

Hemington News 26th May 2023

Dear Parents and Carers

I hope you are all well. What wonderful weather we have had this week! The children have really enjoyed being outside. Could you please ensure that they have had **sun cream** applied in the morning before school and they take a **hat** with them to wear when outside.

This week we have been looking at the 'domino effect' when it comes to doing acts of kindness for others. In assemblies, we have talked about how one simple act of kindness can have such a profound effect and can lead to many other acts of kindness being carried out.

We are looking for keen gardeners to help us create a school garden. Please see the information on this newsletter outlining what we are looking for and how you could possibly help us achieve this.

Please note that this year's Hemington Primary School PTFA Summer Fayre will take place on Saturday 8th July from 11am—3pm. Please see the information on this newsletter. More information to follow after the half term break.

Many thanks to parents who have already sent back information for Class 2 and 3 football training after school on Tuesdays. Please note that this will start on Tuesday 6th June and continue until Tuesday 11th July.

And lastly, I hope you all have a lovely half term break and that we continue to have this lovely sunshine for the duration of it.

Eimear Davis—Headteacher





Eco Club—Gardening Project

Our school Eco Club leaders are

interested in creating a school garden. We are looking for inspiration and tips on what we can do to grow flowers and possibly some vegetables. We would love it if some of our children's family members could help us to design and create a school garden. Please contact the school office if you can help.



Healthy Eating at School

REMINDER



Children will be asked to **ONLY** take fruit or a healthy snack for their breaktime. Packed lunches should contain healthier options with only one treat for pudding.

PLEASE ENSURE THAT ALL LUNCHES/SNACKS ARE NUT FREE.

We also ask parents to send water in their child's drink bottle.

We will be attempting to gain our <u>Healthy Schools Award</u> this year. We need our whole school community to be involved in helping us achieve this.

HEMINGTON PRIMARY SCHOOL EXPECTATIONS

You may have heard your children speak about our school expectations or noticed that they have received a certificate for RESPECT, RESPONSIBILITY or READINESS. We are very proud of all the children at Hemington for trying their best and ensuring that they are at all times;

Respectful of themselves and others

Responsible for their learning and behaviour

Ready to engage in learning and to do their best.



Accelerated Reader



Please ensure that your child reads daily.

When they finish their book, they complete an online quiz using their Accelerated Reader account.

TERM DATES 2022-2023

Summer Term

Half term break: Mon 29 May to Fri 2 June

2023

Phonics Screening Check Week: Mon 12th

June

Sports Day: Wed 28th June (1.30pm start) **Schools close for pupils:** Wednesday 12 July

2023

Staff INSET days 2023-2024

Wednesday 23 and Thursday 24 August 2023; Other 2023-2024 INSET days to be organised—details to follow

After School Clubs Summer Term 1

Monday - Artikids (until 4.15—bookings now open)

<u>Tuesday</u> - Create and Make Club (until 4.15— all year groups welcome. Limited spaces available.)

Tuesday—Class 2 and 3 Football (3.15—4.15)

<u>Wednesday</u> - Lego Club (until 4.15 - open to all year groups)

<u>Thursday</u> - Multi-Sports (until 4.15 - open to all year groups)



PE Kit



Please ensure that your child's PE kit consists of a white T-shirt; black or dark coloured jogging bottoms/leggings/shorts; trainers; dark coloured hoodie/jumper or school jumper/cardigan.

If your child has their ears pierced, please cover with tape or take earrings out on PE days.

School Dinner Menu

From Monday 5th June, we will be choosing from Week 1 of our new catering menu.

