



Dear Parents & Carers

On this, my last day at Hawes Side, I want to thank you for all your support over the years. A lot has changed since I first joined the school in 2005. We have been nationally recognised for many awards and continue to showcase the very best in educational practice for the primary years with visitors regularly coming to see the innovative and creative approaches to teaching and learning. We moved into a brand new building a few years ago and the school has grown in numbers and reputation with community always remaining at the heart of everything we do. Our motto Community, Learning and Creativity in Harmony has been central to our values and beliefs and we, as a staff, see the school as one large family where all children feel respected, cared for, valued and loved. I know that under the leadership of Mrs Boothroyd this will continue to be the case and I look forward to hearing of the school's continued success in the future. Hawes Side will always hold a very special place in my heart and I will look back on the last 14 years with great fondness and lasting memories.

With very best wishes

Michael Shepherd

Appointment of Acting Assistant Principal – We are delighted to inform you that Mrs Beckett has been appointed as Acting Assistant Principal for the summer term. Marianne will continue with her teaching commitments in the morning and take on managerial duties in the afternoon. I am sure you would like to join us in congratulating Mrs Beckett on this appointment.

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

Attendance – week ending 12th April 2019

Best Key Stage 1 class attendance	RA	98.2%
Best Key Stage 2 class attendance	3H	98.3%
Most punctual Key Stage 1 class	2H	0 late arrivals
Most punctual Key Stage 2 class	3H	0 late arrivals
Whole school attendance for the week		94.9%
Number of pupils late at least once during the week		59

It is expected that all schools will remain above 96.2% and, as you can see, we are well 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	Jake – For fantastic improvement in reading	Scarlett – For trying hard to listen on the carpet
1S	Dolly-Rae – For 100% effort in all she does	Lily – For always being respectful of others
1A	Dexter – For super phonics work	Kent – For working really hard to follow the golden rules
2H	Jack – For super maths work	Stevie-Mae – For being a helpful and caring friend

2S	Rhianna-Mollie – For excellent effort producing an information leaflet on butterflies	Ellie – For always having a positive attitude to learning
2A	Ellie – For excellent effort in all areas	Beth – For being a responsible and respectful member of the class
3H	Kaitlyn – For continuously showing great effort within her work	Ethan – For super resilience whilst settling into class 3H
3S	Luchia – For always working hard in all her lessons	Evie – For showing resilience in her maths
3A	Eviee-Sue – For excellent explanations and reasoning in maths	Liam – For showing resilience when trying to improve his writing
4H	Samantha – For pushing herself in SfA when reading	Mikey – For including others and showing they matter
4S	Alfie – For writing a fantastic piece of descriptive writing	Emma – For showing responsibility by making sure her job is completed every day
4A	Logan – For putting 100% effort into his singing performance	Daniel – For a big improvement in all areas
5H	Autumn – For super self-learning creating a great story	Charlie-Ann – For being very respectful and helpful in class
5S	Lucas – For super effort with his 'star reader'	Milli – For being a respectful member of the class
5A	Connor – For all his effort within SfA	Luca – For fantastic improvements in SfA
6H	Callum – For showing commitment to learning	Erin – For being really responsible for her own learning
6S	Alisha – For showing excellent effort in all her learning	Sarah – For a fantastic, positive start to Hawes Side
6A	Lewis – For showing dedication to learning	Kelsey – For being friendly to her peers

Please note updated arrangements

HAWES SIDE ACADEMY PTFA PRESENTS

FAMILY FUN NIGHT
(with prizes)

Thursday 25th April 2019
6.30 - 8.00 p.m.

£5 Family Ticket on sale after Easter
(includes a Bingo strip)

Quiz!

Guess who!

Chocolate Bingo!

Diary Dates
(correct at time of printing)

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)

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 (Foundation, Yrs 1 & 2 @ 3.15 pm) (Yrs 3, 4, 5, & 6 @ 3.20 pm)	Tuesday	29 October 2019
Christmas 2019	Friday 20 December 2019 (Whole school @ 2.00 pm)	Monday	6 January 2020
Spring Half Term 2020	Friday 14 February 2020 (Foundation, Yrs 1 & 2 @ 3.15pm) (Yrs 3, 4, 5, & 6 @ 3.20 pm)	Tuesday	25 February 2020
Easter Break 2020	Friday 3 April 2020 (Whole school @ 2.00 pm)	Tuesday	14 April 2020
May Day 2020	Friday 1 May 2020 (Foundation, Yrs 1 & 2 @ 3.15 pm) (Yrs 3, 4, 5, & 6 @ 3.20 pm)	Tuesday	5 May 2020
Summer Half Term 2020	Friday 22 May 2020 (Foundation, Yrs 1 & 2 @ 3.15 pm) (Yrs 3, 4, 5, & 6 @ 3.20 pm)	Monday	8 June 2020
Summer 2020	Friday 17 July 2020 (Whole school @ 2.00 pm)		