



HECKINGTON ST. ANDREW'S C OF E PRIMARY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

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14th November 2024

Dear Parents and Carers,

I am delighted to announce the appointment of Mrs Laura Steed as our new Year 2 teacher, who will be taking over when Mrs Inch commences her maternity leave. Mrs Steed will be spending time in school to familiarise herself with the pupils prior to her official start.

Our whole school recently participated in a moving Act of Remembrance to commemorate Remembrance Day. The pupils conducted themselves with great respect, and I would like to say a particular well done to our Year 6 pupils who assisted in leading the service.

As we reflect on our recent Anti-Bullying Week, I am pleased to share that our pupils have engaged thoughtfully with this year's theme: 'Choose Respect'. This initiative has provided a valuable opportunity for our school community to reinforce the importance of mutual respect and kindness. Through various activities and discussions, we have collectively explored how respect forms the foundation of positive relationships and a harmonious school environment.

If you haven't already, please remember to like our new Facebook page for Heckington St. Andrew's C of E Primary School: <https://www.facebook.com/HeckingtonSchool>.

I would like to invite you to join us for our upcoming humanities exhibition next Wednesday. We warmly welcome you to visit our open classrooms at the end of the school day to celebrate your child's accomplishments in history and geography.

Yours sincerely,
Judith Bentley
Head teacher

**MOMENTS
MATTER,
ATTENDANCE
COUNTS.**

"From the first day of term to the last, the small moments in a school day make a real difference to your child.
#AttendanceCounts"

15th November - Children in Need - wear your favourite colour

14th November - Bag2School 9:00am

20th November - Humanities exhibition 3.30pm all school

3rd December - Christingle (Children only)

4th December 3:30pm - Christmas Fair - details to follow

4th December - Reception trip to Rand Farm Christmas Experience

11th December - Reception and Year 6 Nativity in Church 2:00pm

12th December - Year 4 Class worship in school at 9:00am

12th December - Year 1 and 2 Carol Service in Church 2:00pm

18th December - Christmas Lunch and Christmas Jumper Day.

18th December - Santa's Stories - details to follow

14th December - Last day of term

6th January - First day back

4th January - Year 5 Star Planetarium

NON-UNIFORM DAY

Friday 15th November 2024

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IN NEED**

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TO SCHOOL DAY**

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Year 5 visited the Windmill for a gears, leavers and pulleys workshop. We created our very own examples of gears, leavers and pulleys and we had a look around the windmill to see if we could see some examples in real life! We had a fantastic day and would like to thank Mr Reid, Mrs Pinchbeck and all the other volunteers who helped us!





Lest We Forget

