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News

3rd May 2024

We hope everyone has a lovely bank holiday weekend, see you back in school on Tuesday 7th May at 8.45am



Celebration Assembly

Well done to the following children who received an award in assembly today as our Readers, Writers, Mathematicians of the month and this week's Christian Value Stars;

Sienna, Nancy, Evie, William C, Archie, Tommy, Milly G, Betsy, Jessica T, Joey A, Annabelle H, Jayden, Henry, Koby, Darcy & Owen

We also awarded the children who raised the most money in each class for Pendleside Hospice last week in our sponsored Bunny Hop, well done to;

Parker, Zienna, Oscar & Olivia T

Well done to all those children who earned sports awards outside of school this week. We had swimmers, 1/2 marathon runners, horse riding, footballers. We had a record number! We definitely love sports here at Hapton!



Next week's lunch choices:

Monday	Bank Holiday		
Tuesday	Loaded Tacos	Pinwheel Pizza	Jacket Potato
Wednesday	Roast Chicken	Tomato & Mascarpone Pasta	Jacket Potato
Thursday	Sausage & Wedges	Tomato Pasta	Jacket Potato
Friday	Fish Fingers	Pizza	Sandwich Selection

Year 6 SATs

We only have 1 week until our Year 6 children sit their SATs exams. Please make sure your children are in school everyday next week.



Here are some great tips to prepare before your exams while your at home;

1. Take regular breaks during your revision
2. Get plenty of rest/sleep! Not too many late nights and a sensible bed time
3. Exercise really helps! It helps you stay focused and gives you more energy
4. Don't compare yourself to others
5. If your worried or struggling, talk to us!



Afterschool Clubs

April / May 2024

<u>Day</u>	<u>Class</u>	<u>Club</u>
Monday	4	Compassion in Sport
Tuesday	3	Compassion in Sport
Tuesday	3 & 4	Awe and Wonder FULL Cancelled Tuesday 7th May
Wednesday	2	Compassion in Sport
Thursday	1	Compassion in Sport

Please can we kindly remind parents to collect children from clubs on time at 4.15pm.

There are currently numerous road works around school, please take this into consideration and plan this into your drop off and pick up times.

Each half term when new clubs start, please hand the consent forms to the office. If Mrs Wheeler hasn't been in touch, your child has a place in the club.

She will only contact you if the club is full and your child cannot stay behind.

Thank You

Health Notices

Railway Safety

We have been asked to share the links below from Rail Safe.

Due to increasing incidents of trespass on the railway near your school, we urgently need you to please share the relevant **FREE** 15 minute safety video with parents;

KS1
<https://learnliveuk.com/ks1-primary-school-safety-talk/>

KS2 <https://learnliveuk.com/network-rail-primary-school-safety-talk>

NHS

MEASLES

Don't let your child catch it
- get them vaccinated with the MMR vaccine

- measles outbreaks happen when not enough children have been vaccinated
- measles can be a very serious disease, leading to ear and chest infections, fits, diarrhoea, and damage to the brain. Measles can kill
- your child is at risk of measles if he or she hasn't had the MMR vaccination
- 2 doses of MMR vaccine are needed to get the best protection
- if your child is due to have had 2 doses of MMR but has not yet received them, no matter what age they are, you should contact your GP to get them vaccinated as soon as possible*
- if you can't remember if your child has had any, 1 or 2 doses of MMR vaccine, check his or her personal child health record (the Red Book). If this doesn't help, speak to your GP.
- if you don't know how many doses your child has had, it's better to have 2 doses of MMR vaccine now rather than risk leaving them unprotected

*In response to a local outbreak then the 2 doses can be given one month apart from the age of 18 months.

Immunisation
the safest way to protect your child

Some common questions about measles and the MMR vaccine are listed on the back of this leaflet

Answers to some common questions about measles and the MMR vaccine

Why are we seeing these outbreaks of measles?

Measles is a highly infectious disease, spreading quickly from person to person, especially in schools. A child with measles will infect almost all unprotected children they have contact with. Since the end of 2017 there has been an increase in measles globally which has affected the UK. This has resulted in some spread into wider communities, in particular in undervaccinated groups.

When are the MMR vaccinations usually given?

The best times are between 12 and 13 months of age and again at 3 years and 4 months, with one dose on each occasion. But, if your child wasn't vaccinated then, they can be vaccinated at any age with 2 doses one month apart.

Will there be any side effects to the vaccination?

Your child may get the symptoms of measles, mumps and rubella for up to 6 weeks after the vaccination but in a very much milder form. This proves that the vaccine is working and your child is building up resistance to future contact with the viruses that cause the 3 diseases. Not all children show these symptoms but that doesn't mean the vaccine isn't working.

Should parents in outbreak areas get vaccinated against measles?

As with many diseases, once you have had measles, you don't catch it again because you have built up a natural resistance to it. So, if you've had measles or 2 doses of MMR vaccine you do not need to get vaccinated now.

For more information about measles and MMR go to www.nhs.uk/conditions/measles/

Our Christian Value this half term is— Compassion.

How can we all show Compassion??

- * Speak with kindness
- * Apologise when you have made a mistake
- * Listen carefully and without judgement
 - * Encourage others
 - * Offer to help others
- * Be happy for others success
- * Show respect to others
 - * Be patient



...But you are a forgiving God, gracious and **compassionate**, slow to anger and abounding in love.

Nehemiah 9:17



Dates for Diary

Monday 6th May—School Closed for Bank Holiday

Thursday 9th May—Class 1 Stay and Play session

W/C—Monday 13th May—Year 6 SATs

Monday 20th May—World Bee Day/ Special Breakfast Club/ Come to school in black and yellow with just giving donations to The Wildlife Trust

Thursday 23rd May—Class Photographs / Football Team Semi-Finals

Friday 24th May—School closes at **1.15pm**

Monday 10th June—School Re-opens



Mrs Roberts & Mrs McKenzie would like to invite parents of Class 1 children to come and stay and play with them next

Thursday 9th May 9.00am-10.15am

Due to space in the classroom please can we ask that only up to 2 adults per child attend the session.

We look forward to seeing you in Class 1

Don't forget to book your child's place at our special Breakfast Club on

Monday 20th May

Forms are available from the office. £5 each, cash to the office please.

Places are limited so please book ASAP to avoid disappointment

