



Hill View Primary School

Reach For The Stars.

HEADTEACHERS UPDATE

Welcome back! I hope you all had a restful summer.

It has been a pleasure walking around the school, seeing all of the children looking so smart and eager to learn.

Visitors to the school have already commented on the children's good manners and positive learning attitude. A fantastic start to the new academic year!

Victoria Buckland

Headteacher

MORNING START

Please be reminded that the school gates open at 8.30am and the classroom doors open at 8.40am. Children are your responsibility until they enter the building. In order to safeguard all children, please do not enter the school with your children. If you have a query and need to speak to a teacher, please come into the office and we will pass the message on.

The class registers are taken at 8.50am.

DOGS

Dogs must NOT enter the school in any circumstances. They cannot be tied to railings near school or be in the driveway to the Y3 playground. This is for all children's safety and we must remember that not all children are comfortable around dogs. Also, some children have fur allergies, so if they come in contact with animals, this can be a health risk for them.

NUTS

Please be reminded we are a NUT FREE school. No nuts or nut products of any kind can be in school. Thank you for your co operation.

ILLNESSES

Please can we ask that if your child comes into contact with Chicken Pox, Shingles, or Measles to let the school know as soon as possible as we have a child in school with an impaired immune system.

HAIR

Please ensure that long hair is tied up. This is for health and safety reasons and it also helps keeps the bugs away.

CENSUS

You may not be aware but each term the Department for Education do a census for every school. The census is used to inform and establish what our budget will be. One of the measures they collect, is how many children in Reception, Y1 and Y2 take up the hot free school meal. This data is then used to set our budget, however, we are not getting as much money as we could as some children in Reception, Y1 and Y2 do not have the entitled free school meal. **We would like to ask that all parents in Reception, Y1 and Y2 book a free school meal on **Thursday 3rd October** for their child – if all families did this the school would receive approximately £20,000 in additional funding. This additional funding would make a real difference to us. Thank you for your co operation.**

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Coming Up...

Wednesday 11th-18th September

Life Bus

Friday 13th September

Reception children start full time

Monday 16th September

Meet the Teacher

School Photos

Tuesday 17th September

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Friday 20th September

Year 2 Outcome 3.15pm

Monday 30th September

Harvest Festival

Friday 25th October

Inset day

Monday 28th October

Half Term

Thursday 31st October

Deadline for Secondary School Applications

Monday 4th November

Return to school

Attendance

Week ending 06/09/2019

97.5%

Best Reception Class:

Carle & Rosen 100%

Best Year 1/2 Class:

Monet % Nightingale 99.6%

Best Year 3/4 Class:

Murray 100%

Best Year 5/6 Class:

Cassidy 100%

MORNING AND AFTER SCHOOL CLUB PAYMENT SCHEDULES

<u>ATTENDANCE WEEK</u>	<u>FINAL PAYMENT DATE</u>
Monday 7 October	Friday 20 September
Monday 14 October	Friday 27 September

FREE SCHOOL MEALS

Did you know that if your joint income is below £16,190.00 per year you may be entitled to Free School Meals. In addition to this, you could also be eligible for a uniform grant. Please contact the office for more details.

LIFE BUS

Parents are invited to attend a session with the Life Bus tutor on Thursday 12th September, if they would like to see what is taught to the children. The session will be in the North Hall via the school office at 2.45pm-3.15pm.

HOMEWORK BOOKS

Homework will be sent home this Friday for Y1-Y6. Please ensure homework is completed and sent back to school on the following Wednesday.

If your child does not complete the homework, they will be given homework support on Wednesday lunchtimes in order to complete it.

Home learning will be linked to projects and sent home at the beginning of each project. Any problems with homework should be directed to your child's teacher.

MEET THE TEACHER

On Monday 16th September, you have the chance to come into school at the end of the day to meet your child's teacher. This is an open session, so you do not need to book a place, just turn up. Please be aware that if you have any specific needs you wish to discuss with the teacher, you will need to book a further appointment with them.

YEAR 2 OUTCOME

The Y2 outcome for their project 'The Day the Crayons Quit' is on Friday 20th September.

Parents are invited into school to see your child's work once you have collected them at the end of the day. (3.15pm)

HARVEST FESTIVAL

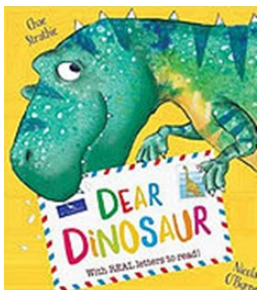
Harvest Festival will be celebrated on Monday 30th September this year and we will be collecting food donations for the Kinson Foodbank.

Please only donate long life food such as tins, packets, cartons etc. No fresh food as this cannot be stored correctly.

POLITE REMINDER

Please can we remind all parents that children should not be playing with equipment or riding scooters/bikes in the playground before school starts or at the end of the day.

Reading Focus



Dear Dinosaur – Chae Strathie

After a trip to the museum, Max writes a letter to his favourite dinosaur, the mighty T. Rex - and the T. Rex writes back! As Max and T. Rex learn about each other's lives, a very unusual friendship develops in this funny and touching story.

★ Wizards ★

Week Ending

06/09/2019

Roxanne Bennett—Y1

Isla Innes -Y1

Barnardo Fassarella Costa -Y1

Max Pardy—Y2

Holly Fisher—Y2

Keira Cox—Y2

Tasnim Sumul—Y3

Evie Bonfield—Y3

Poppy Purdy—Y3

Isabella Vordoagu—Y4

Charlie Smith—Y4

Ruby Warren—Y4

Holly Cutler—Y5

Maisie Kerlake—Y5

Logan Hansford—Y5

Alex Sherring—Y6

Evan May—Y6

Corrina Rowe—Y6

Maisie Smith—Y6



Jigsaw

