

Dear Parents & Carers

Tuesday 26th March is Epilepsy Awareness Day - Purple Day - this charity supports people with Epilepsy. After school on Tuesday, we will be holding a cake sale. The stall will be situated on the playground outside the office. Donations of cakes, biscuits, or spare cash will be most gratefully appreciated. The cakes will be sold for any cash donations. All proceeds will go The Epilepsy Society.

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Principal

PTFA – The next PTFA meeting will be held on Tuesday 26th March at 4.30pm at the academy. All parents are invited. It is a great opportunity to meet other parents and plan fun events for our pupils.

The PTFA are hosting a Family Fun Night on Thursday 4th April, this will include a quiz, ‘guess who’ competition and bingo with Easter egg prizes.

It will be a lovely family evening - we hope you can join us.



Attendance – week ending 23rd March 2019

Best Key Stage 1 class attendance	1A	98.0%
Best Key Stage 2 class attendance	3A	100%
Most punctual Key Stage 1 class	RA, RS, 2H	1 late arrival each
Most punctual Key Stage 2 class	3H, 4S,	0 late arrivals
Whole school attendance for the week		96.8%
Number of pupils late at least once during the week		47

It is expected that all schools will remain above 96.2% and, as you can see, we are above this level again 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!* Well done 3A – 100%

Class	Effort Award	School Values Award (Respect, Resilience, Responsibility, Reconciliation, Reflection, Everyone Matters)
1H	Alfie – For super effort with handwriting	Logan – For showing respect by always being ready to listen
1S	Scarlett – For working really hard this week in all lessons	Jacob – For always being kind and respectful towards others in the classroom
1A	Hallie – For her recent improvements in phonics and becoming an independent reader and writer	Lexi – For showing great resilience last week completing her work even when she was upset
2H	Lennon – For great work in topic writing about mini beasts	Ruby – For always being kind, helpful and friendly
2S	Harry – For great work on fractions	Riley-Brian – For being a good friend and helping other members of the class
2A	Abigail – For making the furthest flying paper aeroplane during science week	Connor – For being a kind, caring and responsible members of the class
3H	Courtney – For super effort to increase her independent work	Dakota – For super resilience in her maths work
3S	Class 3S – For fantastic effort in our class assembly	Luca – For being a great team member
3A	Frankie – For excellent effort in her science work	Liam – For showing greater resilience in his maths work
4H	Sammy – For fantastic fraction work in practical maths	Amelia – For including others and showing everyone matters
4S	Elysia – For giving 100% effort in maths this week	Jayden – For always treating other respectfully
4A	Mason – For working really hard at learning decimals	Chloe – For being a responsible caring class member
5H	Leon – for super effort with his writing	Paul – For showing a more responsible attitude at playtime
5S	Eric – For trying his best in maths	Cienna – For being respectful to others
5A	Erin – For effort towards improving her multiplication knowledge	Freya – For always being resilient in maths
6H	Lola – For fantastic effort in her mock SATs	Harvey – For always being responsible in his learning
6S	Class 6S – For working super hard in mock SATs	Kaitlin – For always reflecting on her learning
6A	Emily – For fantastic efforts with learning	Casey – For showing fantastic respect to teachers

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

Diary Dates

(correct at time of printing)

PTFA Meeting – Tuesday 26th March @ 4:30pm
 Class 2S Family Assembly – Thursday 28th March – 2:50-3:10pm
 PTFA – Family Fun Night – Thursday 4th April – 6:30-8:00pm
 Class 2A Family Assembly – Friday 5th April – 2:50-3:10pm
 SFA Presentation to Parents – Thursday 11th April @ 3:30pm (Further details to follow)

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

(Whole school finish @ 2:00pm)

School re-opens – Tuesday 23rd April 2019 @ 8:50am

School closed for May Day – Monday 6th May 2019

Year 6 SATs – week commencing 13th May 2019

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

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

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

School re-opens – Monday 10th June 2019 @ 8:50am

Year 6 Leavers' Breakfast – Thursday 18th July @ 9:00am

Year 6 Leavers' Assembly – Thursday 18th July @ 10:00am

Year 6 Leavers' Party – Thursday 18th July 3:30pm-5.30pm

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

(Whole school finish @ 2:00pm)

Please note change of Family Assembly date for class 2S

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

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