

WEEKLY Newsleiter



Summer Term ~ Issue 7~ Friday 13th June 2025

Message from Miss Caygill Head of School

Dear parents/carers,

A very busy week in school for all the children and staff as we continue our last half-term.

It has been great this week to highlight the mental well-being of all across school with our termly walks successfully led by Mrs Metcalfe. The children have been able to appreciate the natural world around them alongside developing friendships with different members of our wider school community. The learning in school has continued this week including developing the wider experiences of our children. The Year 6 children have worked on their Bikeabuility this week with Helen form Stage 1 Cycles, which helps them remain safe when they are out on their bikes. Another important aspect of safety for all our children is with their online safety. This is for all children from the very youngest in school. I attach with the newsletter information for parents around Tik Tok which has been shared through our wider YCAT Safeguarding network group. It is really important to keep up to date with the latest information about online safety to protect our children. I would like to wish our KS2 children (and staff!) a restful weekend in preparation for their upcoming residential. I know you will all enjoy this and have new exciting experiences.

Have a lovely weekend.

Miss Caygill

This week's STAR LEARNERS

Class 1 –**Theo** for his amazing piece of writing, showing all the skills he has been learning

Rosie for her enthusiasm in our history learning about castles

Class 2 – **Reuben** for showing maturity in both his work and in his kind, helpful attitude in the classroom.

Eva for modelling the use of our ABCs so well in lessons and supporting others to do the same.

Class 3 – **Zach** for some excellent ideas on how to keep safe online

Kasen for producing a great flyer about the Bristol Bus Boycotts.

Attendance

Class 1-92.6%% Class 2-79.3%%

Class 3-91.7%%

Whole School-88.25%

Harrison
for his daily support
on the mental wellbeing walks, taking
his role as an
ambassador very
seriously.

Upcoming Dates

Monday 16th -Weds 18th June

• Residential for Classes 2 and 3

Wed 18th-Thur 19th June

• Scholastic Book Fair

Thursday 19th June

Parent Oracy/Reading meeting 3.30

Friday 27th June

Sports Day

CLUBS

<u>Monday-</u> Gardening Club 3.15-4.15pm

<u>Tuesday</u> – Bird Watching Club 12:30-1pm & Yoga – 3:15 – 4:30pm

Wednesday-Music -12.30-1pm **Thursday –** Library Club 3.15 – 4pm & Zumba – 3:15 – 4.15pm **Friday-**Multiskills 3.15-4.30pm

School Office Updates

Uniform/PE

Thank you to all parents for their support and help with uniform and ensuring the children are wearing the correct items including shoes. As a school staff we will continue to closely monitor the school uniform. Please can all children continue to bring a coat to school with them as the weather seems to be a little changeable! Hopefully we will soon need to remember sun hats and cream.

Residential Trip for Classes 2 and 3

Residential is on Monday! Please remember a packed lunch and children may come in their normal clothes suitable for outdoor activity. The children have all been given kit lists so they know what to pack. There is no need to get any specialist equipment as everything is provided by the centre. E.g. walking boots, wellies, waterproofs for caving etc. Some questions have been asked about electronics etc. – there are to be no phones or electronic devices brought to the residential. Children may bring a book or a small board game if they wish to for the evenings. There is also the opportunity to buy a souvenir from Buckden House. Children are allowed to bring £10 with them for expenses. If parents have any questions, please come into school to speak to Mrs. Marwood. The children will leave school at 10.00 am on Monday morning and will be back for school pick-up on Wednesday.

Oracy

Oracy is a vital part of all the learning the children take part in. We attach a copy with our newsletter of information that explains oracy and our approach at Hawes. Mrs. Brown will be leading an after school meeting for parents across school on Thursday 19th June to talk about this in more detail. She will also discuss reading and our approaches. **The meeting is open to all parents from Nursery upwards. Please come and join us in school to find out more.**

Book Fair

The Scholastic Book Fair is at school next week. It will be open after school on Wednesday 18th and Thursday 19th to purchase books, many of which are at reduced prices. We look forward to seeing you there.

Homework

At present the teaching staff are working on updating our homework policy which we will share with parents when completed. Please can you ensure that your children are completing their reading and spelling homework alongside the extra work that KS2 need to complete. The homework given always supports the learning that is happening in school and working together on this we can really develop the learning to its full potential for your children.

Sports Day

Our annual Sports Day this year is 27th June, with the alternative date being 4th July. Mr B will be organising the event again this year. We will be holding team events in school in the morning and then invite parents and families to join us in the afternoon for our races. The Nursery children will be able to join us in Class 1 for the afternoon as they have been working on practicing the races. Please can all children wear their coloured T-shirts on the day. We look forward to welcoming you all to this event.

Clubs-next week

Gardening Club (Monday) and Yoga (Tuesday) will still go ahead for our children in Class 1. Library Club has finished for the Summer Term and will restart in September.

Photo Gallery

Mental well-being walks

Mrs Metcalfe has again led our walks this week and all the children across school have enjoyed their time outdoors. Thank you to Mrs Metcalfe for all her work and input with this and all her other important work supporting children across school.







