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Highcliffe Primary

Friday Flyer

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Dear Parents/Carers,



I would like to thank our children, families, staff and governors for another great term at Highcliffe! The effort from staff over the past couple of days to get very tired children across the finish line has been immense— thank you and enjoy your very well earned break! We have finished with super performances from KS1 and our Performing Arts Club. The children were amazing in both! Well done to all involved and huge thanks to those who watched!

Parent Questionnaire Responses: Thank you for completing our parent questionnaire recently. Please see the responses sent separately. We were really pleased with the positive feedback and will of course continue to work hard to address areas that we need to improve on. Thank you.

Christmas Hamper Winner: Congratulations to George G, who won the Christmas Hamper (very generously donated by the team at Accord!), in our raffle this afternoon! Thanks also to everyone who bought tickets! You raised £302 for Highcliffe Friends and we are so grateful!

Chocolate Tubs Collection for Macmillan Cancer: Please save any tubs this Christmas and send them into school in the New Year if you can! We are collecting them as part of the TubzPub Recycling Campaign to raise money for Macmillan Cancer Support. Thanks in advance!

Safeguarding at Highcliffe: Please see attached - 12 tips for enjoying a tech-free Christmas poster from the National Online Safety website. Whilst it is unlikely to be completely tech-free for some of them, we do hope that all of our children can enjoy other activities during the holidays as well, and that any online use is safe and positive for them.

Headstarters' Newsletter: Mrs Pattinson and I had the pleasure of interviewing candidates for our Mental Health team last week—congratulations to the children selected! Please see attached their first Newsletter; well done everyone!

We are very proud to announce this term's Merit Award recipients!

Well done everyone!

Kandinsky Class (Rec. Miss Schofield)- Charlie L

Mondrian Class (Y1 Mrs Woodhouse)- Elijah C

**Goldsworthy Class (Y2 Miss Thornton/
Mrs Whittle)-** William T

Krommes Class (Y2 Mrs Walker)- Jacob S

Rainbow Class (Mrs Pearson/Miss Heslop)- Mia W

Dali Class (Y3/4 Mrs Appleby)- Isabella B

Miro Class (Y3/4 Mrs Pattinson)- Mia L

Agar Class (Y4/5 Mrs Salter)- Joshua E

Hundertwasser Class (Y5 Mr Nash)- Lola R

Kahlo Class (Y6 Miss Donaldson)- Noah S

Picasso Class (Y6 Mr Parnaby)- Oliver H

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For further Highcliffe Highlights, please visit our Instagram page!

Whole School Attendance Target: 96% This week's attendance: 93%



This Week's Class Attendance:

Reception Miss Schofield	89%	Year 1 Mrs Woodhouse	94%
Year 2 Mrs Whittle/Miss Thornton	92%	Year 2 Mrs Walker	98%
Year 3/4 Mrs Appleby	89%	Year 3/4 Mrs Pattinson	91.5%
Year 4/5 Mrs Salter	98%	Year 5 Mr Nash	94.5%
Year 6 Miss Donaldson	95%	Year 6 Mr Parnaby	89%

This Week's Number of Lates:

Reception Miss Schofield	3	Year 1 Mrs Woodhouse	4
Year 2 Mrs Whittle/Miss Thornton	0	Year 2 Mrs Walker	1
Year 3/4 Mrs Appleby	2	Year 3/4 Mrs Pattinson	9
Year 4/5 Mrs Salter	4	Year 5 Mr Nash	5
Year 6 Miss Donaldson	1	Year 6 Mr Parnaby	2



Attendance: It is so important for the children to attend school each day. Let's all keep working hard to move towards our target! Well done to Mrs Walker's Class and Mrs Salter's Class on their 98% attendance!

A reminder that Reception and KS1 start at 8.50am and KS2 start at 8.45am.

Please ensure your child arrives at school on time each day. Thank you.

Clubs: There will be no clubs running during our first week back to school in January.

Please look out for details of the new clubs starting next term when we return.

Huge thanks to all the members of staff who have run a club this term!

And thank you and well done to all the children who have attended them each week!

Highcliffe Diary Dates:

Mon 8th Jan—Nursery Open Day from 1pm
(Nursery closed)

Mon 5th—Friday 9th Feb—Children's Mental Health Week

Friday 9th—Mon 19th Feb—Half Term

Fri 22nd March—Mon 8th April—Easter

Tues 9th April—Easter Service

Mon 13th—Thurs 16th May—KS2 Y6 SATs

Highcliffe Notices/Reminders:

A reminder that **Nursery is closed on Monday 8th January due to the Open Day.** We will look forward to seeing the children back on Tuesday 9th January!

Our term dates are on Instagram. Have a lovely break—from all at Highcliffe!