



Longhill Primary School Newsletter Issue 18 Thursday 8th February 2024



Staffing update

Dear parents/carers

It is with mixed feelings that we bring you the news that Miss Hyde will be leaving us to take up a promotion at a school in Beverley. Miss Hyde has been an excellent member of our staff team since joining us, she has been a great classteacher and has really taken the school forward with computing. I'm sure you will join us in wishing her the best of luck in her new role, she will certainly be missed!

As Miss Hyde is leaving we will have to make some changes to staffing throughout the school. Please see the list below for any changes which will take effect after half term:

- F1 - Mrs Tune
- F2 - Mrs Deakin, Mrs Thornborough
- Y1 - Miss Allen, Mrs Gately
- Y2 - Miss Snowden, Miss Vint, Miss Smith
- Y3 - Miss Peskey, Miss Crozier, Miss Walker
- Y4 - Miss White, Miss Rossiter
- Y5 - Mr Usher, Mr Hamilton, Miss Collier
- Y6 – Mrs Strickland, Mrs Graywahl, Mr Moy

We do appreciate that it isn't an ideal situation having to move classteachers around mid year but it unfortunately it cannot be helped.

Thank you for your continued support and have a lovely half term holiday. Just a reminder that the **children return on Tuesday 20th February.**

Mr Batty and Mrs Pearce

Attendance figure to date

Thank you for taking part in the Early Bird week. Over half term we will be looking at all the attendance figures and giving out prizes.

The attendance figure to date for the whole school is 94.3% The current national figure is 93.7% so we are above national but still very low compared to Pre Covid days.

If your child's attendance during the school year was.....	Your child would have lost approximately.....	Or they would have missed approximately....
95%	9 days from school	50 lessons
90%	19 days from school	100 lessons
85%	29 days from school	150 lessons
80%	38 days from school	200 lessons
75%	48 days from school	250 lessons

Remember Absence = Lost Opportunity



Lunch menu - The menu for this term can be found in the link below:

<https://longhillprimary.org.uk/wp-content/uploads/2023/07/Autumn-2023-menu.pdf>

Dates for your diary

Tuesday 20th February – Children return from half term

Monday 26th February - Year 5 trip to Magna

Tuesday 5th March. Artist day Andy Warhole

Thursday 7th March – World Book Day

Friday 22nd March – Break for Easter

Monday 13th May - Year 6 SATS week

Click below for a link to the term dates

<https://longhillprimary.org.uk/term-dates/>

