



Attendance for the whole school last week was 94% If your child is too poorly to attend please let us know on the first day of absence on 0115 9155725

Seahorses 81.8%	Whales 98%	Dolphins 88%	Foxes 82.2%	Badgers 92.6%	Hares 93%
Flamingos 94.2%	Toucans 97.3%	Parrots 98.4%	Lions 96.9%	Tigers 99.2%	Jaguars 96.2%

Congratulations to the Tigers, who achieved 99.2% attendance and have won gold. The Parrots who have won silver and the Whales who have won bronze.

Key Dates:

- Last day of half term – Friday 14th October 2022
- First day of the next half term – Monday 31st October 2022

What's Been Happening in School:

Year 1 & 2	This week in English, Year 1 and 2 wrote their Little Red Riding Hood stories. They were so resilient and did a fantastic job. Year 1 have been comparing numbers using the vocabulary 'more than' and 'less than'. Year 2 have been ordering 2-digit numbers and comparing them with the symbols < > and =. The children have been using Kiddle to search for fairytale puppet images in Computing and they have been enjoying class discussions in PSHE. They have also made a super start on their PE lessons this week. Today KS1 had a fantastic Numbots and TT Rockstars Day. They have been describing Numbots characters and they even spent some time practising their fluency skills on the apps, which they really enjoyed.
Year 3 & 4	This week, Year 3 & 4 have been writing their character descriptions of the Iron Man in English. In Maths, Year 4 have been ordering and comparing 4 digit numbers, sorting them into ascending and descending order. Year 3 have been reading and writing numbers up to 1000. The children have enjoyed learning about some famous scientists in Science and the life of Buddha in RE. The children looked fantastic dressed up as rockstars today!
Year 5 & 6	Year 5&6 have continued reading and selecting appropriate vocabulary from The Last Wild. We have considered the shades of meaning of vocabulary and how to use vocabulary accurately to reflect the weather, mood and personality of a character. In Year 5 maths, we have learnt how to order and compare numbers up to 1,000,000. The children have answered fluency and problem- solving questions. The Y6s have been learning how to round numbers and looked at negative numbers in more detail. In art, we used and blended pastels to create primary, secondary and tertiary colours. Using our knowledge of complementary colours, we practiced some pastel techniques in preparation for our final piece – animal eyes.

Nursery & Reception: Can every child in the Seahorse, Dolphin and Whales class please bring in a baby photo of themselves on Monday. Thank you!

Year 3 and 4 Welcome meeting- If you were unable to attend the welcome meeting in person, please find the presentation and voice-over attached. Thank you <https://youtu.be/wODhLpXU7qw>

Congratulations: Well done to the Dodgeball team at Scotland Road for winning the tournament at Harvey Haddon Stadium on Thursday. A great start to the year!



Year 2 Whitby Residential July 2023: Please follow this link to a form for you to show interest in your child attending our Year 2 Whitby residential that is taking place between 19th-21st July. <https://forms.office.com/r/xv51S8Rm27>

Well done to the winners of our 'A10dance' challenge

UKS2	Jack from the Jaguars class
LKS2	Rui Qian from the Parrots Class
KS1	Lexie from the Badgers Class
EYFS	Dakota from the Whales Class

Goose Fair Menu: On Thursday 6th October we will be having a special Goose Fair menu in place of the usual school meal. We will share the full menu on next week's newsletter as well as putting posters up around the school.

Year 3,4,5 & 6: Your child was given a letter today regarding the school choir and the upcoming Young Voices concert. Please complete the attached form to show your child's interest and give consent:

<https://forms.office.com/r/SQX6LFnRCx>

Y6 Secondary open evenings

See below a list of dates for secondary school open days/evenings that all year 6 pupils and their parents are welcome to attend:

- Tuesday 27th September 18:00 - Djanogly City (Sherwood Rise)
- Saturday 24th September – Senior School Open day (Nottingham High School)
- Tuesday 4th October – Y7 Taster Day (Nottingham High School)

A flyer for Nottingham Free School are attached to the end of this newsletter.

Early Birds Breakfast Club: The club is completely free and will run every morning from 8:15am. There is no need to book a place, simply wait at the office door to be let in. Children will be offered a free breakfast and have the chance to socialise with their friends before starting the normal school day. We are, unfortunately unable to accommodate nursery children.

Reception to Year 6 Flu Vaccinations – Tuesday 4th October: It is now time for your child's yearly flu nasal spray! The free seasonal flu spray is offered to all children and young people in Reception and Year 1-Year 6 classes. Even if your child received this last year it is recommended, they have it again this year or they won't be protected. It is more important than ever to reduce the number of those becoming ill with flu this winter to help protect them and the NHS.



