



# Hawes Side Academy

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Newsletter No. 21

14th February 2020

Dear Parents and Carers

Congratulations to our wonderful performers who wowed a packed house at the Grand Theatre on Thursday Night at the Blackpool Schools Alive event this week – we are very proud of them. We were also excited to see them perform to the whole school on the last day of term.

A huge thanks to all the staff and families who gave up their time to support this brilliant event.



Please do check the website for updated news showcasing all the wonderful things that happen at Hawes Side Academy.

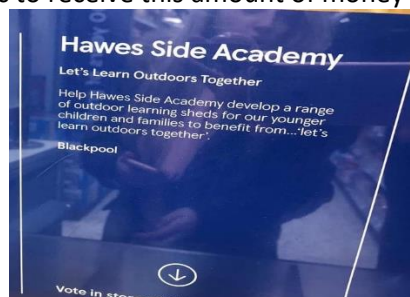
Have a great half term break and we look forward to welcoming the children back on Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> at 8.50 a.m.

Mrs Boothroyd

**DON'T FORGET TO SUPPORT US!** – If you shop at Tesco you may have seen that we are currently up for the vote to receive up to £2000 to develop our outdoor learning facilities.

All you have to do is collect the blue tokens at the checkout and post them into the box in store!

Please do support us – it would be fantastic to receive this amount of money to enhance our provision.



**Coronavirus** – As you may be aware we are following information set out by the UK government. Please see the guidance below.

**Parents Evening** - We have now opened the booking system on Arbor for our upcoming parents' evenings. Further information on how to make your appointment can be found at [https://www.hawes-side.co.uk/files/documents/Arbor Instructions - Parents Evening Sept 19.pdf](https://www.hawes-side.co.uk/files/documents/Arbor%20Instructions%20-%20Parents%20Evening%20Sept%2019.pdf).

Please also see instructions below:

Parents Evenings are as follows:

Tuesday 10th March 15:40 - 16:55  
Tuesday 10th March 17:15 - 18:55  
Wednesday 11th March 15:40 - 16:55

**6H only:**

Tuesday 11th February 15:40 - 16:55  
Tuesday 11th February 17:15 - 18:55  
Wednesday 12th February 15:40 - 16:55

Thank you

**Parking** - The academy car park is clearly signposted that it is for staff, visitors and nursery use only. Unfortunately, it is simply not built to accommodate parking for parents. Over the last few days we have witnessed a high flow of traffic at drop off and pick up times. We have witnessed vehicles accessing at high speeds, parking in the emergency service bay, unauthorised parking in disabled bays, double parking and children wandering across the car park to parked cars. We are incredibly concerned that should this continue there will be a serious accident. Please can we ask again that you help us keep everyone safe by not using the car park as requested. Thank you.

**Calendar** – To access our school calendar please log on to our website at <https://www.hawes-side.co.uk/calendar>, click on the 'our parents' tab and the side tab 'calendar'. If there are any unforeseen changes to these dates, we will endeavour to give you as much notice as possible.

**Easter Bingo** - We will soon be hosting our Annual Easter Family bingo. In preparation, we would be grateful for donations of chocolate bars and Easter Eggs for prizes – thank you to those who have already donated. Many thanks in advance for your support with this.

**It's your voice** – Please see flyer below for upcoming event.

**Easy Fundraising** – If you shop online, you can raise **FREE** donations for Hawes Side Primary School PTFA. Over 4,000 shops and sites will donate to us when you use **#easyfundraising** to shop with them!

Please sign up and support us clicking on this link

[https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/hawessidepsptfa/?block-header=true&utm\\_content=gs&utm\\_source=facebook&utm\\_medium=social&utm\\_campaign=raise-more](https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/hawessidepsptfa/?block-header=true&utm_content=gs&utm_source=facebook&utm_medium=social&utm_campaign=raise-more)

**Hawes Side Academy Website** – Do not forget to visit our website to see all of our latest news. Just click on [www.hawes-side.co.uk/news](http://www.hawes-side.co.uk/news) to see what is happening in the academy.

**Attendance** – week ending 14<sup>th</sup> February 2020

Best Key Stage 1 class attendance	1A	97.3%
Best Key Stage 2 class attendance	4H	97.3%
Most punctual Key Stage 1 class	1H	1 late arrival
Most punctual Key Stage 2 class	4H, 6H	1 late arrival
Whole school attendance for the week		93.7%
Number of pupils late at least once during the week		66 children (103 late arrivals)

It is expected that all schools will remain above 93.7% 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.

**Lates** – As you may have noticed the number of actual late marks (arrivals) is very high. Whilst we understand that sometimes being late cannot be helped please can we try our best to work together to reduce this figure and the amount of lost learning time.

