



HLA News

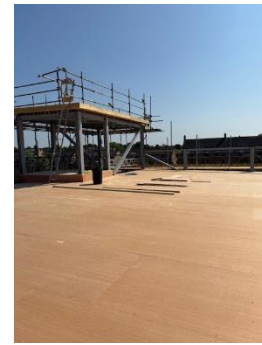
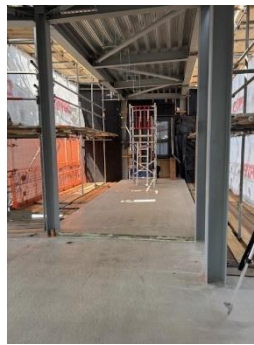
Friday 20th June 2025



Dear Families,

We have been doing everything possible to try to keep cool this week. Despite the heat the students have managed well and have still engaged positively in their learning.

The builders are making some excellent progress. Emma and I were given a tour of the building inside and even up on the roof. It is amazing to see how it is all coming together. They will be starting to add the internal walls next week. Here are some photos.



Thank you to everyone who wore red on Tuesday to remember Jaxon and also thank you to Tracey and the kitchen staff for providing such yummy cupcakes. We are planning to dedicate a room to his memory when the new extension opens. This week our students have been working hard to create a collaborative piece of artwork on the hoarding for the extension. Every student in the school has taken part and added his initials to the artwork. We included our own dedication to Jaxon within this. We are hoping to keep this and install it somewhere within school. A big thank you to Jo, our Art coordinator for making this happen.



Students in Key Stage 4 have been applying their preparing for adulthood skills brilliantly this week. They are having a big bake off event next week that they are preparing for. Students were given a budget of £10 and they have been shopping for their ingredients making sure they buy the correct items and not overspending. A key skill to master as they move into adulthood.

Don't forget to connect to your child's Evidence for Learning account. If you need a reminder of your username or to reset your password please do let us know. The domain you need to use when logging in is **highfieldlittle** Along with the short summary report you will also have access to view your child's learning journey which shows all of the progress towards the small steps of learning your child has achieved. These reports will be shared early in July. Have a lovely weekend and please make sure you all stay safe in the sunshine.

With all best wishes,

Yvonne Skillern

Headteacher



Important Information



- Please ensure any spare clothes borrowed are returned to school once used.
- Please remember we are a **NUT FREE** school due to severe allergies. **This includes sun creams and other products.**
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- Please can I remind parents that **absence on the day needs to be reported via Arbor**
- We are in desperate need of larger clothes for some of our students. If parents have any spare tracksuit bottoms or tops that are teenager to adults please do send them into the school office.

School Attendance

Whole school attendance was 91.4% this week. This is an increase on last week – thank you for working with us to improve attendance. Every minute really does count. Please remember any school term time holidays will not be authorised. **Unauthorised holidays during term time will face a penalty notice.**

Online Safety Tip of the Week



Remember anything you post online is there for everyone to see. The Social Footprint Checker takes you through 12 quick and easy questions to find out about your social media usage, likening it to footwear and revealing your score by shoe or boot type and size. It also features some handy hints about how to reduce what people can find out about you on social media. Take a look here:

<https://www.getsafeonline.org/socialchecker/>

Emotion of the Week

The emotion this week is **ANGRY**. Discuss this emotion with your child and how it makes their body feel. Explain that different emotions are ok and we are here to help manage them.



Mental Health Tip of the Week

Remember it is ok to ask for help if you are struggling. Lyn Houghton is our pastoral Assistant Head who can support and signpost. There are also many organisations available.

Pinpoint <https://www.pinpoint-cambs.org.uk/>

Mind <https://www.mind.org.uk/>

