



SUMMER TERM

Second Half-term 2018

Issue Number 24

HEADLINES

✓ **FS2 – Reception- Good Level of Development RESULTS**

2018 – 74.5% (School 2017 – 74.6%) LA – 71% National – 71.5%

✓ **Year 1 – Phonics Results**

2018 – 80% (2017 – 66%)

To Mrs Brown, Mrs Stenhouse, Mrs Tait and Mrs Crowther (Governor), I extend heartfelt thanks for your relentless work and perseverance in the boosting of phonics knowledge and application.

✓ **Year 2 – End of KS1 Results**

Year	2017			2018	
	Sch	National	Local Auth	Sch	National
Reading	77%	81%	77%	78%	76%
Writing	65%	68%	71%	73%	70%
Maths	80%	75%	78%	84%	76%
R,W,M - combined	65%		65.8%	74%	-----

✓ **Year 6 – End of KS2 Results**

Year	2017		2018	
	Sch	Nat	Sch	Nat
Reading	73%	71%	76%	75%
SPaG	87%	77%	80%	78%
Writing	75%	76%	81%	78%
Maths	81%	75%	64%	76%
R,W,M - combined	54%	61%	54%	64%

Note: All results, school, LA and national, are **PROVISIONAL** at this stage. This year we were monitored during the Y6 SATs, moderated for our FS2 (Early Years) and Y2 SATs by the Local Authority.

My sincere gratitude to all the teachers who have worked tirelessly to ensure that our children excel academically and in other areas. The tests (attainment) do not always show what they are capable of, but the progress measure from their individual starting points does. Yes, teachers in the key exit points (FS2, Y2,Y6) have a mammoth task but those who have had the children along the way also have a part to play with the building blocks securing the foundations – so we recognize them too as well as those who support with the various booster clubs. You deserve a very great summer vacation!

To all those who have supported us thorough this academic year, thank you! It means a lot to staff to be appreciated for the hard work they do in ensuring that our pupils are catered for in the best possible way and taught to the very best standard.

From the Governors and all staff, we wish you a happy Summer.

Back to School

PUPILS RETURN TO SCHOOL AT THE USUAL TIME on TUESDAY, 4th September, 2018. Registration bell sounds at 8.50am.

Lates

Late comers will now be recorded as from 9am – see page 3.

Frederick Gough Band

We were once again treated to the beautiful sounds of the superb Frederick Gough Band. Every year we are truly honored to be able to welcome this band into our school to entertain us all with current and past famous tunes. It is always pleasing when we see past pupils playing instruments and hope that listening to this band enthuses some of our pupils to take up a musical instrument. Thank you to Mr Lawrence and the band for captivating us with beautiful music.

Walking on our Premises – REMINDER!!!

Kindly use the allocated walking pathways when on our premises. We have had near miss incidences involving adults, children and reversing vehicles. ***Walking across the grass and across the car park is STRICTLY PROHIBITED!*** This is a safety measure in yours and your child/children's own best interest.

Foundation Stage

If you walk through the Foundation playground, please make sure your children don't play on the equipment. There has been many occasions over the past few weeks of equipment and resources being played with and the area left in a mess.

Fundraising – Soccer Aid

With all the football excitement this month, what a fitting moment to let you know that we raised £92.70 for the Soccer Aid for Unicef charity; this organization supports children all around the world. Thank you for your generosity.

SCHOOL YEAR September 2018 to July 2019 – Opening and closing, including half-terms

Date	Day	Activity	Term
4 th September 2018	Tuesday	Pupils back to school	Autumn Term 2018
19 th October 2018	Friday	School closes - Half-term	Autumn Term 2018
29 th October 2018	Monday	Inset Day – school closed	Autumn Term 2018
30 th October 2018	Tuesday	Pupils back to school	Autumn Term 2018
20 th December 2018	Thursday	School closes	Autumn Term 2018
21 st December 2018	Friday	Inset Day – school closed	Autumn Term 2018
7 th January 2019	Monday	Pupils back to school	Spring Term 2019
15 th February 2019	Friday	School closes – Half-term	Spring Term 2019
25 th February 2019	Monday	Pupils back to school	Spring Term 2019
5 th April 2019	Friday	School closes	Spring Term 2019
8 th & 9 th April 2019	Mon/Tues	Inset Day – school closed	Spring Term 2019
23 rd April 2019	Tuesday	Pupils back to school	Spring Term 2019
6 th May 2019	Monday	Bank Holiday	Summer Term 2019
13 th to 16 th May 2019	Monday	Year 6 SATs Week	Summer Term 2019
24 th May 2019	Friday	School closes – Half-term	Summer Term 2019
3 rd June 2019	Monday	Pupils back at school	Summer Term 2019
19 th July 2019	Friday	School closes	Summer Term 2019

