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Absence Line: 01226 273220 - OPTION 1 (Please leave a message)

Friday 12th January 2024



| Tuesday 16 th January | Year 1 Parent Workshop | |
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| Wednesday 17 th January | Last session for Year 3 Swimming | |
| Thursday 18 th January | Special Menu Day | |
| Friday 19 th January | E-safety Event for all parents – 2.00pm | |
| Thursday 1 st February | Year 2 Parent Workshop – 8.50-9.30am in Classrooms | |
| Tuesday 6 th February | Year 3 Parent Workshop – 2.15-3.15pm in the hall | |
| Thursday 8 th February | Young Voices Concert at Sheffield Arena – doors open at 6.00pm | |
| Friday 9 th February | Last day before Half Term holiday | |
| Monday 12 th February | Half Term – school closed all week | |
| Monday 19 th February | Inset Day – school closed for children | |
| Tuesday 20 th February | School re-opens | |

Together Everyone Achieves More:

Golden Award List:

1JW: Mason R 1LB: Shayla BP
2SO: All of 2SO 2JL: Gracie-Mai C
3DW: Harry H 3HW: Elainea MJL
4IC: Arthur S 4WH: Elena P
5CB: Redgi C 5CG: Peter H
6RD: Shelley-Mae M 6WC: Gracie B

Best Work, Best Behaviour, Best Manners...



Events this week:

Pantomime – The school had a wonderful morning watching and participating in our annual pantomime; Robin Hood. We got to sing, cheer and interact with the actors. The pupils were an exceptional audience and had a lovely experience.

Street Dance – What an experience some of the pupils have had this week. Half of the school have had a street dance workshop. Something the pupils have been asking for, for a while and we have finally been able to offer this to them. Year 3 and year 4 are also having the opportunity of an after-school club. The rest of the classes will be having this experience next week.

<u>Attendance Text:</u> Half termly attendance text are to be sent out for parents next week for those that are above 90%.

Uniform Donations:

We are running out of uniform for our younger children. We would really like donations for nursery aged children (red uniform) and blue uniform for all ages. Please drop any donations at the school office.

Primary School Applications:

If your child is due to start primary school in September 2024 (DOB range 01.09.2019 to 31.08.2020), you need to apply for their place **before 15**th **January 2024**. Please apply online at https://www.barnsley.gov.uk/services/children-families-and-education/schools-and-learning/school-admissions-and-transfers/primary-school-places/

Dental Survey:

We have had a handful of children take part in the National Dental Survey run by Charles Clifford Dental Practice in Sheffield. They left us this important information for parents:-

Visiting the dentist: -

Please remember to take your child to the dentist regularly. NHS dental care is free for children. All children aged 3-16 can have fluoride varnish painted on their teeth by the dentist at least twice a year, to help strengthen their teeth and prevent tooth decay. If you do not have a family dentist, you can find your nearest HHS dentists at

https://www.nhs.uk/Service-Search/Dentists/LocationSearch/3



Positive Post-it for the week!



Northern College Courses:



Family Life Skills

On the weekend of 27th and 28th January 2024 we are opening our doors to families for this brand-new course.

Bring the children along and learn together in the beautiful Wentworth Castle and gardens. You can also stay over with us and enjoy our delicious home cooked food.

Over the two days you will learn about:

- First Aid
- Health and Safety
- Fire Safety
- Interactive family activities
- Child safety

Courses are free to those on low incomes $\mbox{\sc /}$ benefits including the residential stay.

Apply online by scanning the QR code or call us on 01226 776000.



Special Menu Day - Thursday 18th January 2024



The ladies in the kitchen have arranged a special menu day on Thursday 18th January. If your child would like to take part, they just need to order on the day as normal. The cost is £2.66.

Uniform:

Each Friday afternoon our Parent's Group will be in the school hall from **2.45pm to 3.00pm**. The uniform will be boxed in ages for you to look through. If there is anything suitable, please feel free to take it. We are running out of uniform for our younger children. We would really like donations for nursery aged children (red uniform) and blue uniform for all age groups. Please drop any donations at the school office.



2023-2024 Inset Days:

Monday 19th February 2024 Friday 24th May 2024 Monday 22nd July 2024

Hive Playgroup:

Our exciting playgroup is now up and running again every Tuesday morning 8.45-10.15am in the hall. Bring your little busy bees ages 0-3yrs along for a play.

Mrs Marshall and Mrs Hill look forward to seeing you.

Your Child's Attendance has a Huge Impact on their Education



FACT: The more time your child spends in school, the better your child's attainment.

| When your child misses | That equals | Which is |
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| 10 minutes a day | 50 minutes of missed learning a week | Over 1 week of missed learning across the year |
| 20 minutes a day | 1 hour and 40 minutes of missed learning a week | Over 2 weeks of missed learning across the year |
| 30 minutes a day | Half a day of learning a week | 4 weeks of missed learning across the year |

Our attendance winner for the last week of last term is Miss Bradshaw's class followed closely by Miss Taylor's class Well done 5CB and RJT!



Punctuality:

Arriving at school on time every day is very important.

FS2-Y6 – Class doors open at 8.40am, the day begins at 8.45am Nursery – Doors open at 8.30am and 12.30pm.

Any child arriving after 8.55am is recorded as LATE and is already missing learning.

Attendance Update:

High View attendance must improve this year – our target is 97%

Attendance so far this year is 94.6%

Attendance for the last week of term was 94.9%

| Class | Attendance |
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| NAM | 86.3 |
| NPM | 83.1 |
| RJB | 93.2 |
| RJT | 98.5 |
| 1LB | 97.3 |
| 1JW | 92.4 |
| 2SO | 95.0 |
| 2JL | 96.3 |
| 3DW | 95.3 |
| 3HW | 97.0 |
| 4IC | 95.3 |
| 4WH | 94.7 |
| 5CB | 98.6 |
| 5CG | 92.9 |
| 6RD | 94.5 |
| 6WC | 92.8 |

Please report all absences to the school office via the absence line on 01226 273220 Option 1. Not via Class Dojo.



Cheeky Monkies - Out of School Club:

Ofsted registered childcare established 2008

BREAKFAST SESSION 7.30am to 8.40am (£6.00 includes breakfast) HALF SESSION 3.15 to 4.30 (£5.00 does not include snack) CLUB SESSION 4.15 to 5.45pm (£6.00 includes snack) FULL SESSION 3.15 to 5.45pm (£8.00 includes snack)

IF YOU NEED MORE INFORMATION, PLEASE CONTACT JOANNE GEORGE ON 07595454437 OR 07568547846 Email address cheekymonkies@outlook.com

Thank you for your continued support
Miss Smith ☺

If you have not already done so, follow all our classes and myself on Twitter to see more of the amazing events that are happening every day, in every class.