Class	Effort Award		School Values Award	
1A	Isaac	- For continued effort with reading	Jack	- For really trying hard to listen in class
1H	Emily	- For a fantastic effort with her Maths	Laini	- For always trying her best in all she does
1S	Malakai	- For his amazing reading	Owen	- For playing nicely with his friends and working hard to learn new sounds
2A	Asha	- For always trying her best in all she does	Tyler	- For being a good friend
2H	Millie	- For facing challenges in English and Maths	Freddie	- For demonstrating resilience and growing in self-confidence
2S	Alfie	- For trying hard in English	Jacob	- For always being respectful
3A	Katelyn	- For being determined and resilient in her Maths learning	Jayden	- For always being a great friend and a role model for class 3A
3H	Mia	- For writing a super evaluation of her magnetic game	Tayla	- For always trying her best and showing resilience in Maths
3S	Deacon	- For excellent contributions in P.E. teamwork	Olivia	- For always having impeccable manners
4A	Jacob	- For trying exceptionally hard with his fractions work	Sophie	- For being a great class role model all of the time
4H	Class 4H	- For excellent effort during their class assembly	Dakota	- For super resilience hard with his fractions work
4S	Kiera	- For an increase in behaviour and effort in class	Class 4S	- For resilience in Ukulele lessons never giving up
5A	Daisy	- For continuous effort in Maths	Laila	- For showing tremendous respect to all peers every day
5H	Amelia	- For always giving 100% effort and respect in Mandarin	Sienna	- For always having a sunny, positive outlook on life
5S	Leo	- For keeping going in his fraction work	William	- For taking responsibility with his reading
6A	Joshua	- For excellent effort in all his lessons and a positive attitude towards his learning	Ryan	- For being a respectful member of 6A
6H	Aimee	- For giving 100% in everything she does	Paul	- For being resilient in his learning
6S	Ruby	- For lovely presentation and effort	Scarlett	- For fantastic reconciliation with a peer

#### **Diary Dates – 2019/2020**

**Dates of events for the next half term (please see calendar for the full year plan)**

***School closes – Spring Half Term 2020 – Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February 2020***

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

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

***School opens – Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> February 2020***

***School closes for Easter – Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> April 2020***

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

***School opens – Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> April 2020***

***May Day – School closed – Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May 2020***

***School closes for Summer Half Term 2020 – Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2020***

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

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

***School opens – Monday 8<sup>th</sup> June 2020***

**School closes for Summer – Friday 17<sup>th</sup> July 2020**

**Hawes Side Academy**  
**Term Dates – 2020/2021**

	School Closes	School Opens (8.50 am)
Autumn Terms 2020 starts		Wednesday 2 September 2020
Teacher Training Inset Day	Thursday 1 October 2020	Monday 5 October 2020
Autumn Half Term 2020	Friday 23 October 2020 (Foundation, Yrs 1 & 2 @ 3.15 pm) (Yrs 3, 4, 5, & 6 @ 3.20 pm)	Monday 2 November 2020
Christmas 2020	Thursday 17 December 2020 (Whole school @ 2.00 pm)	Monday 4 January 2021
Spring Half Term 2021	Friday 12 February 2021 (Foundation, Yrs 1 & 2 @ 3.15pm) (Yrs 3, 4, 5, & 6 @ 3.20 pm)	Monday 22 February 2021
Easter Break 2021	Friday 26 March 2021 (Whole school @ 2.00 pm)	Wednesday 7 April 2021
May Day 2021	Friday 30 April 2021 (Foundation, Yrs 1 & 2 @ 3.15 pm) (Yrs 3, 4, 5, & 6 @ 3.20 pm)	Tuesday 4 May 2021
Summer Half Term 2021	Friday 21 May 2021 (Foundation, Yrs 1 & 2 @ 3.15 pm) (Yrs 3, 4, 5, & 6 @ 3.20 pm)	Monday 7 June 2021
Summer 2021	Tuesday 20 July 2021 (Whole school @ 2.00 pm)	



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# CORONAVIRUS: PUBLIC INFORMATION

The Government and NHS are well prepared to deal with this virus.

You can help too.

Germs can live on some surfaces for hours.

To protect yourself and others:

- Always carry tissues with you and use them to catch your cough or sneeze.
- Bin the tissue, and to kill the germs, wash your hands with soap and water, or use a sanitiser gel.
- If you have arrived back from China within 14 days follow the specific advice for returning travellers.

This is the best way to slow the spread of almost any germs, including Coronavirus.

**Find out more at [gov.uk/coronavirus](https://gov.uk/coronavirus)**



# IT'S YOUR VOICE!



An event for Parents and Carers  
of Children and Young People with  
Special Educational Needs

Children and Young People are also welcome to attend

Wednesday 11th March 2020

10am until 2pm

Blackpool Football Club

lunch and car parking included

**YOUR CHANCE TO  
FIND OUT ABOUT  
LOCAL SERVICES**



**Booking is essential - PLEASE register to attend**

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or find us on Facebook

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