

MR SINGH'S WEEKLY MESSAGE

Dear parents and guardians,

It has been a positive first week back and we have lots to look forward to before the end of the Academic year.

I want to take this chance to remind you all about attendance.

Heckmondwike Academy has a statutory duty to keep your child safe which includes knowing where they are if they are not in school. We appreciate that children are sometimes genuinely ill. If your child is going to be absent due to illness, parents/carers are requested to telephone on the first day of absence before 08.30. If you leave a message on the answerphone service before 08:00 please give your child's name, class and reason for absence and then each morning, for the duration of the absence.

If you do not contact the office, school will ring you followed by every contact number we hold for your child until we speak to somebody – we may also conduct a visit to the family home. If your child is absent for two consecutive days and we are unable to contact anybody, we will visit the family home to ensure that your child/ children are safe and well.

If we are still unable to speak to a named contact, then we may call 101 to seek police assistance in locating the family.

HECKMONDWIKE ACADEMY ATTENDANCE PROTOCOLS

If there is no improvement in your child's attendance, then the following actions may be taken:

- Home visit from a member of the safeguarding team or Head of Academy
- Education Penalty Notice warning letter
- Invite to Attendance Support Plan meeting
- Voice of the Child
- Education Penalty Notice
- Court proceedings

Key messages:

EID PARTY AND DOJO POP UP SHOP

There will be a Dojo pop up shop for the week commencing 10th June – where children can swap their dojos for family gifts to share over Eid.

Eid parties will take place on **Friday 21st June**. Children are welcome to wear party clothes on this day.

PARENTS EVENING

Parents evening will take place on **Monday 24th June and Wednesday 26th June**.

A letter will be sent out next week which will include appointment times.

SPORTS DAY

Please see below the scheduled dates for sports day:

Reception: Friday 21st June at 9:00am

Year 1: Tuesday 25th June at 1:45pm

Year 2: Wednesday 26th June at 1:45pm

Year 3: Thursday 27th June at 1:45pm

Year 4: Tuesday 2nd July at 1:45pm

Year 5: Wednesday 3rd July at 1:45pm

Year 6: Thursday 4th July at 1:45pm

END OF YEAR REPORTS

Your child's end of year academic report will be issued to you on Tuesday 16th July.

TRANSITION DAY (REC-Y5)

Your child's transition day will take place on Wednesday 17th July. This will be the chance for the children to meet their new teacher.

SUMMER FAYRE

The Summer Fayre will take place on Thursday 18th July – more information to follow.

Have a great weekend.

Mr J Singh

PUPIL OF THE WEEK

RI: Inaayah Ahmed	RN: Dua Tufail
1B: Oliver Varadi	4LB: Abdul-Mannan Sohail
1Q: Ismaeel Mehmood	4W: Faizan Farooq
2H: Wadaan Khan	5G: Shahaana Azad
2R: Safaa Hussain	5S: Maira Rizwan
3A: Umamah Sumbul	6F: Mubashir Hafeez
3D: Mya Ibrahim	6L: Izaan Adnan

ATTENDANCE

RI: 95.71%	RN: 94.33%
1B: 97.00%	4LB: 89.33%
1Q: 98.46%	4W: 94.00%
2H: 92.50%	5G: 96.00%
2R: 85.93%	5S: 94.33%
3A: 90.00%	6F: 93.33%
3D: 92.50%	6L: 89.66%