HEATHFIELD NEWS

17TH JANUARY 2020 SCOTLAND ROAD CAMPUS



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Attendance for the Scotland Road Campus last week was 93.7% Green is good! – Let's make sure all our classes this academic year are in the green and hit our target					
of 96.5% or above					
Seahorses		Dolphins	Foxes	Badgers	Hare
96.8%		99.5%	99.2%	97.8%	97.9%
Flamingos	Toucans	Parrots	Lions	Tigers	Jaguars
98.5%	98.4%	98.5%	95.6%	96.8%	89.6%
If your child is too poorly to attend, please let us know on the first day of absence on 0115 9155725					

Congratulations to the Dolphin class who won both the Attendance League last week and will have £9.95 added to their Bank of Heathfield Account.

KS2 pupils with above 96% attendance for last half term have celebrated today with a disco in the hall.

Reminder: INSET DAY: Reminder that we have an INSET day on Friday 24th January and that school will be closed to all pupils. .



Basford Week of Action: Thanks to everyone who joined in with our 'Basford Week of Action' last Monday. I was so pleased with the number of people who stayed to have a drink and a biscuit and engage with the various different agencies. We will definitely try and host a similar event in the future.



If there are any particular agencies you would like us to invite in to school, please let us know.

Thanks, Mr Hicks

Dolphins and Seahorses Jungle Day: On Thursday 23rd January children in the Dolphin and Seahorse classes are going to take part in our Jungle Day. Children can come to school dressed as either a jungle animal (e.g. animal onesie) or an explorer. An explorer costume could be shorts/trousers, a t-shirt, a hat and maybe a backpack with anything that might help with their exploring that they can find at home! We will be turning the classroom into a jungle for the day and the children will have to take part in a variety of different exploring tasks!





Heathfield is a Nut Free Zone: We now have children within our school that have nut allergies, even the aroma of nuts can generate fits or the need for medical attention. To avoid this we are asking that if your child brings a packed lunch, either to eat during lunch time at school or to eat whilst out on a school trip, that you do not include nut-based foods or foods made from any nuts in their packed lunch. This includes things like chocolate spread. Thank you for your consideration.

Stars of the week assembly: We love celebrating the children's achievements and it's even better when parents and carers are able to join in. Therefore, over the next few weeks, we are going to trial inviting the parents of our Stars of the Week to our celebration assembly on Monday mornings. If your child has been selected by their class teacher as their star we will send you a text message on Friday afternoon inviting you to the assembly at 9:15am on the following Monday.

The children don't normally find out that they are the Star of the Week until it is announced in assembly. So if your child has won, it is up to you if you want to tell them on Friday or surprise with your attendance at the assembly on Monday.



If the trial is successful, we will make it a regular activity.



Facebook Group: If you haven't already, please join our Heathfield Facebook group. Visit **facebook.com/groups/HeathfieldPrimary/** or use the QR code to the right.

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- 1. Click on "**New User**". Fill in the email address and mobile number and press the "**Send PIN**" button. You will then be sent a new PIN number by text.
- 2. Enter **PIN** and press "Login" you will then see a message allowing you to receive notifications from Heathfield.
- 3. Click on the "**home**" icon and you will have a payment request for dinners, paid clubs, trips, etc. Click on "**My Payments**" and you can then make online payments, and view balances.

If you are unable to register, it may be because your details do not match those we have on file for you therefore please contact the school office who will check your details with you or access https://schoolgateway.co.uk/help/