## **HEATHFIELD NEWS**

## 31<sup>ST</sup> JANUARY 2020 SCOTLAND ROAD CAMPUS



Attendance for the Scotland Road Campus last week was 96.6%

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	Hares 96.9%
91.1%		97.3%	98%	96.4%	
Flamingos	Toucans	Parrots	Lions	Tigers	Jaguars
93.3%	95.5%	99.1%	98.1%	96%	95.4%

If your child is too poorly to attend, please let us know on the first day of absence on 0115 9155725 Congratulations to the Parrot class who won the Attendance League last week and will have £9.91 added to their Bank of Heathfield Account.

<u>Half Term:</u> We will be breaking up for half term on Friday 14<sup>th</sup> February for a week. School will reopen on Monday 24<sup>th</sup> February.

Farm Visit: On Monday 3rd February, Dolphins and Seahorses will be having a very special visit from the farm. The farm will set up in the Key Stage 2 playground and will have a variety of farm animals. This visit will be part of the school day and each class will have lots of time to speak to a real-life farmer and to get a hands-on experience with farm animals. Please ensure your child has a warm waterproof coat and shoes, as they will be outside for some time.

KS1 Dinosaur Day: On Tuesday 11<sup>th</sup> February, KS1 are having a Dinosaur themed experience day. The children may come to school wearing green or dressed as a dinosaur. Homemade costumes and masks are fantastic, so we are looking forward to seeing some creative costumes to immerse the children in their learning for the day. Please remember that we don't expect parents/carers to have to buy new, ready-made costumes especially for the day!









<u>Hares, Foxes and Badgers</u>: Parents and carers are invited to join us at 3.30pm in the school hall for our Key Stage 1 Art Exhibition on **Tuesday 11**<sup>th</sup> **February**.





School Disco: Our Spring Disco will be on Thursday 27th February.

The Dolphin, Badger, Fox and Hare classes disco will be from 3:45pm to 4:45pm The Parrot, Toucan, Flamingo, Tiger, Jaguar and Lion classes disco will be from 4:45pm to 5:45pm.

Tickets will be £2 and will include unlimited juice and a snack. Children may also bring some small change to buy some sweets from our stall. Tickets will be available to buy via the School Gateway app from Monday 3<sup>rd</sup> February up until the day of the disco.

Payment for this will need to be made using the School Gateway app so if you have yet to download this, now would be the perfect time.



Year 4 PGL Residential: If your child has a place on the Year 4 PGL residential, that is happening between 18th and 20th March, full payment for this needs to be made no later than Friday 14th February. All payments need to be made through the School Gateway app. Thank you.

<u>Dolphins and Year 6</u>: Height and weight checks, <u>Tuesday 25<sup>th</sup> February 2020</u>. All children in reception and year 6 should have already received a letter containing the following information:

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Every year the height and weight of Reception and Year 6 children in schools in England is measured. This is called the National Child Measurement Programme (NCMP). It is important to know how children are growing so that we can provide the best support.

Trained health staff from Nottingham Citycare Partnership carry out the measurements. Children are measured in a private space away from other children and will be fully clothed only taking off their shoes. Your child's measurements will be added to their health record. Teachers, other children or other parents will not see the information.

The measurements from the children in the school and across Nottingham will be kept safely. This information is used to make sure we have the right services in place to support children and families with eating and moving for good health.

The information is also shared with the government to check weight and height across the country, but your child **cannot** be identified from this information.

Children will not be made to take part on the day if they do not want to.

If you are happy for your child to be measured, you do not need to do anything. If you do not want your child to be measured, please tell your school as soon as possible.

School Facebook page: Thank you to everyone who has asked to sign up to our school Facebook page. This page has been created to enable us to share information with parents and carers of current pupils. It is a closed group, so parents/carers will need to request to join. Please remember that if you do request to join this group your request will only be approved if you answer the three questions asked. Visit



facebook.com/groups/HeathfieldPrimary/ or use the QR code to the right.

Scan the QR code with your phone camera or via a QR reader app to find the link.



<u>School Gateway App:</u> If you have a smartphone, please download School Gateway from your app store (Android and iPhone). If you do not have a smartphone, you can still pay online via the website <u>www.schoolgateway.com</u>. The app shows the same information as the website PLUS it saves the school the cost of a text message.

## Please follow the instructions below to register and receive your PIN.

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.

Enter **PIN** and press "Login" - you will then see a message allowing you to receive notifications from Heathfield.

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. For more information access <a href="https://schoolgateway.co.uk/help/">https://schoolgateway.co.uk/help/</a>