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Highcliffe Primary

Friday Flyer

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Dear Parents/Carers,

To enhance our Reading for Pleasure provision across school, we have signed up to the National Year of Reading 2026 initiative. This aims to reverse the decline in the number of people who read regularly and celebrate literacy and reading together. This year's theme is: Go All In, and we are certainly looking forward to being a part of such an important project! Please use this link to access a free children's book newsletter to share with your children. Thank you!

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Parking Safely: Please park safely and respectfully around school, and avoid double parking so that children are able to cross safely; emergency vehicles can get through and potential knocks with other cars can be avoided. Thank you.

Safeguarding at Highcliffe: Being Kind Online

As you will know, we remind the children constantly about the importance of being kind, and the theme for this week's assemblies has been:

A reminder to be kinder...

We feel very fortunate that so many of our children at Highcliffe don't need these reminders and show kindness to others as often as possible in person and online, if they are allowed to access the internet to communicate with other children.

Unfortunately, a very small number of them still need to be reminded to show kindness, and that unkind behaviour can be particularly distressing online.

We really appreciate your support sharing the messages below at home to make sure everybody can feel safe when interacting online. Thank you.

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

London (Nursery Miss Hill) - Lucas H

Paris (Rec. Miss Schofield) - Erica H

Cairo (Y1 Mrs Woodhouse) - Hollie T

Nairobi (Y2 Mrs Walker) - Joey L

Rainbow (Miss Heslop) - Alfie G

Ottawa (Y3 Mrs Appleby) - Katelyn P

Tokyo (Y4 Mrs Rose) - Athena L

Rome (Y4/5 Mrs Salter) - William T

Athens (Y5/6 Mr Parnaby) - Caleb S

Kingston (Y6 Mrs Brittain) - Isabelle H

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Being kind online

If it isn't nice – don't post it!

Use your comments to build other people up

Check my comments are sensitive to others

THINK before you click

Never like, retweet or post negative comments

Be your Best Self Online

STOP - THINK - ACT

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

Whole school attendance target: 96% This week's attendance: 94%



This Week's Class Attendance:

Reception Miss Schofield	86%	Year 1 Mrs Woodhouse	98%
Year 2 Mrs Walker	97%	Rainbow Room Miss Heslop	75%
Year 3 Mrs Appleby	97%	Year 4 Mrs Rose	97%
Year 4/5 Mrs Salter	91%	Year 5/6 Mr Parnaby	97%
Year 6 Mrs Brittain	94%	Whole School	94%

This Week's Number of Lates:

Reception Miss Schofield	3	Year 1 Mrs Woodhouse	9
Year 2 Mrs Walker	8	Rainbow Room Miss Heslop	0
Year 3 Mrs Appleby	3	Year 4 Mrs Rose	2
Year 4/5 Mrs Salter	2	Year 5/6 Mr Parnaby	5
Year 6 Mrs Brittain	6	Whole School	38

Attendance and Punctuality Headlines:

Well done to Mrs Woodhouse's Y1 class on 98% 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
 - Wed 21st Jan—Y3 Swimming
 - Thurs 22nd Jan—KS1 Library Session from 8.30am
 - Mon 9th-Fri 13th Feb—Children's Mental Health Week
 - Fri 20th Feb—Mon 2nd Mar—Feb Half Term
 - Thurs 5th Mar—EYFS/KS1 Parent Meetings
 - Thurs 12th Mar—KS2 Parent Meetings
 - Tues 24th Mar—KS2 Easter Service, 10am
 - 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.

Clubs W/C Monday 19th January: 4.15pm finish; collection from main office, unless otherwise stated. Thank you.

Motor Skills: Monday to Friday (morning)

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

Tues: Y4-6 Gymnastics Vault (lunch)

Wed: KS2 Choir

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

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

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