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Dear Parents and Carers,

We are holding our annual **Open Afternoon on Wednesday 29th September from 4:00pm to 6:00pm.**

We will be delighted to welcome pupils in Year 3 and 4 into school, along with parents and carers, to have a look around and find out more about Highfield Middle School.

We are very proud of our school and look forward to sharing what we have to offer. On the day you will get to tour our school, meet all of our staff and lots of our children, who will be demonstrating many of the exciting things that happen at Highfield Middle School. You will also get to see our specialist facilities and sample some of our school meals.

All members of the school leadership team will be available on the night for you to chat to. However, we have decided not to bring everyone together in the hall for a presentation this year, in the interest of Covid safety. Instead, we are making lots of virtual content available online, to complement your visit in school and make sure you really get to know about life as a Highfielder. A welcome from the Headteacher, Ofsted Report, School Prospectus and bitesize videos about all aspects of school life are available on the [Virtual Open Evening 2021](#) section of our school website.

Additional safety measures will be in place to make sure your visit is enjoyable. We encourage adults to wear face masks and request that everyone sanitises their hands on arrival.

We encourage pupils from Prudhoe West Academy and Prudhoe Castle First School to join us between 4:00 - 5:00pm wherever possible, and pupils from Mickley First, Adderlane Academy and all other schools to join us between 5:00 – 6:00pm.

The online [admissions portal](#) is now open on the Northumberland County Council website. The deadline for applications is 31st October 2021.

We are really looking forward to meeting you all on the 29th September.

Kind Regards

Richard Oades
Headteacher