Hunstanton Primary School

Your weekly newsletter - 31st January 2025

Headteacher's message

Parents Evenings

Parents evening are being held on Thursday 13th (3.30-6pm) and Thursday 27th February (4.00-6pm), don't delay book your appointment today! You can book via the school office or directly with your child's teacher.

SEND & Inclusion Line

On Page 5 there are details about the launch of the new SEND & Inclusion Line for parents

Hunstanton Talent Show Announcement Calling All Young Stars!

Does your child have a special talent?
Whether they are a marvellous mover, a spectacular singer, a tumbling gymnast, a joke-telling superstar or a budding musician, we want to see them shine on stage!

Join us for the Hunstanton Talent Show!
We're on the lookout for groups and individual performers who are eager to showcase in front of a live audience. If your child is interested in auditioning, please encourage them to put their name down with their class teacher, alternatively, you can email the school office.

This is a wonderful opportunity for your child to build confidence, gain stage experience and entertain the community. We can't wait to see what amazing talents our children have to offer!
If we have enough interest we may be able to have the show at the Town Hall!

Attendance

Overall attendance this week: 93%
National average for this year is 95%
This week's class winner is :
Sharks with 100%
Punctuality Panda:
Starfish with NO late arrivals this week

Stars of the week

Seahorses : Harley
Starfish: Antoni
Sharks : Ben & Piper
Sea Otters: Morgan and Isaac
Seals: Robbie
Stingrays: Isabella

Headteacher Awards

Y2 : Imogen Y3: Clarke, Erik, Cynthia
Y4 - Isla, Ruby, Isaac, Nico, Stanley
Y5 - Connie, Lucy Y6 - Sonny

Attendance Awards

KS1: Harley (EYFS)
KS2: Alfie (Y5)
Staff: Mrs Rafferty

Harley (EYFS), Mikha, Trey, Logan H, Isla, Jennifer, Harper O, Penelope, Leo (Y5), Leo P-F, Christian, Nico, Morgan (Y4), Elyssa, Freya (EYFS), Mrs Eburah, Mrs Wood, Mrs Yates

Dates for WB 3rd February

MONDAY 3RD FEBRUARY

Y5 & Y6 have PE today. Please come to school in your PE kit (bring shorts for Y6, do not wear, it's too cold)

MITI String lessons

3.20pm-4pm Y4 Times Table Club

TUESDAY 4TH FEBRUARY

8am Y6 SATS Booster sessions for 3 weeks

Invited children only

Y2 & Y3 have PE today. Please come to school in your PE kit

3.20pm-4.10pm After School Football Club

WEDNESDAY 5TH FEBRUARY

Assembly about an African Orphanage

Guitar & drum lessons today

Y1 & Y4 have PE today, please come to school in your P.E. kit (bring shorts for Y4, do not wear, it's too cold)

Y5 swimming today, please bring your swimming kit to school

3.15pm-3.45pm Y6 SATS Booster sessions for 3 weeks

Invited children only

3.20pm-4.10pm After School Dodgeball Club

THURSDAY 6TH FEBRUARY

Y3 & Y4 have PE today, please come to school in your P.E. kit

Piano & keyboard lessons today

3.10pm-4.30pm After School Cookery Club

Invited children only

FRIDAY 7TH FEBRUARY

NSPCC Number Day - Wear a number, a shape or anything mathematical for our fun number day!

Mini Medics Course - some Y6 pupils

Y6 have PE today. Please come to school in your PE kit

IRock Music lessons today

MONTH	TIME	ACTIVITY	WHOM
FEBRUARY			
13th	3.30-6pm (TBC)	Parents Evening - booked via appointments	Parents/Carers
27th	4.00-6pm (TBC)	Parents Evening - booked via appointments	Parents/Carers
MARCH			
3rd	9am	Hockey Event at Lynnsport	Y5/Y6
5-7th March	3 Days	Y6 Residential Trip to Thorpe Woodland	Y6
21st	All Day	Y3 Trip to Norwich Castle	Y3
21st	All Day	EYFS Snettisham Park Farm	EYFS
APRIL			
29th	9am	Crucial Crew in King's Lynn	Y6
29th	1-3pm	Tri-Golf Competition at Heacham Junior School	Y1/Y2
MAY			
12th-15th	Morning	KS2 SATS week	KS2
JUNE			
5th	1-3pm	Tennis Festival at Lynnsport own transport	Y3 x4 pupils
17th	1pm	Dance Festival at The Corn Exchange	Y2

