of others and not just himself
4A	<b>Paige</b> – For making the effort to be a great team member	<b>Daniel</b> – For being a resilient learner and trying very hard all week
5H	<b>Olivia</b> – For excellent team interaction	<b>Tyler</b> – For ensuring that everyone matters and being supportive of his peers
5S	<b>Destiny</b> – For trying hard to paraphrase	<b>Grace</b> – For showing everyone matters in lessons
5A	<b>C J</b> – For putting effort into improving his writing	<b>Kaci</b> – For showing great resilience in her maths work and not giving up
6H	<b>Willow</b> – For giving 100% effort in her reading and improving on her scores	<b>Milly</b> – For always taking responsibility for her own learning
6S	<b>Class 6S</b> – For improved effort throughout SATs mock week	<b>Liam</b> – For fantastic resilience during all papers during mock SATs
6A	<b>Emily</b> – For fantastic achievements in reading	<b>William</b> – For focused and independent learning

**Hawes Side Academy Website** – Don't forget to visit our website to see all of our latest news see: [www.hawes-side.co.uk/news](http://www.hawes-side.co.uk/news)

#### Diary Dates

*(correct at time of printing)*

Class 4H Family Assembly – Friday 1<sup>st</sup> February – 2:50-3:10pm

**School closes for Spring Half Term – Non Uniform Day (£1 donation gratefully received to go towards curriculum enhancement) – Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February 2019**

*(Foundation, Yrs 1 & 2 finish @ 3:15pm)*

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

**School re-opens – Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> February 2019 @ 8:50am**

Class 3H Family Assembly – Friday 1<sup>st</sup> March 2019 – 2:50-3:10pm

Class 3S Family Assembly – Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March 2019 – 2:50-3:10pm

Class 3A Family Assembly – Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2019 – 2:50-3:10pm

Class 2H Family Assembly – Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March 2019 – 2:50-3:10pm

Class 2S Family Assembly – Friday 29<sup>th</sup> March 2019 – 2:50-3:10pm

Class 2A Family Assembly – Friday 5<sup>th</sup> April 2019 – 2:50-3:10pm

**School closes for Easter Break 2019 Term – Non Uniform Day (£1 donation gratefully received to go towards curriculum enhancement) – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April 2019**

*(Whole school finish @ 2:00pm)*

**School re-opens – Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2019 @ 8:50am**

**School closed for May Day – Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May 2019**

**Year 6 SATs – week commencing 13<sup>th</sup> May 2019**

**School closes for Summer Half Term – Non Uniform Day (£1 donation gratefully received to go towards curriculum enhancement) – Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May 2019**

*(Foundation, Yrs 1 & 2 finish @ 3:15pm)*

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

**School re-opens – Monday 10<sup>th</sup> June 2019 @ 8:50am**

**School closes for Summer Holidays 2019 Term – Non Uniform Day (£1 donation gratefully received to go towards curriculum enhancement) – Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July 2019**

*(Whole school finish @ 2:00pm)*

***Please note change of time of class 4H Family Assembly***

**Hawes Side Academy  
Term Dates – 2019/2020**

	School Closes	School Opens (8.50 am)
<b>Autumn Terms 2019 starts</b>		<b>Tuesday 3 September 2019</b>
<b>Autumn Half Term 2019</b>	<b>Friday 18 October 2019</b> <i>(Foundation, Yrs 1 &amp; 2 @ 3.15 pm)</i> <i>(Yrs 3, 4, 5, &amp; 6 @ 3.20 pm)</i>	<b>Tuesday 29 October 2019</b>
<b>Christmas 2019</b>	<b>Friday 20 December 2019</b> <i>(Whole school @ 2.00 pm)</i>	<b>Monday 6 January 2020</b>
<b>Spring Half Term 2020</b>	<b>Friday 14 February 2020</b> <i>(Foundation, Yrs 1 &amp; 2 @ 3.15pm)</i> <i>(Yrs 3, 4, 5, &amp; 6 @ 3.20 pm)</i>	<b>Tuesday 25 February 2020</b>
<b>Easter Break 2020</b>	<b>Friday 3 April 2020</b> <i>(Whole school @ 2.00 pm)</i>	<b>Tuesday 14 April 2020</b>
<b>May Day 2020</b>	<b>Friday 1 May 2020</b> <i>(Foundation, Yrs 1 &amp; 2 @ 3.15 pm)</i> <i>(Yrs 3, 4, 5, &amp; 6 @ 3.20 pm)</i>	<b>Tuesday 5 May 2020</b>
<b>Summer Half Term 2020</b>	<b>Friday 22 May 2020</b> <i>(Foundation, Yrs 1 &amp; 2 @ 3.15 pm)</i> <i>(Yrs 3, 4, 5, &amp; 6 @ 3.20 pm)</i>	<b>Monday 8 June 2020</b>
<b>Summer 2020</b>	<b>Friday 17 July 2020</b> <i>(Whole school @ 2.00 pm)</i>	