



Friday 3rd October 2025 (8 Pages)

ATTENDANCE

Well done-everyone is in the GREEN!!!

<u>YEAR</u>	<u>ATTENDANCE %</u>
RECEPTION	100%
YEAR 1	98%
YEAR 2	100%
YEAR 3	97%
YEAR 4	100%

AWARDS AND ACHIEVEMENTS

Well done to our Superstars Billie and Jenny; our Handwriting Heroes Willow, Florrie, Hugo A and Xander. Congratulations also to Esme for the Helping Hand Award, Eilidh for the Kindness Award and both Spencer and Ava for receiving the Perseverance Award. Well done to our Maths Whizzes Bridie and Ella. Congratulations also to our PE stars Logan and Elijah. All children were given a special sticker and a duck to sit on their desk for the week.



READING BEARS

Tuffy and Elvis are excited to be going home with Layla and Esme this weekend!



Y3/4 BIKEABILITY

The children in Class 3 had a fabulous afternoon last week, learning all about bike maintenance and riding safely. They all tried really hard and the organisers were very impressed. Each child will receive a certificate and a badge-we are just waiting for the certificates to be delivered.



FRIENDS FROM THE VILLAGE

The children in Class 3 were great hosts for our Friends from the Village yesterday. As always, there was much chatter, colouring, games and bingo and our visitors had a super time.



HARVEST FOOD DONATIONS.

Thank you to everyone who has sent in a shoe box. The children in Class 3 will deliver our Harvest gift boxes as usual to our Friends from the Village on the morning of **Monday 13th October** (Weather permitting).

If possible, please send in food donations week from Monday 6th October. We don't have very long to collect enough items and pack the boxes ready for display in the church on Sunday 12th October.

Ideally donations need to be long-lasting packaged food such as tins, packets of pasta, biscuits, teabags, cup-a-soups, chocolates and sweet treats. Once our boxes have been decorated, we will pack the boxes with the goodies and deliver them to our Friends.

We still need at least 5 more boxes with lids. If you have spare/unused adult sized shoe boxes with removable lids then please send them into school as soon as you can.

Message from Mrs Wilkinson

You and your children are warmly invited to a
Family Friendly Harvest Festival Service at 11 am on Sunday 12th October
in St Peter's Church, Humshaugh

There will be children's crafts in church during the service
and refreshments afterwards

The children's harvest boxes will be on display in church before being distributed in the village on Monday 13th. Donations of dried goods can also be made on the day in church for the Hexham Foodbank



CELEBRATING EXTRA CURRICULAR PUPIL ACHIEVEMENTS

A massive well done to Bridie who completed her half marathon at the Junior Park run recently.



Please let Mrs Long know if your child/ren take part in extra-curricular clubs and activities and achieve awards or prizes. We would love to celebrate and share their efforts and successes.

PARENT MEETINGS-NEXT WEEK

We are looking forward to meeting with parents next week to discuss how your child/ren are settling into their new year group/class.

CLASS 1 – NURSERY / RECEPTION-MRS WILKINSON

Monday 6th October		Tuesday 7th October		Wed 8th October		Thursday 9th October	
Pupil Name	Time	Pupil Name	Time	Pupil Name	Time	Pupil Name	Time
Addie	3.30-4.00pm	Oscar	3.30-4.00pm		3.30-4.00pm	Imogen	3.30-4.00pm
Freddie P	4.00-4.30pm		4.00-4.30pm		4.00-4.30pm	Ottillie	4.00-4.30pm
Hamish B	4.30-5.00pm	Rory	4.30-5.00pm		4.30-5.00pm		4.30-5.00pm

CLASS 2 –YEARS 1 / 2 - MRS BLYTHE

Monday 6th October		Tuesday 7th October	
Pupil Name	Time	Pupil Name	Time
Hugo H	3.30-3.40pm		1.30-1.40pm
Charlie H	3.40-3.50pm		1.40-1.50pm
Eliza	3.50-4.00pm		1.50-2.00pm
	4.00-4.10pm	Logan	2.00-2.10pm
Layla	4.10-4.20pm	Eilidh	2.10-2.20pm
Thomas	4.20-4.30pm	Joey	2.20-2.30pm
Robert	4.30-4.40pm		2.30-2.40pm
			2.40-2.50pm
		Charlie J	2.50-3.00pm
		Bridie	3.00-3.10pm
		Spencer	3.30-3.40pm
		Billie	3.40-3.50pm
		Florrie	4.20-4.30pm
		Violet	4.30-4.40pm

CLASS 3-YEARS 3 / 4 -MRS LONG

Monday 6th October		Tuesday 7th October	
Pupil Name	Time	Pupil Name	Time
		Andrej	1.30-1.40pm
		Alice	1.40-1.50pm
			1.50-2.00pm
		Mollie	2.00-2.10pm
		Laurie	2.10-2.20pm
			2.20-2.30pm
		Olivia	2.30-2.40pm
		Archie	2.40-2.50pm
			2.50-3.00pm
Harry B	3.20-3.30pm		
Ella	3.30-3.40pm	Charlotte	3.30-3.40pm
Ava	3.40-3.50pm	Alfie	3.40-3.50pm
Elijah	3.50-4.00pm		3.50-4.00pm
Esme	4.00-4.10pm		4.00-4.10pm
Mia	4.10-4.20pm		4.10-4.20pm
Jenny	4.20-4.30pm		4.20-4.30pm
Isla C	4.30-4.40pm	Hamish	4.30-4.40pm



Be you

'BE YOU' PADLET

This link takes you to the 'Be You' Family zone which has some really interesting and useful resources for parents and families.

