



Henshaw CE Primary School Newsletter

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Mrs Hancock & Miss Reynolds's Menu w/c 6/11/18
(Please note: this menu may be subject to change)

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
School Closed Teacher Training Day	Chicken Curry, Cous Cous, Naan Bread OR Wrap with Chicken or Cheese	Gammon & New Potatoes OR Jacket Potato with Beans or Cheese	Lasagne & Homemade Bread OR Pasta with Cheese or Chicken	Fish & Chips OR Baguette with Tuna or Cheese
	Sweetcorn	Beans	Salad	Peas
	Raspberry Cheesecake	Flapjack	Jelly & Ice Cream	Chocolate Brownie & Milkshake
	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt	Fresh Fruit/Yoghurt



Stars of the Week



Reception Class - Billy for super sound blending when reading his book

Key Stage 1 - Elizabeth & Reece for fantastic letters to Mr Fox

Key Stage 2 – Evie for doing the same Maths work as our Year 6 children

Presentation Award – Amber for consistently neat work and for following our non-negotiables

Values and Virtues Award – Matthew for his creativity in home learning tasks

Learning Achievements

Reception Class – We have had a lovely muddy Forest Schools session and made Soup & Crumble for our parents to share.

Key Stage 1 We have received a party invitation from Mr Fox and have written him a letter thanking him. In Maths, we have been practising counting forwards and backwards and our +/- skills.

Key Stage 2 – We have been preparing for our end of term presentation to parents which has involved cooking four courses, practising our mock battle, learning our songs and harvesting our crops.

Attendance W/C 22/10/18

	%
Reception	98.6
Year 1	92.9
Year 2	98.2
Year 3	95.6
Year 4	96
Year 5	100
Year 6	86
Overall	95.5

This half term, as usual, has been very busy! We have enjoyed:

- 'Meet and greet' sessions
- Celebration Assemblies with Reverend Carter
- Welcoming the Bishops and the Archbishop of York
- Meeting Prince Charles at The Sill!
- Key Stage 2 swimming sessions
- Meeting Hallie our Reading Dog!
- Training with NUFC
- Raising money for MacMillan Support & Indonesian Earthquake Appeal
- Becoming a Beacon School for the Community with Team GB
- Stay and Share sessions
- Joint Harvest Festival at All Hallows Church, Henshaw
- Watching the Highlights Production, 'The Worm'
- Tag Rugby Tournament
- Romans v Celts Parent Session
- Reception and Pre-School Soup and Crumble afternoon
- Non Uniform Day
- Football, Rugby, Netball, Cookery & Homework After School Clubs
- Our new Year 5/6 Girls Football Team at Haydon Bridge AFC

Topics for Autumn Term 2

Reception- What happens when I go to sleep?

Key Stage 1- Moon Zoom

Key Stage 2- Predator!

School Clubs

Please note that there will be no School Clubs during the first week after the holidays.

Tag Rugby Tournament

The children in Years 3 and 4 worked really well as team yesterday. They had lots of fun and played very well! Well done everyone!

Parent Teacher Consultations

Just a reminder that our Parent Teacher consultations are being held during the first week back after the holidays.

New Classroom

I am very pleased to report that, after a number of difficulties in terms of securing the right advice, we can confirm that the project to build the new Year 5 and Year 6 classroom will be going ahead, starting very early in the new year.

Several people, not least Gavin Boyd and Katy Rushworth, Governors, have been doggedly committed to ensuring this project speeded up to ensure that the new classroom would be ready for use before the summer holidays 2019. This is now on course.

Key Stage 1 Staffing Arrangements

Mrs Philipson & Miss Shepherd, supported by Mrs Hall & Miss Mowbray, will be teaching in Key Stage 1 during the first week of term.

Soup and Crumble Afternoon

Thank you to everyone who attended our Early Years 'Soup and Crumble' afternoon. The children really enjoyed making the soup and the crumble during a cookery session and sharing it with you.

Friends of Greenhead Race Night

The Friends of Greenhead have organised a Race Night on Saturday 10th November at the Blenkinsopp Inn- first race starts at 8pm. All welcome. All proceeds go to Greenhead Primary School.

We would like to wish all our families a fantastic, safe and restful half term break! We look forward to seeing you all back in school on **Tuesday 6th November** (N.B . Monday 5th November is a Teacher Training Day).

Yours



Mrs Sarah Hutchinson - Executive Head Teacher