



Attendance for last week was 96.3%.

If your child is too poorly to attend please let us know on the first day of absence on 0115 9794304

There are 192 children who had 100% attendance – Well Done

Reminder – EYFS:

- Thursday 28th September – Turtles visit to the local shops at 9am
- Friday 29th September – Octopuses visit to the local shop at 9am

If you are able to help with any of these visits please speak to your child's class teacher or complete the attached slip.

Reminder – Year 1, 2, 3 and 4

- Homework projects due in by Friday 29th September.

Message from Miss Dickens: It is lovely to see so many children and adults on our school premises in the morning on time. Changes to the timetables in school mean that the children must be on time to be collected from the yard at 8:45am otherwise they are missing important learning time. Children entering the school gates after this time will be directed to the office to sign in as late. We are trying to improve punctuality so please support us in reaching our goal. Early Birds breakfast club runs from 8:15am every morning in the hall and is free to drop in to. Food is served until 8:30am.

Cake Carnival: On **Friday 29th September** we will be holding our first Cake Carnival of the year in the school hall from 2:45pm. We will be raising money for Macmillan Cancer Support. Your support during our previous cake carnival was very much appreciated and we raised a fantastic total for charity. There will be activities to take part in and delicious cakes to eat. Every slice counts!



School Photographs: Individual school photographs for KS1 and KS2 will be taken on **Monday 2nd October**. Family Group photos, where the siblings are not currently attending Heathfield will be taken first. If this applies to your children, you must be in school by 8.30am.

If all of your children attend Heathfield and you would like them to have a family photo please complete the attached slip. These photographs will be taken during the school day therefore, children should attend at their usual time.

Contact Numbers and other information: In the brown envelope, you will find your most up to date details, which we hold on our computer system. Each year we need you to check all the details are correct. We especially need phone numbers updating when you change your number, as this is our first method of contacting you in an emergency. Could we also ask that an email address be added if missing? Please sign and make any changes to the data collection sheet and hand in at the school office. Thank you.

Flu vaccination for F2, Years 1, 2, 3 and 4: The annual flu vaccination will be taking place for all children in Reception and Years 1, 2, 3 and 4 on **Monday 16th October**. Information and consent forms have recently been sent out. Please can these be returned to the school office by **Friday 29th September**.

Bikes and Scooters: Can parent/carers please ensure that the children are not riding bikes or scooters on the school premises and that they are not playing on other children's scooters which have been left in the shelter. At the end of the day, the shelter should be empty so please remember to take the bikes and scooters home!

Staff Absence: Unfortunately Miss Mackay (F1 TA) is currently absent from school and so we are covering her absence with staff from within school. This may mean the children are working with another adult but they are all familiar to the children. Mrs Gibbs is the F1 teacher and is in F1 every day except for her PPA time where Mrs Yorke will be covering her. We wish Miss Mackay a speedy return to work.

Dinner money: Please can we remind you that dinner money must be paid to the school office in advance on Mondays. The current price per meal is £1.95 meaning the weekly cost is £9.75.

Coffee Morning: Miss Parmiter will be holding a coffee morning on **Wednesday 27th September** between 9am and 10am. This is the perfect chance to come and talk to her, other parents and carers and our Family Support Worker. All family members welcome including younger children. Please complete the attached slip and return to the school office so we are aware of numbers.

Miss Parmiter would also be grateful for any toy donations suitable for children aged five upwards, especially any that would be suitable for outdoor use like balls and hula hoops. Please bring these along to the coffee morning. If you are unable to attend, any donations can be handed into the school office.

Year 3 and 4 After School Football Club: Mr Leivers and Mrs Fitch will be starting a Year 3 and 4 after school football club. This will start on **Thursday 28th September** between 3.15pm – 4pm.

The club is restricted to boys and girls in Year 3 and 4, with limited places available. Children will need to have their PE kit in school. Please sign and return the attached slip if you agree to your child taking part. Should we receive too many reply slips, we shall draw names out of a hat to ensure it is fair on all children.

Reply Slip for EYFS Local Walk

I am able to help with the EYFS local walk

Name _____

Child's Name _____ Class _____

Reply Slip for KS1 and KS2 School Photographs – Monday 2nd October

I would like my children to have a family photograph

(Please list children - eldest first).

Name of child Class.

Name of child..... Class.....

Name of child..... Class.....

Name of pre-nursery children (if applicable)

Signed.....Parent/Carer

Reply Slip for Coffee Morning – Wednesday 27th September

I will be attending the Parent/Carers Coffee Morning with Miss Parmiter.

Name _____

Parent/Carer of _____

Childs class _____

Reply Slip for Year 3 and 4 After School Football Club

I give permission for my child, _____ to take part in the Year 3 and 4 Football Club after school starting **Thursday 28th September.**

Class: _____

Signed by Parent /Carer _____ Date _____

Collecting arrangements

I will collect my child at 4pm My son/daughter is going to afterschool club