Congratulations to our Year 1 and Year 2 pupils who participated in the School Sports Partnership Event at Lynnsport on Monday! It was fantastic to see our children enjoying themselves and engaging with other schools in West Norfolk. As always, their behaviour was exemplary, and we couldn't be prouder of their sportsmanship. Well done, everyone!

HUNSTANTON PRIMARY SCHOOL

WE ARE HIRING

TEACHING ASSISTANT

- **Salary: Scale D £12.84 - £13.05 per hour**
- **Fixed Term contract (initially until 31/08/2026 with the likelihood of this being extended)**
- **32.5 hrs per week**
- **Term time + 1 week**
- **To start as soon as possible**

This is an exciting opportunity for someone to join our friendly and supportive team at Hunstanton Primary School. We are seeking to appoint an enthusiastic and caring Teaching Assistant to work primarily in EYFS, Year 1 and our new nurture provision.

The role:

- **To work under the direction and guidance of the classroom teachers to support individuals and groups with their learning**
- **To deliver planned interventions to individuals and small groups**

We are looking for someone who:

- **Has a desire to enable every child to thrive and succeed**
- **Is kind, calm and caring**
- **Has a passion for and experience of working with children with special educational needs**
- **Is energetic, committed and resilient**
- **Is enthusiastic and able to role model a love of learning**
- **Is able to communicate and collaborate well with our staff and parents**
- **Able to use their initiative and be adaptable to situations**
- **Is reliable and trustworthy**
- **A reflective person who is always seeking to improve**

Closing date: Sunday 9th February 2025

Interview date : Wednesday 12th February 2025

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Launch of the new SEND and Inclusion Support Line

We know that parents who have children with SEND can often find it hard to get the information and support they need. That's why, a new support line for parents and professionals has been launched.

Although there's lots of advice and information already on the Local Offer, if parents can't find what they need, they can call 0333 313 7165 and speak to a professional.

The new phone line is available on weekdays from 9am until 5pm and is for parents who have children with any kind of SEND need, as well as those whose children might be at risk of being excluded from school.

It can provide support on anything SEND related - from thinking a child might have a special educational need, to trying to understand the next steps after a diagnosis. If parents are thinking about applying for an Education Health and Care Plan (EHCP) assessment then we'd really encourage them to call this number first, so they can gain help with getting the right support in place. The launch of the line follows feedback from parents at the Family Voice Norfolk conference and in the SEND survey.

SENDIASS, which is an impartial service supporting families, will continue to offer support on its existing number. The EHCP line will also stay in use. This line is for people who have an open EHCP assessment or plan.

website : https://www.schools.norfolk.gov.uk/article/57482/SEND-support

family hubs

Drop In for Young people, Parents and Carers

Come along and meet Lex our Community Worker who will be ready to answer your questions/listen to worries about family life and share information about a wide range of activities, groups and organisations that can help.

Saturday 8th February Kings Lynn Library 10:30am -12pm

Friday 21st February Hunstanton Library 10:00am – 12pm

Wednesday 26h February Dersingham Library 10:30am – 12pm

Friday 28th February ECFS base South Lynn 9:30am – 11:30am

Should you wish to book an appointment with Lex for any other convenient time to have a chat please call the Family hub on 01553 669651 to arrange this. You can also talk to one of our advisors who will be happy to help by popping along to St Augustine's Centre anytime Mon-Fri between 9am and 4pm to see them face to face

You can find out more about our family hubs approach online, just scan the QR code

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