# **Headlands Primary School: Monday 7th November 2022**

#### **EYFS Outdoor learning provision**

Phase 1 of the additional outdoor learning area for EYFS has now been completed and the EYFS Team are very excited to get started with Phase 2 of resourcing the area. Thank you to the Governing Body for funding this fantastic addition to the school.





## **Arriving promptly for school**



School drop off is between **8.45-8.55am** with the school gate closing promptly at 8.55am. Lessons commence at 8.55am. Please ensure your child arrives on time as it allows them to have a calm and settled start to the day, with their coats and bags put away, and ready to start learning at 8.55am. It is really important that your child is ready to learn for the beginning of the first lesson. Thank you.

Having good attendance at school is really important for consistency of learning. The Government aims for 90% attendance throughout the year. At our parents evening we will be sharing your child's attendance figure so far this academic year.

## **Remembrance Day**



On Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November we remember those who have served and continue to serve in our Armed Forces in the UK and around the world.

Poppies will on sale all week in school for the children to purchase.

By donating to the Royal British Legion Poppy Appeal you will be helping to provide ongoing support to the Armed Forces

community, ensuring their unique contribution is never forgotten

# **School Photographs**

Individual photographs will take place on Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November. Sibling photographs will automatically take place during the school day for children attending school. For those with preschool children wishing to have a sibling photograph, please arrive at the main school office between 8.30-9.00am.

#### **Bake sale in aid of Wilberforce Trust**



On Friday 11<sup>th</sup> November a group of our wonderful children are running a bake sale after school at 3.15-3.45pm to support the charity 'Wilberforce Trust'.

With the magic and sparkle of Christmas around the corner, our thoughts turn to those with sight and

hearing loss. Wilberforce Trust provides support and opportunities for everyone to lead active and healthy lives. There will be a variety of cakes, brownies and cookies on offer. We hope you will be able to support our fundraising event.

# What is my child learning about this half term?



The school's curriculum is published on the school website and an overview of the topics taught throughout the year is provided on each year groups web pages.

However, we thought you would like to know the wonderful topics coming up this half term for the children to enjoy. You can support your child at home through visiting the local library, researching on the internet or digging out any reference books.

EYFS: People who help us: Heroes/ Superheroes

Year 1/2: Author Study: Eric Carle

Year 3/4: Ancient Egyptians Year 5/6: Greeks and Romans

#### School ethos and values



This half term we are focussing on the value **Independence**. At Headlands this means that children can resist distraction and make good decisions. They have the skills needed to work alone or as part of a group. They take ownership of their learning and know what they need to do to make progress.

Over the next week we will be exploring the word '**freedom'** in our time of class reflection and school assemblies.

#### **PSHE**



This half term in PSHE we are following the unit: **'Celebrating Differences'**. On the website, in the curriculum area, you will find a key vocabulary for each of the year groups. Here you will also find further information about the scheme of work.

If you have any further questions or queries, please contact Mrs Benson (PSHE lead)

# Headlands children playing in a pre-match event at the Women's Rugby League World Cup Tournament





A huge well done and thank you to the

Headlands players who were selected to represent the school at the Women's Rugby League World Cup Tournament on Wednesday 3<sup>rd</sup> November. Thank you to Mr Unsworth and parents for accompanying the children.

#### **Vacancy at Headlands**

We are looking for a Teaching Assistant 2 to work with KS1 and lower KS2 children, undertake lunchtime duties and provide support for a child with diabetes. Please refer to the advert below if you are interested or pass on to someone who may be.

#### **Reception Places for September 2023**

School admission applications for Reception 2023 places is now open. Please use the following link to apply on line for your choice of Primary School https://www.york.gov.uk/SchoolAdmissions

# Photographs from last week: Halloween in the hall!

Thank you to Debbie and her team for the fabulous treats on offer last week. The children loved the spider and bat cookies!











#### **Bonfire Lunch**













## This week is National School Meals Week....

Look out for special treats this week as its National School Meals Week and we will be thinking about plant based foods, showcasing local produce and looking at reducing food waste.

# Dates for your diary

09.11.2022: Parents evening 11.11.2022: School photographs

11.11.2022: Bake sale in aid of Wilberforce Trust

11.11.2022: Remembrance Day 15.11.2022: Parents evening 17.11.2022: Parents evening

25.11.2022: PTA non uniform day. Tombola donations KS1 chocolate/ KS2 bottles

29.11.2022: NHS Child Immunisation Programme

02.12.2022: PTA Tombola event



Best wishes, Headlands Primary School

Headlands Primary School	
Post Title:	TA2 post including supporting a child with diabetes and lunchtime cover.
Contact details	Name: Carol Prangnell
School name and full address	Headlands CP School 1 Oak Tree Lane 2 Haxby York YO32 2YH
Telephone Website address Email address	01904 762356 <a href="http://www.headlandsprimary.org.uk/">http://www.headlandsprimary.org.uk/</a> <a href="headlands.primary@york.gov.uk">headlands.primary@york.gov.uk</a>
Full advert text	Headlands Primary School are seeking to recruit an enthusiastic and committed person to undertake a TA2 role in KS1 and lower KS2 alongside a MSA role. The role also includes 1:1 diabetes support for a Year 4 child.
Safeguarding statement	The school is committed to safeguarding and promoting the welfare of children and young people and expects all staff and volunteers to share this commitment. We require the successful applicant to undertake an enhanced Criminal Record check via the Disclosure and Barring Service.
	This post is subject to the Childcare (Disqualification) Regulations 2009 and as such shortlisted candidates will be asked to complete a Disqualification Declaration. Any information supplied will be discussed at interview
Application method	An application form and further details are available to download from the school website: http://www.headlandsprimary.org.uk/
	Please submit completed forms either by post to Headlands CP School, Oak Tree Lane, Haxby, York YO32 2YH, or electronically to <a href="mailto:headlands.primary@york.gov.uk">headlands.primary@york.gov.uk</a>
Closing date	Closing date: 11.11.2022 Interview date: 14.11.2022
Interview date	
Salary Details - Support Posts	TA2 Grade 4 Level 1-4 (£19,195 to £20,363 per annum pay rise pending) reduced pro-rata
Employment Type	Permanent contract to commence 15.11.2022
Working pattern	The working pattern is: TA2 9.45-1.35 on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.
Hours per week	Total Hours: 19 hours and 10 minutes per week



Join us all this week...

Monday - National School Meals Launch Day Monday- Go Green Day

Tuesday- Fact sheets displayed round school

Activity sheets to classrooms

Wednesday - Local Lunch Day

Thursday - Eat More, Waste Less Day

Friday - VIP Day

