

HEVINGHAM NEWSLETTER



**Confident and Healthy Individuals
Successful Learners
Responsible Citizens
February 2024**

Our Vision



Dyslexia Awareness

We are delighted to offer parents/carers the opportunity to attend a Dyslexia Awareness workshop, delivered by Philippa Baillie from the Dyslexia Outreach Service.

This is offered as a free to attend workshop on Thursday 25th April, 12.30 pm - 2.45 pm.

The workshop will help those attending to gain:

- a great understanding of what dyslexia is.
- knowledge of how dyslexia can affect a young person in their learning
- knowledge of how to help at home if their child has difficulties with literacy
- a useful take home booklet with tips and resources to support children with reading, writing and spelling at home.

Please see attached flyer for more information.

Ofsted

We were inspected on 31st January and 1st February at Hevingham Primary School and are currently awaiting our report to share with families.

Childrens Mental Health Week

Thank you also for helping to raise funds for Mental Health for Children we raised £78.70 and this money can do so much for children struggling with mental health.

Free Workshops

TACT have 2 new FREE adult workshops scheduled for parents/colleagues/volunteers to join, both on the evening of Thursday 14th March: 6 pm - 7 pm

UPVC Windows and Doors - useful maintenance tips to keep UPVC windows and doors in good working order. Including how to replace a broken window/door handle and the door lock barrel.

7 -pm - 8 pm

Vegetable and flower seeds, plants and bulbs - hints and tips to successfully plant and nurture vegetable and flower seeds, plants and bubs for tubs and borders.

For more information please see attached flyers.

World Book Day

World Book Day is on **Thursday 7th March**. Children are invited to dress up as a character from a book on this day. If they have a copy of the book that their character is from, they can bring this in and we will share it during the day. There will also be book themed activities happening in class during the day.

Please do not feel that you need to buy anything special. A simple homemade costume will be just as good.

We look forward to seeing and hearing about your children's characters!

Number Day

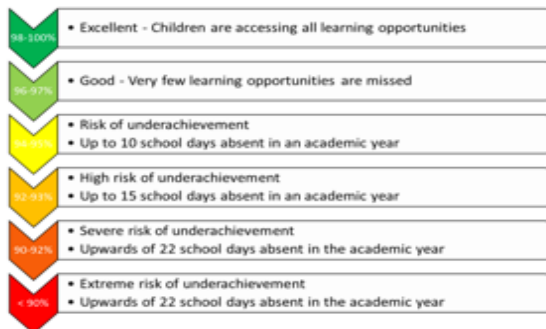
Thank you for all your support on Friday 2nd February. We raised an amazing £86.00 for the NSPCC.

School Attendance

Every day at school counts, helping with learning, developing skills, and building friendships. As you can see since the beginning of the school year, attendance as significantly fallen.

Missed Minutes =
Missed Learning =
Missed Opportunities

Good attendance at school is one of the most important factors ensuring that children and young people have the best opportunities in adult life!



Your children should to be in school between **8.50am and 9.00am**. We understand illness cannot be avoided, however let's work together and boost the attendance at Marsham this term!

If your child becomes reluctant to go to school or you need help, please contact us immediately, we are more likely to be able to work together to solve any problems if we act early.

Month	Attendance %
September	97.76%
October	97.24%
November	95.61%
December	94.94%
January	93.71%
February	94.01%

Early Help

On Tuesday 5th March (Family Learning Day) We will have Yvette Gould in school again who is an Early Help Community Worker.

Yvette is working with our families and schools in the local area.

Yvette is able to support with information, advice, and guidance to families as soon as there is a worry. She can help any family with a child or young person up to 19-years-old (25 for young people with a special educational need and/or disability).

If you would like to speak to Yvette, the Family Hub runs daily clinics for parents to drop in and speak to a Family Community Worker. Please see link for more information.

<https://www.norfolk.gov.uk/familyhubs>

Hilltop 2024

Years 5 & 6 all had an amazing time at their Residential to Hilltop. We would like to invite all parents / carers to our assembly on Wednesday 6th March @ 2.45pm to see all the photos taken from their trip. Please see a selection below.





Key Dates

MARCH 2024

Thurs 7th - World Book Day

Mon 11th - Assessment week & Science week

Fri 15th - Red Nose Day

Thurs 21st - Presentation of Learning -

Rec/YR1 (Hedgehog class) 9.15am - 10am

YR2 (Fox class) 9.15am - 10am

YR3/4 (Badger class) 10.15 - 11.15am

YR5/6 (Pheasant class) 9.15am - 10.15am

Wed 27th - Reports to parents

Wed 27th - Break for Easter Holiday

APRIL 2024

Mon 15th - Back to school



Headteacher Award



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Kianne BK	Great motivation in all subjects
Laila L	Always being so kind and supportive to everyone all the time
Ruby J	Wonderful motivation with formal writing - great role model
Alicia G	perseverance & motivation in her writing
All children & Staff	Extolling our school vision & values during our Ofsted inspection
Theo T	increased motivation in all subjects
Elliott BC	Great motivation in his art work
Evelyn F	Amazing perseverance in art
Sapphire H	Excellent teamwork and creativity for your Hilltop diorama
Kianne BK	Great perseverance in all subjects - Well done!
Sienna	Bravery & motivation to try new things at Hilltop
Amari	Amazing perseverance in his writing
Ava G	Always being motivated in all her learning

Mrs. Lydia Board - Executive Head Teacher