Year 3 News

On Friday 22nd June, Year 3 were joined by their families as they performed their Talk 4 Writing imitate piece, 'The Arachnogill'. They performed confidently and worked well as a team to demonstrate their reading and speaking as well as listening skills. The children have been imitating this non-chronological report text in their English lessons through correct use of Standard English, tone, intonation and expression to support their writing. They have since used the text to innovate and independently create non-chronological report texts about their own hybrid creatures, which they designed in their sketch books. Well done, Year 3 for showing resilience and enthusiasm towards your English work.

Hatfield Residential

On Thursday 24th May, some Year 5 and Year 6 children went to Hatfield Outdoor Activity Centre to stay overnight. They were able to take part in a range of activities such as, Canoe Treasure Hunt, Raft Building, Gladiator Challenge, Low Ropes and Archery. Children worked together to build their own rafts to develop their teamwork skills. The children tested their own resilience by trying to climb to the top of the Gladiator Challenge. After a busy day, the children relaxed and enjoyed some leisure time in the park. On Friday 25th May, the rain certainly did not dampen our spirits and we continued to tackle more challenges before we headed home.

Date	Day	Activity	Term
4 th September 2018	Tuesday	Pupils back to school	Autumn Term 2018
10 th September 2018	Monday	School photographs /clubs begin this week	
21 st September 2018	Friday	Trucks and Child Safety Demo	
5 th September 2018	Friday	Red, White & Blue Day – Non-uniform	
19th October 2018	Friday	School closes for HALF-TERM at the end of the school day	
29 th October 2018	Monday	Inset Day	
30th October 2018	Tuesday	Pupils back to school	
5 th November 2018	Monday	Parents Meetings (FS1 and FS2)	
6 th November 2018	Tuesday	Parents Meetings (KS1)	
7 th November 2018	Wednesday	Parents Meetings (KS2)	
8 th November 2018	Thursday	Chelsea Pensioner Visits Whole School	
12 th November 2018	Monday	Anti-bullying Week	
19 th November 2018	Monday	Road Safety Week	
3 rd December 2018	Monday	After-school clubs end this week	
3 rd December 2018 – provisional	Thursday	Christmas Fayre	
20 th December 2018	Thursday	Christmas Jumper Day School closes at 2.00pm	

Year 2 - Cleethorpes Trip

Year 2 visited Cleethorpes as part of our geography topic this term. We visited the lifeboat station for a demonstration of the equipment they use in an emergency. We created sand art on the beach using materials that we collected and built fantastic sandcastles. We identified physical and human features of the area and compared these to our own local area. All of the pupils as usual were exceptionally well-behaved and we received a lovely compliment about this from a member of the public. There were many tired faces on the way home because of our fun packed day!

Class Teachers – 2018 to 2019

Year Group	Class Teacher
FS1 - Nursery	Mrs Fanthorpe
FS2 - Reception	Mrs Cooper Miss Holland
Year 1	Miss Corney Miss Gibbons Miss Hoggard
Year 2	Mrs Knowles Mrs Rosser Additional on Part-time: Miss Llewellyn Mrs Tait
Year 3	Miss Gathercole Miss Robertson
Year 4	Miss O'Donnell Miss Sutherland
Year 5	Miss Dyszy Mrs Simpson Additional support: Miss Mawson
Year 6	Ms Chowdhury/Mrs Sture Miss Turtle Mrs Fisher

Attendance

Thank you to all those parents who have worked with us to improve attendance; we have worked with the Education Welfare and Inclusion Team closely. Following a number of fixed penalty fines, attendance for persistent absentees has increased. We look forward to attendance continuing to improve next academic year.

From September 2018, the policy in relation to children arriving late at school will change.

Children **arriving after 9am** will receive an unauthorised absence mark for the morning session, this has been discussed and agreed by our Governing Body. For children who are regularly late, their parent will be referred to the Education Welfare and Inclusion Team, whose action may be to issue a fixed penalty fine, 15 day or 30 day warnings.

We look forward to your continued support in improving attendance and thank those parents/carers who ensure their children are in school every day and on time!