You must complete one online consent form for each of your children. It is important every child has a completed form which states if you would like them to receive the flu vaccination spray or not. The online consent form can be found through this link <https://www.nottinghamshireimmunisations.co.uk/Forms/Flu>

The school code for Scotland Campus is NG122442S. Online consent will close at 3pm the working day before vaccination session.

If you decide you want to withdraw consent you must email sais@nottshc.nhs.uk at least 24 hours before our school vaccination session is due. The nasal spray may not be suitable for some children, for more information visit www.nhs.uk/child-flu or pick up a leaflet from the school office.

Please note: If any of the following happen after completing this form you must contact the School Aged Immunisation Service: if your child becomes wheezy, has a bad attack of asthma, has started steroid tablets for asthma or has had this vaccination anywhere else.

If you have any questions or need support to complete the consent form, please contact 07920182032 or email sais@nottshc.nhs.uk

Competition time!
Heathfield Primary School
Presents...
Missing School = Missing Out
A10DANCE
WIN £10!
Four £10 vouchers are to be won! One for EYFS, one for Year 1/2, one for Year 3/4 and one for Year 5/6. Be at school on Tuesday, Thursday and Friday to be in with a chance to win! Winners will be announced in assembly.
Can you get into school every day next week? **Be Here, win Big!** This is **your** chance to win a **£10** voucher for coming to school every day and on time! Extra break for all classes with a Full House Friday!
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All pupils are expected to achieve the attendance target of at least 96.0%

Holidays in Term Time Will Not Be Authorised

Families taking a holiday or an unauthorised leave of absence during term time are at risk of legal action and/or a Penalty Notice being issued

Attendance:

- **It is the parents' responsibility to contact school on the first day of their child's absence**
- **School will attempt to contact parents by text or telephone if the reason of absence has not been reported by 9.20am**
- **If school has not been informed of a child's absence by the following day, then the absence will be recorded as unauthorised**
- **If a child is absent for 3 or more days, parents may be asked to provide medical documentation to support the number of days taken for an absence**

Please contact school on the first day of your child's absence, this prevents unnecessary texts or phone calls being made and avoids staff having to carry out a home visit.

Poor attendance is considered a safeguarding concern.

Please help us to get all pupils into school every day and on time!

Positive Mental Health and Well-Being at Heathfield: This half term we are focusing on our well-being area of 'Connect'.

One of the best ways to connect to those around us is through using kind words, compliments and comments. A smile can also brighten up someone's day and can be very infectious!

Being around family, friends and connecting with others is linked to happiness and health. Let's share some sunshine and smile more.



SAFEGUARDING OUT OF HOURS



ARE YOU WORRIED ABOUT A CHILD?

IF SCHOOL IS NOT OPEN WHO CAN YOU SPEAK TO?

Police 999 or 101

If you believe that a child is at immediate risk and in need of protection then you should call the Police 999 immediately.

Alternatively, if you feel the child is a risk of abuse or neglect, but not in immediate need of protection, you should call the Police on 101.

Nottingham City Children's Social Care 0115 8764800

If you make the decision to contact Children's Social Care please call 0115 876 4800 or e-mail eandfdirect@nottinghamcity.gov.uk

Talk to the NSPCC

For advice and support about a child,
or to report a concern, talk to us.
It's free and you don't have to say who you are.

0808 800 5000

help@nspcc.org.uk nspcc.org.uk/helpline

EVERY CHILDHOOD IS WORTH FIGHTING FOR

School out of hours email: safeguarding@heathfield.nottingham.sch.uk



NOTTINGHAM FREE SCHOOL OPEN MORNING

Nottingham Free School warmly invites you to attend our

Year 6 Open Mornings

Tuesday 04 October 2022 (9:00am - 10:20am)

Wednesday 05 October 2022 (9:00am - 10:20am)

- Explore our fantastic facilities and departments
- Meet our wonderful students and staff
- Find out about the opportunities we have to offer your child

To book your place, please visit our website

www.nottinghamfreeschool.co.uk



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Nottingham Free School warmly invites you to attend our

Year 6 Open Evening

Wednesday 28 September 2022 (6:00pm - 8:00pm)

- Attend one of the Headteacher's presentations at 6pm or 7pm
- Explore our fantastic facilities and departments, and meet our wonderful staff
- Find out about the opportunities we have to offer your child

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