



HCPS Newsletter W/C 21st September - Autumn 1 Week 3

Year group messages

EYFS: £1 snack contributions can be given to the school office or your child's class teacher. Please could the EYFS staff kindly ask that you put a name label in your child's shoes.

Year 1: A Dinostar letter has been emailed home earlier today. Payment can be made via Arbor.

Year 2: Thank you for the payments we have received so far for our Yorkshire Wildlife Park interactive workshop. Any outstanding payments can be made via Arbor, ready for the session (which is on Monday 21st September). Many thanks.

Year 6: From this Friday, children in Spruce and Walnut class will bring home two pieces of homework each week: one English-based activity and one Maths-based activity.

The homework should take the children no more than 45 minutes to complete in total and will be based on the learning they have completed in school during the week. Please encourage your child to complete their homework to the best of their ability and return it to school by the following Friday.

We will also be running a 15-minute 'Homework Club' during morning playtime on a Friday for children who have not managed to complete their homework during the week. Children who attend Homework Club will receive 15 minutes of playtime later in the morning so they will not miss their entire morning playtime as a result of not completing their homework.

Thank you for your continued support.

Whole school messages

PE day reminders:

The Orchard - Monday afternoon

EYFS – Friday

Year 1 – Wednesday

Year 2 – Thursday

Year 3 – Tuesday

Year 4 – Wednesday

Year 5 – Thursday

Year 6 – Monday

Dates for the Diary!

21st September – Extra-curricular Clubs start

21st September – Year 2 Yorkshire Wildlife Park
Interactive Session

30th September – Let's Learn Together 8:45am – 10:00am

12th October – Y1 Dinostar Workshop

21st October – Year 6 Eden Camp Trip

23rd October – Extra Curricular Clubs End

23rd October – Last Day of Autumn Term 1 (Half Term)

2nd November – School Reopens (Autumn 2)

11th November – Remembrance Day

20th November – Children in Need Day

18th December – Last Day of Autumn 2

Attendance at HCPS

W/C 14th September – 94.7%

Number of children who arrived late.

W/C 14th September – 12 Children



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Whole School Messages

Class Dojo

Class Dojo is used by the EYFS teachers to share learning journey moments with parents and carers. As children move through school, Class Dojo is only used in school to record the children's Dojo points/stars linked to our Evergreen behaviour system.

We need your help to reduce the size of the lost property box!

Please ensure that your child comes to school wearing the correct uniform each day and that all clothing is labelled. If your child leaves an item of clothing at school, please let us know as soon as you realise as we have more chance of finding it. If items are not labelled with your child's name, this can make it tricky for your child and staff to locate the missing item.

At the end of each half-term, we will have a lost property table on the playground. Any items that are not claimed will go to the Lions Charity shop.

HSLC – Year 6 Open Evening

Hornsea School and Language College are holding their Year 6 open evening on Thursday 1st October. If your child is in Year 6, they will have brought home a letter from HSLC this week. Please use the QR code on the letter to reserve your place at the event.

Is your child starting EYFS in September 2027?

We will be holding two EYFS opening evenings for families with children who are due to start school in September 2027. These will take place on Wednesday 30th September and Wednesday 11th November, 4pm-6pm.

Extra-Curricular clubs

If your child gains a space in a club (confirmed in the Arbor app) please view any follow up emails. If you are allowing your child to walk home from a club unassisted, we must have this confirmed via phonecall to the school office first. Equally, if you feel the club leader needs to know about any important medical conditions or similar, please give the school office a call so we can pass on your information promptly.

Question of the week

At HCPS, we are working hard to support children to develop their spoken language skills. Spoken language skills empower children to understand and be understood, participate in social interactions, express their feelings, resolve conflicts, and become confident, articulate communicators ready for future learning and life. As part of this, we will be including a 'question of the week' in our newsletter which we hope will inspire discussions at home too.

The question of the week this week is:

If animals could talk, which animal would you want to talk to and why?



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The poster features a large image of two hands cupping a family silhouette. It includes the school crest, a photo of a family, and a cartoon of two children. A green speech bubble says 'We Can Help!' with stick figures. The main title is 'FAMILY HELP DROP IN SESSIONS'. Text at the bottom describes the sessions and lists dates.

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FAMILY HELP DROP IN SESSIONS

Visit our drop-in sessions at HCPS with Tracy Spowage or Alice Gibson for a range of advice, tips and resources to support you and your family.

- Help with understanding your child's feelings and behaviours
- Supporting your child's emotional health and anxieties
- Child development
- Housing or money worries
- Find out about other services that are available to support you. If we are unable to help, we can signpost you to the right services

NO APPOINTMENT NECESSARY

Come to the main office on:

MONDAY 21ST SEPTEMBER
MONDAY 12TH OCTOBER
MONDAY 9TH NOVEMBER
MONDAY 14TH DECEMBER

8.15 - 11.00am

Contact Us
01964 532382



Hornsea Community Primary School OPAL Donations:

Thank you for your donations so far. At the moment, we are only looking for donations of the following items:

Buckets and spades

Sandpit toys



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Safeguarding reminders and updates

Mobile Phones – Our policy on children bringing a mobile phone to school has not changed. If your child needs to bring their mobile phone to school, they must turn it off as they arrive on the school site and hand it to their class teacher on arrival.