

HEATHFIELD NEWS

9TH NOVEMBER 2018
SCOTLAND ROAD CAMPUS



Attendance for the last week before half term was 97.3%.

Seahorse am	Seahorse pm	Seahorse FT	Dolphins	Foxes	Badgers	Hares	Flamingos	Toucans	Parrots	Lions	Tigers	Jaguars
88.7%	96.4%	100%	96.9%	97.1%	98.5%	99.3%	97%	97.7%	96.7%	96.8%	97.2%	97.9%

If your child is too poorly to attend, please let us know on the first day of absence on 0115 9155725

There were 277/311 children who had 100% attendance last week – Well Done



Thinking of Others Week: Week beginning 12th November is National Anti-bullying week, with the Friday being Children in Need. We have decided to combine both events into 'Thinking of Others' week. The week will involve a series of events on how we can think of and help others. On Monday 12th November children are invited to wear odd socks to highlight that differences should be celebrated. On Friday 16th November, Children in Need day, pupils can wear something spotty or Pudsey related.



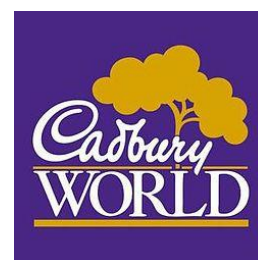
----- Class Notices -----

Nursery: Applying for a 30 hours placement: We are continuing to offer 30-hour places for eligible children who have their **4th birthday between 1st September 2018 and 31st August 2019**. We would like to encourage parents who want to take up a 30 hours place in the Spring term to apply now- and no later than the end of November, to have their application processed in good time. Applications and eligibility checks should be made via the Childcare Choices website (www.childcarechoices.gov.uk). **If you application is successful, please can I advise you to contact the school office to validate your 11-digit code and to reserve a place. You will also need to complete a declaration form and bring along with you, your child's birth certificate and your National Insurance number. A confirmation letter will be sent out to you to confirm your child's place.**

Badgers, Foxes and Hares: Please can you bring in boxes and recyclable materials ready for our D&T project next week. Thank you.

Reminder: Year 5 and 6 Trip to Cadbury World: We will be leaving both SR and KD at 9:15 therefore children should arrive at normal time. We will leave Cadbury world at 3:00 with the aim of returning to each site for around 4:30. Children will need to bring a packed lunch or request one below. Spending money is allowed to a maximum of £5.

The cost of the trip including a talk is £9.80, this represents good value as school are also fully covering the cost of transport. We are asking pupils to pay £5 for the trip. Please return the reply slip below with the £5. Any parents who wish to support with this trip should contact the class teacher



----- General Notices -----

Chickenpox, measles and shingles: We would like to make all parents and carers aware that one of our pupils is currently receiving treatment for a complex medical condition. If this child is exposed to chicken pox, measles or shingles they will need immediate anti biotic treatment. To try and limit the risk of this happening please let staff at school know if you suspect your child has any of these conditions. Thanks for your support.



Car Parking: Please can I ask all parents and carers to be considerate of local residents when parking to drop off and collect children. Please avoid parking over drives and only park in designated areas. I appreciate that parking is always a challenge but it is essential school maintains a positive relationship with residents.

Learn2cycle: There is a **free** LEARN TO CYCLE training for children aged 4 – 9 years being held at Mellish Sports Centre, Kemmel Road, NG69FH. This training starts on Thursday 8 November 6-7pm and runs until 24th January 2019. PRE BOOKING IS ESSENTIAL, call 07753907826 if you are interested.

Reminder - Parents Coffee Morning: Join our Heathfield Parents group for a coffee and chat on Monday 12th November at 9.10am in Room D (Breakfast & After School Club). A great opportunity to meet other parents and discuss any concerns regarding your supporting your child's health and winter diet.

Scholastic Book Fair- Thurs 14th Nov, Fri 15th and Mon 19th Nov (3:30pm in the school hall): Just a reminder that the book fair will be arriving in school next week, bursting with 'brand new titles' and books by popular authors. The event will take place across 3 days, straight after school, and parents are invited to browse the fair and spend time looking at all of the wonderful books on offer. There will be a 'How well do you know your authors?' book quiz, which we hope many of you will participate in. Upon completion of the quiz- which you can complete with your child when you visit the fair- you will receive a £1 book token that can be redeemed against any book that you decide to purchase from Scholastic. Additionally, all quiz entries will be collected and the children with the most correct answers will be entered into a prize drawer. Winners that are picked from the drawer will receive a 'book of their choice' from the fair.



Any questions about the event, please speak to Miss Allen.

Proposed Admission Arrangements for the 2020/21 school year: The Local Authority is consulting on a proposal to change the 2020/21 admission arrangements for pupils who will be starting school for the first time in the 2020 autumn term, or changing from one school to another between September 2020 and July 2021. The consultation period on these admission arrangements runs from 5 November to 21 December 2018 inclusive.

If you live in Nottingham City and are the parent or carer of a child between the ages of 2 and 18 years, please let Nottingham City Council know your comments on these arrangements by:

- Completing the online response form at www.nottinghamcity.gov.uk/schooladmissions (follow the link for 'Proposed admission arrangements for 2020/21')
- Email: schooladmissions@nottinghamcity.gov.uk Please write 'consultation 2020/21' in the subject line.
- Writing to School admission arrangements consultation 2020/21, School Admissions Team, Children and Families, LH Box 14, Loxley House, Station Street, Nottingham NG2 3NG

The deadline for responding is Friday, 21 December 2018.

School Dinners: Children in our Reception and KS1 classes are eligible under the Universal Infant Free School Meals scheme to have a free school meal.

Children, who are in the Nursery and Years 3, 4 and 5 unless eligible to Free School Meals, will need to pay for school dinners. The current price is £1.95 per meal meaning that the weekly cost is £9.75. If you think you may be receiving a qualifying benefit you can get a form from the office to apply for Free School Meals.

Midday Supervisor Vacancies: Come and join our team! We currently have Midday Supervisor vacancies across both campuses to work one hour and 25 minutes per day with an hourly rate of £8.50 per hour. If you or anyone you know is interested in these positions please collect an application form from either school office. Completed application forms should be returned to the school office as soon as possible.

Reply Slip for the Year 5&6 Cadbury World Trip:

I give permission for my child _____ from class _____ to take part in the trip to Cadbury World on 12th November.

☐ My child is in receipt of free school meals and requires a school packed lunch.

☐ I have included a £5 contribution. Signed.....Parent/Carer