



Dear Parents

Please note a change to the spring term start date. School will open to pupils on Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> January instead of Monday 7<sup>th</sup> January as previously advertised. This is due to essential in-service training for all staff around the teaching of reading, one of the schools priority areas. We have been very fortunate to secure this opportunity to develop our practice which will have a profound effect on children's outcomes in this most important of skills. We hope that by providing this much notice, parents are able to make alternative arrangements for the day. We are able to offer a very limited holiday club on this day to accommodate any parents who are struggling with childcare. Please contact Mrs Julie Fleckney, our family support worker, in the first instance.

Mr Shepherd

**PTFA Prosecco and Pamper Event** –If you have expressed an interest in having a stall at our forthcoming Prosecco and Pamper Event on November 30<sup>th</sup>, 6:30pm to 8:30pm, please could you contact the school office and leave your email address, a member of our PTFA will then get in touch. We still have plenty of spare tables and are still looking for anyone who would like a stall, it is £10 per stall with a donation for the raffle too. We are hoping to make this an annual event so let's make this like a mini Christmas market. We would also like as many of you as possible to come and do a bit of shopping, have a chat and a good time. Please support this, it should be good!!! Tickets will be on sale shortly.

Attendance – week ending 16<sup>th</sup> November 2018

Best Key Stage 1 class attendance	1A	97.0%
Best Key Stage 2 class attendance	3H	98.7%
Most punctual Key Stage 1 class	2H	1 late arrival each
Most punctual Key Stage 2 class	4H	0 late arrivals
Whole school attendance for the week		94.5%
Number of pupils late at least once during the week		63

**It is expected that all schools will remain above 96.2% and, as you can see, we were well below again this level this week. 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>Scarlett</b> – For super effort during phonics sessions	<b>Jack</b> – For always listening to others
1S	<b>Presley</b> – For 100% effort in all she does	<b>Alfie</b> – For trying extra hard to follow our 'Golden Rules'
1A	<b>Oscar</b> – For amazing work in history focussing on Remembrance Day	<b>Millie</b> – For her fantastic listening and wonderful manners in class
2H	<b>Tayla</b> – For trying hard in our SPAG lessons	<b>Rowena</b> – For always being polite and helpful to others
2S	<b>Cody</b> – For excellent effort with his reading in school and at home	<b>Lucus</b> – For being responsible in his learning and being independent

2A	<b>Adele</b> – For working hard in all lessons	<b>Tanzeem</b> – For sharing his work and coaching others
3H	<b>Laycee</b> – For putting 100% effort into all of her work	<b>Izzie</b> – For showing resilience during her addition in maths
3S	<b>Tennyson</b> – For always putting in 100% effort and helping other children	<b>Lily</b> – For always showing respect to teachers and other children
3A	<b>Gracie</b> – For excellent effort in all of her work	<b>Aston</b> – For being an excellent talk partner and sharing some super ideas
4H	<b>Ronnie-Jack</b> – For being a fabulous learner who constantly challenges	<b>Shannon</b> – For always modelling respect to others and being a resilient learner during class discussions
4S	<b>Theo</b> – For always sharing his mathematical methods clearly to the class. A super mathematician!	<b>Harrison</b> – For showing resilience when learning how to do cross-stitch during social skills
4A	<b>Laila</b> – For working hard to improve her own learning	<b>Lexi</b> – For taking responsibility for her class environment and volunteering her time to care for it
5H	<b>Autumn</b> – For always giving 100% during Mandarin lessons	<b>Amelia</b> – For being a resilient learner in all lessons
5S	<b>Milli</b> – For trying her best in writing an explanation	<b>Jenson</b> – For being respectful member of the class
5A	<b>Erin</b> – For her super effort with her English writing	<b>Maja</b> – For improving her handwriting so much – great resilience
6H	<b>Corey</b> – For putting 100% effort into his work	<b>Milly</b> – For always being responsible and respectful in and around school
6S	<b>Kuzey</b> – For a greatly improved attitude to learning	<b>Gracie</b> – For always being responsible and respectful in school
6A	<b>William</b> – For a fantastic attitude to learning	<b>Evie</b> – For showing respect to her peers in the classroom

**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)

#### **Diary Dates**

*(correct at time of printing)*

**Year 3 Open Classrooms – Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> November @ 2:30pm**

**Year 6 Open Classrooms – Wednesday 28<sup>th</sup> November @ 2:30pm**

**Class 5A Family Assembly – Friday 23<sup>rd</sup> November 9:10-9.30am**

**PTFA Prosecco and Pamper Event (see flyer overleaf) – Friday 30<sup>th</sup> November 6:30-8:30pm**

**PTFA Christmas Fair (see flyer overleaf) – Friday 7<sup>th</sup> December 3:30-5:30pm**

**School closes for Christmas 2018 Term – Non Uniform Day (£1 donation gratefully received to go towards curriculum enhancement) – Friday 21<sup>st</sup> December**

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

**School re-opens – Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> January 2019 @ 8:50am**

**School closes for Spring Half Term Term – Non Uniform Day (£1 donation gratefully received to go towards curriculum enhancement) – Friday 15<sup>th</sup> February 2019**

*(Foundation, Yrs 1 & 2 finish @ 3:15pm)*

*(Years 3, 4, 5 & 6 @ 3:20pm)*

**School re-opens – Tuesday 26<sup>th</sup> February 2019 @ 8:50am**

**School closes for Easter Break 2019 Term – Non Uniform Day (£1 donation gratefully received to go towards curriculum enhancement) – Friday 12<sup>th</sup> April 2019**

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

School re-opens – Tuesday 23<sup>rd</sup> April 2019 @ 8:50am

School closed for May Day – Monday 6<sup>th</sup> May 2019

Year 6 SATs – week commencing 13<sup>th</sup> May 2019

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

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)*

**Please note change of date for school re-opening in the New Year – Tuesday 8<sup>th</sup> January 2019**

## UPCOMING PTFA EVENTS FOR YOUR DIARY

HAWES SIDE ACADEMY PTFA PRESENTS

# Pamper and Prosecco Evening

November 30<sup>th</sup> at 6.30 p.m.

Tickets £5.00 (including a glass of prosecco on arrival)



This will be our first 'Christmas Market' style evening for adults only. Stalls will include Tropic products, Personalised and Handmade gifts, Perfume, Scented candles, Fashion show and more.

**Tickets are on sale now in the academy office**

# You are invited

Refreshments

Visit Santa

Raffle



FUN  
GAMES

Tombola

Craft

## TO OUR PTFA CHRISTMAS FAIR

Friday 7th December

In the main hall at the end of the Academy day

## CHRISTMAS DRAW TICKETS WILL BE ON SALE SOON. 1<sup>st</sup> PRIZE NINTENDO SWITCH

*And.. don't forget we are collecting for our famous 'Bottle-bola' on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> November!*