



NEWSLETTER FOR SIDMOUTH PRIMARY SCHOOL

As we enter the last few weeks of the school year we still have lots of exciting things happening. Thank you to all the parents who joined us for our Fussy Eaters workshop, we hope that you found it useful. We will continue to offer more parent workshops next year.

Year 6 performed their leavers play this week. It was an excellent retelling of Roald Dahl's Revolting Rhyme based on the Three Little Pigs. All the children have worked so hard on their performance and deserve recognition for this. I definitely feel that there are some budding future actors in this year group and I hope parents enjoyed it as much as we all did in school.

Congratulations to our Year 6 Spelling Bee Team - you did a fantastic job representing the school today and we are delighted to announce we came 2nd place to a team from Newland School for Girls. We are super proud of you all and the children we who went to support them today!



REMINDERS FOR NEXT WEEK

Year 6 Transition week - All secondary schools apart from Hull Trinity House Academy are completing a full week of transition, therefore your child should attend their new school on Monday 8th July, they do not need to come here first. If your child is attending Hull Trinity House Academy there are different arrangements for transition and these will have been shared with you directly.

F2 parents - we have our Year 1 transition meeting on Monday 8th July at 9.00am

School reports will be going home with Years F1 to Year 5 on Thursday 11th July. The report will also contain a letter from your child's new class teacher.

Picture News



This Week's Story

This summer, the 2024 Olympics, held in Paris, will run from 26th July to 11th August, and the Paralympics will take place from 28th August to 8th September. The games will see the world's greatest athletes come together in France's capital city to compete for their place at the top of the podium. For many athletes, these Games are the peak of their sport, with a gold medal as the highest accolade. The competitors are likely to have spent months and years training for numerous hours per day to prepare.

Reflection



Winning and losing is a part of life. The athletes competing in the Paralympic and Olympic Games will all have been on their own journey, facing and overcoming many challenges along the way.



Things to talk about at home...

- > Share your knowledge of the upcoming 2024 Olympic and Paralympic Games. Ask someone at home to share their experience with you.
- > Will you be watching any of the events? Which sports do you find most interesting and why?



Mutual Respect and Tolerance

The Games in Paris will bring people together from all over the world. We understand that we are all different in lots of ways, and everyone deserves to be treated with respect.



ELLA STREET FESTIVAL 2024
 DOWN THE DRAIN 6 JULY 11:00 AM - 4:30 PM

IT'S **FREE**

— FEATURING —
SAND PIT **MUSIC & DANCE** **BOOK & CLOTHES SWAP**
ELLYMPICS
COLOURFIGHT
 CRAFTS • FOOD • STALLS
 YOGA • SCRAPSTORE • & MORE

ALL THE ELLA STREET FUN, BUT BETWEEN ELLA STREET AND VICTORIA AVE (BECAUSE WE HAD TO)

HU5 WITH FRIENDS



MINI SWAPPERS

(a clothes swap just for kids)

SATURDAY JULY 6th
ELLA ST FESTIVAL

FREE ENTRY
 ~ MAX 10 ITEMS ~

@Hu5.with.friends
 on insta + facebook



Whole School Attendance to Date:
94.4%

	Class Name	Attendance Percentage
1	Dahl	98.2%
1	Rowling	98.2%
3	Donaldson	97.0%
4	Pullman	96.3%
5	Fine	95.5%
6	Carle	94.8%
7	Cowell	94.5%
8	Kerr	93.7%
9	Wilson	92.4%
10	Blackman	92.1%
11	Jeffers	91.6%
12	Browne	91.1%
13	Rosen	91.0%
14	Child	90.4%
15	Potter	84.2%

Attendance - Every Day Counts

The table opposite shows you the attendance for the week ending 5th July 2024.

We are aiming for all children to have 97% attendance. Well done to all classes that have achieved this.

Remember, to maximise your potential, you have to be here everyday,

ATTENDANCE	DAYS MISSED	LESSONS MISSED
100%	0 DAYS	0 LESSONS MISSED
99%	1 DAY	5 LESSONS MISSED
98%	3 DAYS	15 LESSONS MISSED
97%	1 WEEK	25 LESSONS MISSED
96%	1.5 WEEK	37.5 LESSONS MISSED
94%	2 WEEKS	50 LESSONS MISSED
93%	2.5 WEEKS	62.5 LESSONS MISSED
92%	3 WEEKS	75 LESSONS MISSED
90%	3.5 WEEKS	82.5 LESSONS MISSED



Well done to these superstars in Year 2 Rosen for earning their Dojo certificates!
#learningmuscles #keepimproving
@thrivetrust_UK

Year 4 enjoyed their field trip walk around the local area to identify different land uses as part of their work on settlements in Geography. #Geography
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Upcoming Diary Dates

Mon 8th to Fri 12th July	Y6 Sirius Transition Week - letter attached
Mon 8th July	Transition to Year 1 session - letter attached
Mon 8th July	Starting School in September session - form attached
Tue 9th July	Starting School in September session - form attached
Tue 9th July	Attendance Prize Day
Wed 10th July	Y4 Connexin Live trip
Wed 10th July	McKee (am session) Bug Ball - letter attached
Mon 15th July	Y6 "Leavers' Fest" - form attached
Mon 15th July	Sports Festival at NSG - letter attached
Wed 17th July	Choir Care Home visit - letter attached
Fri 19th July	Last Day of the Summer Term - school closes at 2pm
Mon 22nd Jul to Fri 30th Aug	Summer Holidays - school closed
Sat 31st August	Freedom Festival 'Bench Invasion' - letter attached

2024-2025 Term Dates

Mon 2nd September	INSET Day - school closed to pupils
Mon 28th Oct to Fri 1st Nov	Half term break - school closed
Fri 20th December	Last day of Autumn Term - school closes at 2pm
Mon 23rd Dec to Fri 3rd Jan	Christmas Holidays - school closed
Mon 6th January	INSET Day - school closed to pupils
Mon 17th to Fri 21st February	Half term break - school closed
Mon 10th March	INSET Day - school closed to pupils
Fri 4th April	Last day of Spring Term - school closes at 2pm
Mon 7th to Fri 18th April	Easter Holidays - school closed
Mon 21st April	Bank Holiday - school closed
Tue 22nd April	INSET Day - school closed to pupils
Mon 5th May	Bank Holiday - school closed
Mon 26th to Fri 30th May	Half term break - school closed
Fri 18th July	Last Day of the Summer Term - school closes at 2pm