



Tuesday 23rd October 2018

Dear Parents

Term 1 has passed in a flash! Some changes for Term 2...

Mrs Roberts returns from maternity leave and will be teaching in class 7 alongside Mrs Graham.

Mrs Shea moves to class 4 as Mrs Small leaves to begin her maternity leave.

Congratulations go to Mrs Sanghera (Class 13) who is expecting her second child – she will teach up until the end of Term 3; plans are in place to recruit to cover her absence.



Can I PLEASE remind all parents, particularly those dropping children to school for Breakfast Club that no-one other than disabled badge holders should be driving through the school gates.

Several members of staff have reported near misses as parents leave through the 'in' gate as staff are entering.



As our school has grown in size, we have put a structure in place that supports staff, children and parents.

- In Foundation Stage, classes 1-3 Mrs Muckleston leads the team.
- In KS1, classes 4-9 Mrs Shea leads the team.
- In lower KS2, classes 10-15 Mrs Mace leads the team.
- Upper KS2, classes 16-21 Miss Van den Daele leads the team.

Each team leader oversees many aspects including behaviour management, pastoral concerns, pupil progress to name but a few. Your child may talk about having been spoken to by these members of staff for a variety of reasons.

If you have a question or issue that may not have been resolved by your class teacher, the office will direct you to the team leader next. However, please respect the fact that ALL staff have full teaching roles and busy diaries. Whilst we always endeavor to meet parents quickly, it is seldom possible to do so immediately.

Appointments with staff, including Miss Peart, Mrs Peapell and myself can be arranged through the office; however, you may be directed to your team leader first.



Haydonleigh Charity Calendar 2018 – 2019

Haydonleigh School will be supporting a range of local, personal, national and international charities this year.

The dates for all our planned Charity Days can be found on the school website here:

<https://www.haydonleighschool.co.uk/about-us/charity>

So the first dates for your diary are...

Children in Need Friday 16th November.

For a donation of £1, children can come in spotty non-uniform. This could be something as simple as a spotty tie or pair of socks alongside your child's normal school uniform or going full out spotacular!!

We are very excited to announce that on Thursday 13th December, Haydonleigh will be hosting a Christmas disco to raise money for the NSPCC.

All monies raised will go towards Mrs Mace's fundraising for the London Marathon in 2019.

The cost will be £2.50. The Key Stage One disco will be from 6-7pm, followed by Key Stage Two from 7.15-8.30pm. Please note this is not a Foundation Stage disco, as all Foundation Stage pupils will have attended the pantomime on this date. We thank you in anticipation of your support at this event!

Reminder - today is the last day of term for children. We return to school on Monday 5th November.

Yours sincerely,

Frances Billinge

Headteacher