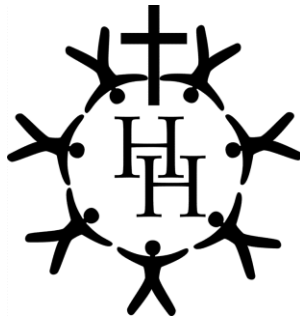


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News Sheet

Discussion topic: "The soul is healed by being with children." — Fyodor Dostoyevsky

12th March, 2021

Dear Parents/Carers,

The children of Hanging Heaton continue to prove exactly what we know about them. Despite the obstacles that have been placed in their way, they have returned to school with enthusiastic smiles, ready to learn and determination to be their very best selves.

Awesome is not a word I use lightly but – they have been awesome!

Clearly they have been well prepared for their return to school so I send my thanks to the parents and carers who have shown them they have the confidence and reminded them that things will get better!

Kind regards,
Mrs J Potter

Reminder: Covid risk assessment

May I politely remind parents and carers of a few points of safety for drop off and collection:

- Only 1 parent or carer to drop off/collect
- Maintain 2m social distance from school staff and people from other households at all times
- Leave the vicinity of school as soon as possible – I know it's nice to see friendly faces that you haven't seen for a while but too many people are stopping for a chat and creating some congestion
- Call the office number if you would like to leave a message rather than trying to speak to staff at the front gate

Thank you for your support.

Home learning

We know that many parents and children have worked very hard on home schooling recently.

In the interests of honouring our promise to allow children (and mums and dads!) to promote play and being active, we are changing our home learning slightly. Children will receive spellings, reading and mathematics but no written maths or English learning. Teachers may set home learning for practical subjects like music or computing which can then be uploaded to Seesaw in the usual way.

We hope this will allow you time with children to get outdoors more (hopefully now the weather is improving) or have some quality family time outside of school work.

Seesaw

Whilst we recognise that Seesaw has been a useful tool for contacting teachers during lockdown, this must now be used for home learning purposes only. Whilst children are in school, teachers will check for set learning at a convenient marking time for them and replies will only be made around set work. Should you wish to pass messages onto staff, or contact them for any other reason, please call the school office.

If you wish to contact myself or any member of staff, please call the school office on 01924 463035 for an appointment. Email addresses are for emergency use only and Seesaw is for home learning only. Thank you.

"Let all that you do be done in love"