



Holly Grove School Newsletter

9th January 2023

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Welcome back! We hope you have all had a fabulous Christmas and best wishes to all of you for 2023!



°COSY HOMES
IN LANCASHIRE



Now that we are into winter and have seen a drop in temperature you may wish to take a look at the Cosy Homes in Lancashire website. Cosy Homes in Lancashire is a collaboration of Local Authorities that are working together to give low income households the chance to access cost effective ways to keep their homes warm. You can access many of their services if you own your own home or if you rent your home and have the landlords permission. The website to visit is <https://www.chil.uk.com/> or scan the QR Code

REMINDER

You can view all our policies via our school website:

www.holly-grove.lancs.sch.uk



Merry Berries



We are keen to recruit some new Merry Berries so If you are interested in sending your child or wish to request extra sessions, please contact Nick.

Staff Development/Training.

Wed 11th January



Whole School Staff Meeting
Interventions Meeting



FAMILY FORUM



Our January Forum will be taking place this Friday, 13th January, 1.00pm at Ridgewood Community High School, which can be found on Eastern Avenue in Burnley.

There will be a speaker present from the Burnley Community Grocery Store, to share how they can support you and your family during the current cost of living crisis.

If you would like to join us, then please make your way to Ridgewood school reception for 1pm or if you would prefer, you can meet Nick at Holly Grove reception at 12.45pm and you can make your way to Ridgewood together.



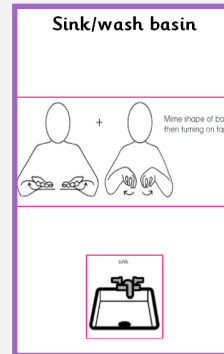
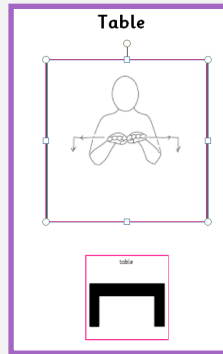
Well Done to Dalia for joining in with music and creating a great rhythm

We are very proud of you Dalia!

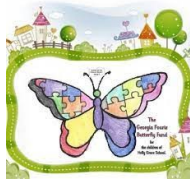


Signs of the Week

We are going to be putting 2 different Makaton signs every week onto the newsletter. These are our School Signs of the Week and your child will be practising these during the week in class. These will give you the opportunity to practise different signs with your child at home.



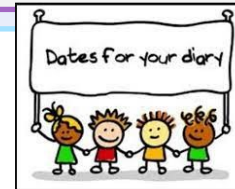
You can contact school if you need any support using Makaton at home,



Well Done to our January 100 Club Winners

£50 - Number **61** Roxann Judge

£25 - Number **94** Trish Edmondson



Friday 13th January

Family Forum

Thursday 26th January

Parent Workshop -
Supporting your child with Phonics/Reading.

Friday 3rd February

NSPCC Number Day

Monday 6th-10th February

Children's Mental Health Week

Tuesday 7th February

Safer Internet Day

Nibble and Natter



If you have any questions or concerns regarding your child's online safety at home, please don't hesitate to contact school. You will be directed to someone who can support you.



Staff - Danielle and Hassan

Children Archie

We would love to share your news on our newsletter.

You can send photos etc.to:

newsletter@holly-grove.lancs.sch.uk

Holly Grove Heroes



Aisling's Class - Nukbah

Samantha's Class - Ayeesha

Laura's Class - Marcus

Libby's Class - Aadam

Rebecca's Class - Zak

Danielle's Class - Ayaan

Julie's Class - Dalia

Connor's Class - Ihsaan

Courtney's Class - Hussain

Alex's Class - Szymon



Well Done Everyone!

Happier January 2023

SUNDAY

MONDAY

TUESDAY

WEDNESDAY

THURSDAY

FRIDAY

SATURDAY



1 Find three things to look forward to this year

2 Make time today to do something kind for yourself

3 Do a kind act for someone else to help brighten their day

4 Write a list of things you feel grateful for and why

5 Look for the good in others and notice their strengths

6 Take five minutes to sit still and just breathe

7 Learn something new and share it with others

8 Say positive things to the people you meet today

9 Get moving. Do something active (ideally outdoors)

10 Thank someone you're grateful to and tell them why

11 Switch off all your tech at least an hour before bedtime

12 Connect with someone near you - share a smile or chat

13 Take a different route today and see what you notice

14 Eat healthy food which really nourishes you today

15 Get outside and notice five things that are beautiful

16 Contribute positively to your local community

17 Be gentle with yourself when you make mistakes

18 Get back in contact with an old friend

19 Focus on what's good, even if today feels tough

20 Go to bed in good time and allow yourself to recharge

21 Try out something new to get out of your comfort zone

22 Plan something fun and invite others to join you

23 Put away digital devices and focus on being in the moment

24 Take a small step towards an important goal

25 Decide to lift people up rather than put them down

26 Choose one of your strengths and find a way to use it today

27 Challenge your negative thoughts and look for the upside

28 Ask other people about things they've enjoyed recently

29 Say hello to a neighbour and get to know them better

30 See how many people you can smile at today

31 Write down your hopes or plans for the future



ACTION FOR HAPPINESS

Happier · Kinder · Together



PUPIL HOLIDAY DATES – 2022 / 2023

Autumn Term 2022

Re-open Monday 5 September 2022

Half Term 5 days Monday 24 October
Friday 28 October (inclusive)

Re-open Monday 31 October

Christmas - Closure after school on Friday 16 December 2022



Spring Term 2023

Re-open Thursday 5 January 2023

Half Term 5 days Monday 13 February to
Friday 17 February (inclusive)

Re-open Tuesday 21 February

Easter - Closure after school on Friday 31 March 2023



Summer Term 2023

Re-open Monday 17 April 2023

May Day 1 day Monday 1 May

Half Term 5 days Monday 29 May to
Friday 2 June (inclusive)

Re-open Monday 5 June

Summer – Closure after school on Friday 21 July 2023

