



Dear Parents & Carers

Firstly, I would like to say a huge well done to all of our Year 6 children on completing their SATS, it has been a tricky week but every single child has displayed fantastic Hawes Side values; we have seen resilience, responsibility and respect for themselves and each other. They can all truly say that they have tried their best. Have a wonderful weekend Year 6 (children and staff) you deserve it!

You will have received a letter a few weeks ago about Encompass. Posters have been displayed all around school about this. This is a brand new initiative with the police to enable good communication between all agencies. This becomes 'live' on Monday 20<sup>th</sup>. If you need further information about this, please contact the school office in the first instance.

I would also like to say a huge thanks to all the families who have very kindly supported our Ground Force project by sending in plants, reusable and recyclable objects for planting in. I would like to say thanks to Jamie's mum (Year 3) for helping us on Wednesday to plant all these fantastic donations. We also greatly appreciate the offers of support on Facebook, we are so lucky to have such a supportive community, thank you.

I wanted to take this opportunity to bring your attention to a member of staff many of you know, Mrs Karen Brett. Karen has been on a very courageous journey over the last couple of years fighting cancer and, in a bid to help others; she has been kind enough to share her story with the local Gazette. To read this article google 'Karen Brett Blackpool Gazette'. I know you will echo me when I say how proud we are of her.

Finally, I would like to draw your attention to the book fair we are holding in school next week from Monday to Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> to 23<sup>rd</sup> May, 3.20pm to 4.00pm in the school library. It would be lovely if you could come along and have a look at the brilliant books for sale, just enter school through the main office. A leaflet with more information about the books should have come home with your child tonight.

Remember, for more information about what is happening in school please visit our website.

Have a wonderful weekend everybody and we will see you all next week for the final week of the half term. Don't forget it's non uniform day on Friday!

**Caroline Boothroyd**

**Ground Force Challenge** – We just wanted to say a massive thank you for all your support so far with the 'Ground Force Challenge'. All of your pots and quirky things to put our plants in are being kept safe and will be gradually appearing in the playground at the front of school soon.

We appreciate it so much, but we need more! The more things we get the better chance we have of making our outdoor area stand out above the rest. Although the pots are amazing, we also need soil and plants to put in them!

To all parents who have helped already, thank you so much. We really appreciate it. If you would like to get involved as a parent or carers please do not hesitate to contact the school office. All children will have an opportunity throughout the rest of the year to contribute to the works and get their hands dirty.

Over the next few weeks more and more will be added to the area. Please don't let your children touch or climb on anything that has been planted. We have BIG things planned!

**Alex Fleckney**

**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)

Attendance – week ending 17 <sup>th</sup> May 2019		
Best Key Stage 1 class attendance	RH	99.0%
Best Key Stage 2 class attendance	3H, 6A, 6H	100%
Most punctual Key Stage 1 class	1A, 1H, 1S	0 late arrivals
Most punctual Key Stage 2 class	3S, 4H, 4S, 6A,	0 late arrivals
Whole school attendance for the week		97.43%
Number of pupils late at least once during the week		31

**It is expected that all schools will remain above 96.2% and, as you can see, we are well above this level this week. Well done to class 3H, 6A, 6H – 100% attendance 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>Luke</b> – For taking part in class discussions	<b>Taylor</b> – For showing resilience by trying hard with his reading and writing
1S	<b>Stanley</b> – For a great improvement and effort with his sentences	<b>Presley</b> – For being helpful and thoughtful at all times
1A	<b>Jenson</b> – For his fantastic blending in his reading	<b>Angela</b> – For setting a wonderful example all the time to others around school
2H	<b>Daniel</b> – For trying hard with his handwriting	<b>Charlie</b> – For always being polite and helpful
2S	<b>Oliver</b> – For tremendous effort towards making a treasure map	<b>Benjamin</b> – For a positive attitude towards his learning
2A	<b>Beth</b> – For effort in learning her time tables this week	<b>William</b> – For resilience when practising his hand writing
3H	<b>Harry</b> – For fantastic effort to improve the presentation of his work	<b>Ethan</b> – For having super respect and always using fantastic manners
3S	<b>Luchia</b> – For putting in 100% in all her maths	<b>Alecia</b> – For settling in well at her new school and trying hard in all of her lessons
3A	<b>Ethan</b> – For fantastic effort in maths	<b>Ryan</b> – For being respectful towards others and always showing active listening
4H	<b>Class 4H</b> – For contributing in all activities at the Blackpool Fit2Go Festival	<b>Chloe</b> – For modelling respect in class and encouraging others
4S	<b>Theo</b> – For having a fantastic afternoon at Blackpool Fit2Go Festival on Wednesday	<b>Katie</b> – For making sure that everyone matters by including children in playtime games that felt left out
4A	<b>Thomas</b> – For being a super goal scorer at the Fit2Go Festival	<b>Valencia</b> – For reflecting on her actions and striving to be her best self
5H	<b>Marley</b> – For an excellent information booklet on the life cycle of a butterfly	<b>Amelia</b> – For showing resilience during swimming
5S	<b>Bethany</b> – For improved effort in science	<b>Jayden</b> – For showing resilience in maths
5A	<b>Ben</b> – For super effort in maths, consistently trying to better himself	<b>Shay</b> – For persisting with his presentation improvements

6H	<b>Ethan</b> – For always putting 100% effort into all his work	<b>Corey</b> – For being really reflective in his work and always trying to improve
6S	<b>Christopher</b> – For always working hard and acting upon advice given	<b>Sarah</b> – For always being respectful in class
6A	<b>Ruby</b> – For independent learning	<b>Lucy</b> – For being helpful towards another child in the class

**Diary Dates**  
*(correct at time of printing)*

Book Fair – Monday – Thursday 20<sup>th</sup> – 23<sup>rd</sup> May – 3:20pm-4:00pm

Year 6 – Ascent trip – Friday 24<sup>th</sup> May

**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**

Year 6 Production – Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> July @ 2:00pm

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Year 6 Leavers' Breakfast – Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July @ 9:00am

Year 6 Leavers' Assembly – Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> July @ 10:00am

Year 6 Leavers' Party – Thursday 18<sup>th</sup> 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 19<sup>th</sup> July 2019**

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

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

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