



South Hiendley Primary School

"Everyone Equal, Everyone Happy"

NEWSLETTER (24.10.18)

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Useful dates and reminders:	
Parents' Consultation Evenings	23&25.10.18
Break up for half term	25.10.18
INSET Day (school closed to pupils)	26.10.18
Autumn Term (2)	
INSET Day (School closed to pupils)	5.11.18
School Re-opens	6.11.18
Reception Inspire afternoon	6.11.18
Autumn Disco (EYFS & Key Stage 1: 4-5.15pm / Key Stage 2: 5.30-7.00pm)	14.11.18
After-School Clubs begin this week	12.11.18
Litter pick at South Hiendley Common (group of KS2 pupils)	15.11.18
Anti-Bullying Week	12-16.11.18
Children in Need Fundraising Day - Non-Uniform Day and Bun Sale	16.11.18
Anti-Bullying Show - 'Oh No It Isn't! Oh Yes It Is!' Story Magic Theatre	16.11.18
Photographs - Tempest (Individuals and Families) 8.30am start	21.11.18
Non-Uniform Day (Christmas tombola gift donations)	26.11.18

Well done to Year 2 for their excellent behaviour when visiting **Conisbrough Castle** last week. Mrs Reed was very impressed with all the pupils for challenging themselves and climbing all of the steps to the top!

Parking reminder - May we remind parents / carers not to park on the school drive at drop off and pick up times, as this causes a hazard for pedestrians and for authorised drivers. May we also remind parents/carers that the carpark is for staff and visitor use only. Blue Badge holders may use the disabled bay if actually dropping off or collecting child/ren.

Staff update - We would like to say thank you and good-bye to Mrs Brown, one of our lunchtime supervisors who left last week. We wish her luck as she starts her new job!

Governor update - We would like to inform you that Mrs Lindsey Horsfall has made the decision to step down from the Governing Board. We would like to thank her for her time on the Governing Board.

SCHOOL ATTENDANCE MATTERS

Whole School Target - 2018-2019 = **96.5%**

Class	Last Week	This Year
Mrs Webber (FS2)	87.41%	93.03%
Miss Harper (Y1)	89%	93.31%
Mrs Reed (Y2)	98.62% 😊	89.24%
Miss Foster (Y3)	84%	91.87%
Miss Jackson (Y4)	85%	94.61%
Mrs Whelan (Y5)	97.67% 😊	95.54%
Miss Frith (Y6)	88%	93.99%
Whole School	90%	93.11%

Well done to all the pupils who came to school every day last week. **Well done to Year 2 and Year 5 for exceeding the attendance target last week. Unfortunately, all classes are below the target to date for the year.** Please contact the school if your child is absent, stating the reason why, by 9.30am. If you would like any support or advice regarding your child's attendance, please contact Miss Barraclough, our Learning Mentor or Mrs Townend, our Attendance Officer.

Our first **PTA meeting** of the year was held yesterday. Members of the PTA will be helping at the Autumn Discos, the Christmas Fair (Santa's Grotto!) and Film Nights during the Spring term. If you are interested in helping at any of these fundraising events, please contact the school office or speak to Mrs Jones. Thank you

'Together we can make a difference!'

Online Payments - The link to set-up online payments for our school is:

www.scopay.com/southhiendleysch

Please speak to the school office staff if you require a replacement password.

Although we do still accept cash, we would prefer parents to use the online system.

Cheques should be made payable to South Hiendley Primary School.