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Highcliffe Primary

Friday Flyer

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Dear Parents/Carers,



Welcome back to a new year and new term at Highcliffe! Huge thanks again to you all for your patience and support as we adapted our usual routines in response to the weather disruption this week!

We are very proud to announce this week's **Pupils of the Week**. Well done everyone!

London (Nursery Miss Hill) - Isaac S
Paris (Rec. Miss Schofield) - Tommie S
Cairo (Y1 Mrs Woodhouse) - Toby A
Nairobi (Y2 Mrs Walker) - Kimball G
Rainbow (Miss Heslop) - Isabelle E
Ottawa (Y3 Mrs Appleby) - Kiegan S
Tokyo (Y4 Mrs Rose) - Lailah M
Rome (Y4/5 Mrs Salter) - Sophie O
Athens (Y5/6 Mr Parnaby) - Isabella B
Kingston (Y6 Mrs Brittain) - Amelie H

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Well done everyone!: I would like to thank each member of staff for all their hard work this week and for ensuring that the children have had such a great start to the year so far. They have settled back in really well and the high standards of behaviour have reflected everybody's commitment to upholding our school values. This week's assembly theme was gratitude and I am certainly very grateful to you all for our super start to 2026!

Nursery Open Day: Thank you to Miss Hill and Miss Shutt for hosting our open day meeting for new Nursery starters on Tuesday. Thanks also to those of you who attended—we will look forward to welcoming your children to Highcliffe over the next few weeks and hope they will be very happy here.

Plastic Chocolates/Sweets Tubs: We are collecting plastic tubs, e.g. Celebrations, Cadbury Heroes, Quality Street etc., to raise money for Macmillan Cancer Support, and would welcome any donations please. Many thanks!

Headstarters Resources: Please use the link below for more information on Headstarters and the work they do to support children's mental health in schools. Mrs Brittain's write up of our Christmas Market Stall made December's Newsletter and features on the website!

[News & Events : HeadStart South Tees](#)

Goodbye and good luck to Toby, Y1, who is leaving us today! We are wishing you lots of luck with your move and will miss you being at Highcliffe!

For further Highcliffe information, please visit our website and Instagram.

Whole school attendance target: 96% This week's attendance: 97%



This Week's Class Attendance:

Reception Miss Schofield	98%	Year 1 Mrs Woodhouse	96%
Year 2 Mrs Walker	100%	Rainbow Room Miss Heslop	75%
Year 3 Mrs Appleby	99%	Year 4 Mrs Rose	98%
Year 4/5 Mrs Salter	98%	Year 5/6 Mr Parnaby	98%
Year 6 Mrs Brittain	96%	Whole School	97%

This Week's Number of Lates:

Reception Miss Schofield	2	Year 1 Mrs Woodhouse	8
Year 2 Mrs Walker	4	Rainbow Room Miss Heslop	0
Year 3 Mrs Appleby	4	Year 4 Mrs Rose	4
Year 4/5 Mrs Salter	4	Year 5/6 Mr Parnaby	8
Year 6 Mrs Brittain	4	Whole School	38

Attendance and Punctuality Headlines:

Well done to Mrs Walker's Y2 class on 100% attendance this week, and to Rainbow Room on 0 lates! Please ensure your child attends every day unless too unwell and that they arrive by **8.45am**. Thank you.



Highcliffe Diary Dates:

- Tues 20th Jan—EYFS Soft Play Trip
 - Mon 9th-Friday 13th May—Children's Mental Health Week
 - Fri 20th Feb—Mon 2nd March—Feb Half Term
 - Thurs 2nd—Mon 20th April—Easter Break
 - Mon 11th—Thurs 14th May—Y6 KS2 SATs*
 - Fri 22nd May—Mon 1st June—May Half Term
 - Mon 1st June—PD Day—School Closed
 - Tues 2nd—Fri 12th June—Y4 Multiplication Check*
 - Mon 8th—Fri 12th June—Y1 Phonics Screening*
 - Fri 17th July—Children break up for summer
- *If your child is in any of these year groups, please do not book holidays during their assessment weeks.

Highcliffe Wraparound:

We have spaces in our before and after school clubs next week!

We open at 7.30am, close at 6pm and accept Tax Free Credits.

We have a really friendly, regular group of children and an amazing team of TAs in the setting.

There is lots to do and a wide choice of food for breakfast and after school snacks.

If you would like to book sessions, please see ParentPay for more information. Thank you.

Clubs W/C Monday 12th January:

Motor Skills: Monday to Friday (morning)

Mon: Y4-Y6 Gymnastics (lunch); Y6 Book Club (lunch); Y5/6 Basketball

Tues: Y4-6 Gymnastics Vault (lunch)

Thurs: Y4-6 Basketball Shooting (lunch); Y3/4 Basketball

All term & PD dates are on our website & Instagram. Enjoy the weekend—from all at Highcliffe!