



Heelands School News

The Best You Can Be—Everyone, Every Day

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY:

- 29th January** **School Closed**
As per communication.
- 11th February** **Parents Evening**
3:30pm—7:30pm
Details on how to book will be sent shortly
- 12th February** **Parents Evening**
3:30pm—5:30pm
Details on how to book will be sent shortly
- 14th February** **END of Spring Term (1)**
School closes at 3:10pm for the February Half-Term Break
- 24th February** **School OPEN**
Welcome Back!
School OPENS at 08:30am for the start of Spring Term (2)

HEADTEACHER NEWS

Dear Parents and Carers,

The Spring Term is well underway and as always your children continue to make us proud in the way they make the most of all the opportunities to learn at school. As well as curriculum learning, we also focus on personal development and the children are encouraged to develop qualities of respect, resilience, responsibility and the ability to be restorative. Each week we hold a Values Assembly where a child from each class is chosen because they have displayed these values. Over the past few weeks we have seen many children nominated for their respectful attitude to their friends and teachers. In addition work in books shows many children who have been recognised for their responsible approach to working hard and producing work of a very high quality. Our resilient children are the ones that can be seen persevering even if the learning is hard, they make mistakes or need to try again. We teach the children skills to help them build healthy relationships with their friends. Being restorative and learning to see things from another person's point of view is something that we see happening frequently now.

We always have to remember that this is an infant school where the children are only aged between 4 and 7 years old and the fact that these children are able to show these values throughout school is a testament to the incredible pupils we have.

Once again thank you for your support. We look forward to seeing you at the February Parent's Evenings.,

Becky Daley

Associate Head



Parents Evening



Burns Night
25th January



CHINESE NEW YEAR—Wednesday 29th January 2025



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EYFS - Ash

Welcome back! Our new topic is 'Farmyard Fun' and the children have really enjoyed the farm themed provision we have set up.

In Literacy we have been looking at the text 'Little Red Hen', exploring the characters and what they say. We have then written speech bubbles and included some of our red words (tricky words). The children have all done so well and are trying really hard to form their letters correctly.

In Maths we have been recapping subitising and remembering to say the amount they see without counting.

We have also started to learn about what we might see on a farm and how there are lots of different types of farms around the world.



YEAR 1 - Maple

In Maples class we have started our learning for our new topic 'Happy Holidays'.

On Friday for our Immersion Day we went on a 'plane' and the children got to taste Chinese food such as egg fried rice, and spring rolls. We also tried some seaweed which had very mixed opinions on! The children then used their cutting, tearing and stirring skills to make a healthy vegetable stir fry.

We had a lot of fun and the food was yummy!

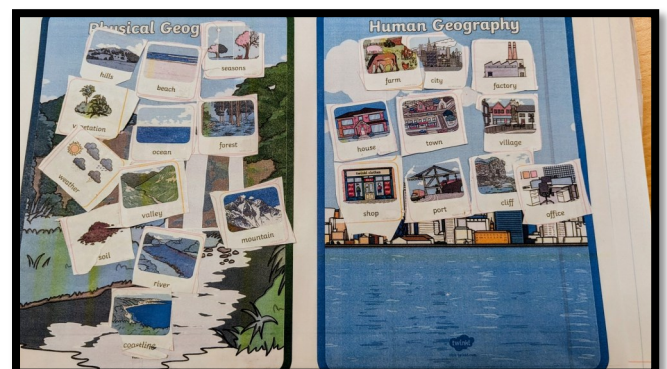


YEAR 2 - Oak

We have started our exciting topic of 'Location, Location' and are busy learning about human features in our world and physical ones. This links well to our story of 'The Town Mouse and The country Mouse' and we have really enjoyed learning our new story off by heart.

In Maths we have been revising the names of the coins and have been shopping to buy our ingredients for our Immersion Day this Friday, we are so excited.

We have also had many birthdays in class this term! Happy Birthday to all of you.



Celebration Assemblies...



Congratulations to our Sparkler Children. These assemblies celebrate children's efforts in all areas of work and play.

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Congratulations to our children who have excelled in all areas of our 4 core values:
RESILIENCE, RESPONSIBILITY, RESPECT, RESTORATIVE



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Parents Evenings...

TUESDAY 11th FEBRUARY 3:30pm–7:30pm

WEDNESDAY 12th FEBRUARY 3:30pm–7:30pm

Parents Evenings are a really important opportunity to meet with your child's teacher and discuss how your child is progressing.

We strongly advise booking a time slot for parents evening as this is a chance for you to ask any questions and further be informed about your child and the school.

Further information about how to book a time slot for parents evening will be sent out soon.



Wrap-a-round Care...



THE BLUE SKY FEDERATION

Wrap Around Care



BREAKFAST CLUB

from 07:45am

Costs £5.75

AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

till 6:00pm

Costs £12.75

For Heelands, Bradwell Village
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