

The Hazel Leys Chronicle

October 2022 Academy Newsletter

Head of Academy update

Welcome to our second newsletter of the year. We hope this will keep you up to date with news and events happening at school alongside the class newsletters shared by our teachers.

Half term is here and we all deserve a very well earned and needed rest. It has been a very busy half term. Our children have settled well and have worked very hard.

Well done to our Reception children having completed one half term of their first year of school.

Thank you to all our parents and carers who attended the recent parent consultation evenings and completed the parent survey. We value your views and opinions and appreciate your support.

If you were unable to attend, our teachers will have already contacted you. If we have missed you, please do get in touch.

Thank you for your continued support.
Mrs Beverley Trotman

School Lunch



Just a reminder that if you have not booked your child's school lunch time meal for next week, please can you make sure they are sent into school with a packed lunch.

The deadline for ordering meals is **every Wednesday** for the week ahead. Please can parents wanting their child to have a school dinner make sure the meals are ordered by **midnight every Wednesday**.

After School Clubs

Available this half term:

Gardening club
Dance club continues
Jam coding club
Knitting club
Netball
Rugby
Multi skills club (KS1)

Full details to follow from our school office.

Dates for your Diary

We do not want you to miss anything so please see below our key dates for Autumn 2.

Monday 31st October – Training Day for teachers

Tuesday 1st November – school reopens for pupils
11th November – School Council Remembrance Assembly
Tuesday 14th November – Odd Socks Day
18th November – Children in Need Mufti Day

Tuesday 6th December – Christmas Carol Concert KS2 (pm)

Wednesday 7th December- KS1 Years 1&2 Christmas Performance (am & pm)

Thursday 8th December- EYFS Reception class Christmas Performance (am & pm)

Thursday 8th December Christmas Jumper Day (National Save the Children Day)

Frida 9th December Nursery Christmas Performance (am)

Thursday 15th December Christmas Class Parties

Friday 16th December – school closes for Christmas

Please keep an eye out for further details via email or text message.

School coats

Now that we are in the winter months, your child must bring a school coat into school every day.

Punctuality

Please arrive at school on time every day.

Reception to Year 6

Academy opens	8.55am
Registration closes	9.00am
Break	10.30 - 10.45am
Nursery Lunch	11.45 – 12.15pm
Reception and KS1 Lunch	11.45- 12.45pm
KS2 Lunch	12.15pm -1pm
End of Academy Day	3.15pm



School Uniform

Please remember to name all your child's clothes – one Hazel Leys sweatshirt looks much the same as another!

If you have any uniform (including shoes) that is in good condition, that you would like to donate, we are always happy to accept it.



Bikes and Scooters

A reminder that those children riding bikes and scooters to school should wear a safety helmet.

Bikes and scooters left on the premises must be parked in the racks provided.

All bikes and scooters are left on the premises at your own risk. We accept no responsibility for any loss or damage.

Attendance

If your child is absent from school, you **must** contact the school on 01536 202681 and leave a message **before 8.45am**.

This is particularly important for children who walk to and from school without an adult.

Thank you.

Days off school add up to lost learning

175 NON SCHOOL DAYS A YEAR

175 days to spend on family time, visits, holidays, shopping, household jobs and other appointments



Whole School attendance week ending 14th October 2022

96.5%

Our School Values



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Hot Meals

Please make sure you are ordering your child's hot dinners if they have them (log-in details can be given if you visit the Academy office).

<https://www.kingswoodcatering.co.uk/>

It is your responsibility to order your child's hot Dinner even if they are free!

Thank you.

Family Support Worker

Please remember that if you require any assistance or need any advice or guidance, you can speak to Mrs Geraldine Edge our Family Support Worker. She is available in school every morning until 12.30pm. Alternatively, please send her an email to gedge@hazelleysacademy.org and she will get back to you.

Celebrating Learning

Our children have been very engrossed in the Forest School experience this half term!



Year 5 Learning how to play the Samba Drums together.



Breakfast and Phonics!

So wonderful to see so many of our Nursery parents and carers in for our learning about healthy breakfasts and phonics morning!



Well done to all the STARS of the week across the school showing our school values!