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## Newsletter #15 – Autumn Term

Dear Parents and Carers,

Happy New Year! I hope you all had a wonderful Christmas break and I wish you all a healthy and happy 2024. Thank you so much to everyone who send gifts and cards to the school staff, I know they were greatly appreciated.

### **School Questionnaire**

To mark two years of being Headteacher at Old Hutton, I would like to gauge your views on school by asking you to complete a questionnaire about school. To complete the short survey, please click on the link below. If clicking the link below doesn't work, please copy and paste it into your browser.

<https://forms.gle/o753dVPhLGY1kpyF7>

As always, if you have any worries or concerns about anything school related, please do not hesitate to come into school and speak to me. I really value everyone's opinions.

### **Starting School in September 2024**

If your child is due to start to start Reception in September 2024 the deadline for applying is 15<sup>th</sup> January. To apply, please click on the link below.

<https://legacy.westmorlandandfurness.gov.uk/childrenservices/schoolsandlearning/lss/applyforaninfantorprimaryschoolplaceforsept2017/startingschoolinseptember2019.asp>

Please note that if your child is currently in Nursery, you still need to apply for a Reception place.

### **Student Teacher**

Next week, Class 4 will be joined by Mr. Toby Palamountain who is a final year student from the University of Cumbria. He will be teaching in Class 4 throughout the Spring Term and we are very excited to welcome him to Old Hutton School!

### **National Online Safety**

This week's National Online Safety update is about how you can manage your child's screen time.

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>Attendance for Autumn Term</b>	<b>94.89%</b>
Attendance for W/C 3/1/24	<b>95.00%</b>

### **Key Dates**

<b>Event</b>	<b>Date</b>
Edinburgh Residential Parent Meeting	Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> January
Internet Safety Talk at Dallam School	Thursday 25 <sup>th</sup> January

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

#### **Spring Term 2024**

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

**Half Term Holiday:** Monday 12<sup>th</sup> February – Friday 16<sup>th</sup> February

#### **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**

January 2024 entry Closing date for applications – 22 September 2023

April 2024 entry Closing date for applications – 13 January 2024

September 2024 entry Closing date for applications – 24 March 2024

January 2025 entry Closing date for applications – 22 September 2025

#### **Reception applications for 2024**

September 2024 closing date for applications - 15 January 2024

#### **Secondary school applications for 2024**

September 2024 closing date for applications - 31 October 2023

For all applications please

visit <https://legacy.westmorlandandfurness.gov.uk/childrensservices/schoolsandlearning/lss/schooladmissions.asp>  
for further information on how to apply.