



*Be strong and
courageous.....for the
Lord your God is with
you*

Wednesday 4th June

Headteacher's Newsletter No 10

Dear Parent/Carer,



I hope that you all had a wonderful half term break and were able to enjoy some rest and relaxation.

Staffing

I am pleased to advise you that we will be welcoming Mrs Ujjwala Salgia to our team of Learning Support Assistants next week.

School Uniform

As we start the second half of the Summer Term it is great to see so many children in their summer uniform. For their comfort, we would expect all children to be wearing summer uniform now. I would like to remind you of the following as there have been an increased number of children not following the uniform policy:

No Additional Clothing

Children should not be wearing coloured/patterned leggings or visible long-sleeved tops under their clothes.

Shoes

Shoes should be plain black or brown school shoes. Open toed sandals, trainers with logos/designs should not be worn.

No jewellery – this includes any form of earring or necklace. **Ears should only be pierced at the beginning of the Summer holiday, so they can be removed during the school day.**

We will ask you to remove earrings and children who are not able to remove earrings will not be allowed to participate in PE. Please note that children are also not permitted to wear invisible earrings. This policy is for health and safety reasons.

I would also ask that long hair is tied back for the school day and children should not wear large bows, hair accessories and hair decorations.

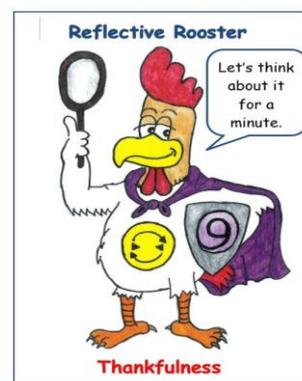


Christian Value for Living and Behaviour for Learning

This half term our Christian Value is: 'Thankfulness'

Our Behaviour for Learning is: 'Reflective' and our Vision Character is:

'Reflective Rooster'



Healthy Heroes Week and Sports Day



Healthy Heroes week will take place from Tuesday 24th June to Friday 27th June.

Sports Day will be on Monday 30th June. More details will follow but we look forward to welcoming you to support the children at Wycombe Abbey for sports Day.

Year 6 Residential

Next week the Year 6 children will be heading to Osmington Bay on their residential trip. They will be accompanied by Miss Collins, Mrs Hawkins and Mr Britnell.

We hope that the weather will be good and that everyone enjoys new experiences and activities. We always have a great time!

Tackling Domestic Abuse and Violence Against Women and Girls

Domestic abuse remains a significant concern in Buckinghamshire, with recent data showing a rise in incidents involving children. Nationally, over 2.4 million adults experienced domestic abuse in the past year, and many of these cases affect children either directly or indirectly. Under the Domestic Abuse Act 2021, children who see, hear, or are otherwise impacted by abuse are now legally recognised as victims. These experiences can have lasting effects on a child's emotional wellbeing, behaviour, and learning.

The Buckinghamshire Domestic Abuse Partnership Board want to encourage reporting and are looking for your views on ways to make it easier for parents and caregivers who may be looking for support and advice around domestic abuse. Please complete the online anonymous survey below which also contains some definitions of domestic abuse. Below is a link to a video to help you spot the signs of domestic abuse. **The survey is open to everyone regardless of whether you've been affected by domestic abuse. Please complete by 23 June.**

- [Unhealthy behaviours to look out for in relationships](#)
- [Domestic Abuse survey](#)

If you do not have access to a computer or need help completing the form, you are welcome to come into school and complete the survey. We would be pleased to arrange this confidentially for you – email schooladmin@highwycombecombined.bucks.sch.uk to make arrangements or speak to Mrs Hawkins.



A few date reminders

- Thursday 5 June Year 1 Trip to Oxford Castle
- Monday 9 to Friday 13 June Year 1 to 5 Assessment Week
- Monday 9 to Friday 13 June Year 6 PGL Residential Trip
- Monday 9 to Friday 13 June Phonics Screening Check Week
- Monday 9 to Friday 13 June Year 4 Multiplication Check
- Friday 13 June Meet the Instrumental Teacher 3.15pm
- Wednesday 18 June Cake Sale YR, 3 and 5
- Wednesday 18 June Year R Bekonscot Model Village Trip
- Thursday 19 June Year R Meet the Headteacher
- Thursday 19 June Family Music Concert 6.30pm
- Friday 20 June Friends Non-Uniform Day
- Tuesday 24 to Friday 27 June Healthy Heroes Week
- Saturday 28 June Friends Summer Fayre
- Tuesday 1 July Meet the New Teacher
- Thursday 3 July Year 4 Mosque Visit
- Friday 4 July Choir Performance
- Friday 11 July Year R Class Assembly

Yours sincerely



Celine Hawkins
Headteacher