<https://padlet.com/nies1/be-you-family-zone-8jbhdyus7shqhdt2>

PE KITS

Please ensure children have their PE kits in school on **Monday 6th October.**

We are doing PE outside in the Autumn term (weather permitting), so please make sure your child has a suitable PE kit in school and trainers that he/she can fasten independently.

FLU IMMUNISATION-Whole School

The following date has been planned for our school **3/12/25**

Parents should have been provided with a link to complete the required form.

ILLNESS

We understand that parents may be wary of sending children into school who are displaying cold/flu like symptoms. Please ring school if you need support to make a decision about whether your child should attend. In the coming months, coughs and snotty noses will be a regular occurrence. We would prefer that your child have a dose of paracetamol and come into school unless they have a high temperature. If staff are concerned that a child is unwell in school, parents will be contacted for the child to be collected.

HEALTHY SNACK

The School **Free** Fruit Scheme is for children in **Reception and Year 1 and 2 only**. If you are able, please provide a **healthy snack** for your child to eat during morning playtime **if they are not in Reception, Year 1 or 2.**

UNIFORM

PLEASE ENSURE THAT ALL ITEMS OF UNIFORM ARE CLEARLY LABELLED WITH YOUR CHILD'S NAME OR INITIALS

HEADTEACHER UPDATE/COMMUNICATION

Please look out for my weekly newsletter which includes updates, news, diary dates and photographs. If you need to speak to your child's class teacher, please either send them an email directly or ring the school office and they will aim to return your call as soon as possible.

Class 1 (Nursery/Reception) -Mrs Wilkinson

email: melanie.wilkinson@humshaugh.northumberland.sch.uk

Class 2 (Year 1 and 2)-Mrs Blythe

email: karen.blythe@humshaugh.northumberland.sch.uk

Class 3 (Year 3 and 4)-Mrs Long

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For queries regarding Parent Pay, Nursery funding or sessions, Clubs, Milk, Breakfast Club, Wraparound Club and School Lunches, please email our Office Manager Mrs Clark.

email: admin@humshaugh.northumberland.sch.uk

DIARY DATES

W/C Monday 6 th October:	Parent meetings-appointment times above
Thursday 9 th October:	Harvest Festival in school (staff and pupils)
Sunday 12 th October:	Family Friendly Harvest Festival-St. Peter's Church-everyone welcome!
Monday 13 th October:	Class 3 to deliver Harvest Boxes to our Friends from the Village
Wednesday 22 nd October:	Y1-4 trip to Hexham Abbey-Gaia Exhibition (more info to follow)
Thursday 23 rd October:	Last day of Autumn 1
Friday 24 th October:	Teacher Day
Monday 3 rd November:	Autumn 2 starts (All clubs resume)
Monday 10 th November:	Shutterbugz school photographs-individual
Tuesday 11 th November:	Be You -Sleep (Whole School)
Friday 5 th December:	Crib Service-St. Peter's Church-time TBC
Tuesday 9 th December:	Be You-Resilience (Whole School)
Monday 15 th December:	Y1-4 Queens Hall Christmas Show
Thursday 18 th December:	EYFS Queens Hall Christmas Show
Friday 19 th December:	Last day of Autumn 2-Christmas break-school closes at 1.00pm
Monday 5 th January:	Spring 1 starts (All clubs resume)

WHAT'S ON



Stony Pasture
Paddocks, pumpkins, potions
All experiences include meeting our animals

Thursday 30th Oct 09:30-12:00	Thursday 30th Oct 13:00-14:30
Young Alpaca Farmer £17.50 (drop off only)  Recommended age 4-12	Baby & Toddler Crafts £8  Recommended age 18m-4yrs (Babes in Arms welcome £3)

To book message stonypasture@gmail.com or @stonypasture on facebook



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£5 Per Session



Everyone of all abilities welcomed at
Queen Elizabeth High School
Sunday's

Year 8 - 9am to 10.15am
Years 6 & 7 - 10.15am to 11.30am
Year 5 - 12.45pm to 2pm
Under 10s (year 4s) and U8s (years 2 and 3) 12.45pm to 2pm



please email:
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to book a space!



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We're trialling smart Home Energy Management Systems in homes and businesses over the next 12 months to see how our community uses electricity and help shape the future of local electricity supply.

Why take part?

- Discover smarter energy solutions
- Boost local energy resilience
- Gain rewards



Want to learn more?

Join us for an information session at Humshaugh Village Hall on 20th September between 10am and 12pm to learn more about the trial and answer your questions.

To discover more about the project scan the QR code or visit humshaughnetzero.org/HELM

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