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## Newsletter #11 – Spring Term

### Ofsted

This week Ofsted conducted a two day inspection of school. It was a great opportunity to showcase all the amazing things that happen at Old Hutton every day. I am so lucky to be headteacher at such a wonderful school with brilliant pupils and staff. I am looking forward to sharing the inspection report with you after the Easter holidays.

### Blackpool Zoo

Yesterday, Class Two had a brilliant trip to Blackpool Zoo. The pupils are currently trying to answer the question ‘Do Penguins Fly?’ as part of their learning in Geography. To help the class answer the question, the pupils visited Blackpool Zoo yesterday. The pupils loved learning more about penguins and the range of other animals they saw. The pupils behaviour and attitude was brilliant for the whole trip! Thank you to Mrs Hadwin and Mrs Parsons for arranging such a brilliant trip.

### Year 6 Hoodies

Some of our Year 6 parents are fundraising for the leavers hoodies this year with a bags to school collection on the 26th April and a book stall on the 25th May. We have also kindly been sponsored by West View photography. If you are having a turn out over Easter please keep us in mind - the bags for clothes will be handed out nearer the time, but Sarah, Liz, Beth and Cat are happy for people to hand books direct to them, and we’ll put a box on the story stage after Easter.

### National Online Safety

This week’s National Online Safety update is about the video game Tekken. The guide explains what the game is and why it is so popular with older children.

To sign up for your own free National Online Safety account please follow the link below.

<https://nationalcollege.com/enrol/old-hutton-cofe-school>

Thanks for your continued support.

Nick

### Attendance in School

<b>Whole School Attendance</b>	<b>94.00%</b>
Attendance for W/C 3/1/24	95.00%
Attendance for W/C 8/1/24	97.95%
Attendance for W/C 15/1/24	87.2%
Attendance for W/C 22/1/24	95.04%
Attendance for W/C 29/1/24	91.28%
Attendance for W/C 5/2/24	92.16%
Attendance for W/C 19/2/24	96.43%
Attendance for W/C 26/2/24	97.08%
Attendance for W/C 4/3/24	95.20%
Attendance for W/C 11/3/24	89.52%
Attendance for W/C 18/3/24	91.89

### **Key Dates**

<b>Event</b>	<b>Date</b>
Easter Service	Wednesday 27 <sup>th</sup> March at 9.30am
Break up for the Easter Holidays	Thursday 28 <sup>th</sup> March at 2pm

### **School Year dates 2023-24**

#### **Spring Term 2024**

Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> January – Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March

#### **Summer Term 2024**

Staff training day Monday 15<sup>th</sup> April

Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> April – Friday 19<sup>th</sup> July

Early May Bank Holiday: Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May

**Half Term Holiday:** Monday 27<sup>th</sup> May – Friday 31<sup>st</sup> May

#### **Nursery applications for 2024/25**

September 2024 entry Closing date for applications – 24 March 2024

January 2025 entry Closing date for applications – 22 September 2025

For all applications please

visit <https://legacy.westmorlandandfurness.gov.uk/childrensservices/schoolsandlearning/lss/schooladmissions.asp>

for further information on how to apply.