



# Henry Hinde Newsletter

*We Respect Ourselves - We Respect Each Other - We Respect Our School and Our Community*

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## Head's Headlines

From our whole family at HHJS I extend warm wishes to you and your family for the festive period.

We've had some news this term! Mrs Solomon has had a beautiful baby boy called Carter and we wish her and her new addition all the very best for their first Christmas. Carter is in one of the photographs below in a beautiful Santa suit! Mr Daniel and his wife welcomed a baby girl in to their world this week, Eloise Ruth Daniel. We're thrilled for them all and wish them a happy and healthy Christmas. Mr Daniel will be taking his paternity leave after Christmas and Mrs Sandra Dixon will be covering his absence in the New Year.

Someone else has an announcement to make... look closely at the photographs below as we may have another addition to the HHJS family in March 2020!

Reflecting on 2019, I am exceptionally proud of our school community and the progress we have made so far this year. We still have a journey to make to get to 'Good', but we are closer than we were thanks to the hard work and commitment of our staff, pupils, families and community.

Whatever the break ahead brings for you; I wish you a safe, happy and festive time together.



Here are the photos of the week;



### Attendance

Our whole school attendance for last week was **94.9%**

The class with the highest attendance last week was **Sycamore** with **99.4%**



### Music Lessons

In January we have a few spaces in drum & woodwind lessons. If you would like your child to start having lessons can you please let the office know.

### Swimming

In the spring term Year 6 will be swimming every Thursday afternoon up until Easter. Please remember to send your child in with their kits on Thursday 8th January 2020.

### Forest Schools

Starting in January 2020, all classes will be taught Forest School on a two weekly cycle for a whole afternoon with a qualified Forest School instructor. We'd like children to have their forest school kit in school at all times, taking it home after their session to wash before bringing back.

**Every child will need;** waterproof jacket and trousers, fleecy or other warm tracksuit bottoms, a long sleeved top, warm jumper or fleece, hat and gloves and a pair of wellington boots.

These items should be named and stored in a bag in your child's locker.

### PE Arrangements 2020 - Indoor and Outdoor Kit Required Every Week

Year 3 - Every Wednesday and every other Thursday

Year 4 - Every Monday and every other Friday

Year 5 - Every Tuesday and every other Wednesday

Year 6 - Swimming kits every Thursday and PE kits every other Monday

This will still equate to 4 hours over the fortnight, but children will be experiencing teaching from a member of Kit Academies PE staff once a week and Miss Francis, our PE specialist, for 2 hours once a fortnight.

### Lunch Menu - Week Commencing 6th January

Week 1		
Tuesday	(Red) BBQ Chicken Fillet Bites in a Wrap (Green) (v) Farmhouse Omelette (Brown) Tandoori Chicken Naan (Blue) Jacket Potato with Cheese/Beans/Tuna	Iced Mandarin Sponge Yoghurt or Fresh Fruit
Wednesday	(Red) Roast Pork (Green) (v) Veggie Toad in the Hole (Brown) Chinese Five Spice Chicken Wrap (Blue) Jacket Potato with Cheese/Beans/Tuna	Fruit Crumble & Custard Ice Cream Yoghurt or Fresh Fruit
Thursday	(Red) Pasta Bolognese (Green) (v) Cheese & Tomato Pizza (Brown) BBQ Chicken Wrap (Blue) Jacket Potato with Cheese/Beans/Tuna	Creamy Whip & Fruit Ginger Cookie Yoghurt or Fresh Fruit
Friday	(Red) Salmon & Sweet Potato Fishcake (Green) (v) Vegetable Burrito (Brown) Southern Coated Chicken Wrap (Blue) Jacket Potato with Cheese/Beans/Tuna	Mini Doughnut Yoghurt or Fresh Fruit

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6 TTD	7 Term Starts for Children	8	9	10