

THE HALE HERALD



THE NEWSLETTER FOR HALE CE PRIMARY SCHOOL

Dear Parents and Carers

This week I have spent the mornings observing the teaching and learning of Maths across the school. Even though I visit all classes every day it has been a valuable experience spending this length of time focused on a subject that we have invested time and resources into improving. The lesson observations, along with pupils work books and assessments enable us as a school team to identify strengths and any areas for development.

I was very impressed with how positive the children are about Maths across the school and how they are rising to the increased challenge within our Maths curriculum.

Today I have also sent out the results of the Pupil and Parent Surveys. Thank you to all those parents who completed it. All children in school including Reception completed the survey - some children completed the survey on the day of the "great storm" and this does account for some of those children who said they did not always feel safe. The children all had the opportunity to write comments to accompany their views and this have proved very useful.

The results of both surveys have been shared with the Governing Board, staff and children. The results will help to inform our ongoing plans for the school.

Can I remind parents that children should not be collected early from school unless they need to attend a medical appointment (proof of appointment is needed). We have had an increase in parents collecting early particularly on a Friday.



I hope you all have a lovely weekend making the most of the good weather!

Mrs Fenton





Thank you to everyone that donated items to sell at the tuck shop last week.

The Year 6 children gave up their lunch breaks to create the treat bags that we then sold.

The tuck shop raised £160

All children in school last Friday planted a sunflower seed and took it home to care for and hopefully watch it grow!

We will be sending all monies raised to the Red Cross.





Parent and Teacher Meetings

As we return from the Easter break you will receive you child's next mid-term report. Parent and Teacher meetings will be face to face and held during week beginning 25th April. These meetings will provide you with an opportunity to discuss the mid-year reports and get a general update for your child.

Uniform



Samples of the new school jumpers and cardigans will be available in the coming weeks for us to share with parents.

Changes to the uniform will not come into place until September along with the new school badge and updated school vision.



Next Friday we finish for our Easter break. School will close at the normal time on this day.

Thankfulness is this half term's Christian Value.



We are continuing to meet in larger groups in the school hall for Collective Worship and as a whole school for our Friday celebration assemblies.



