Hill View Headlines

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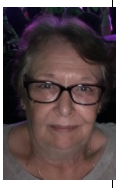
Current school attendance:

Fond farewell

Sadly, after 25 years at Hill View we will be saying goodbye to Mrs Lydon in our school office at the end of January.



Mrs Lydon is a Hill View girl through and through and is known by many children, parents and grandparents alike. She has AMAZINGLY never had a day off sick in the whole 25 years she has been with us. WOW!

She will be greatly missed by all staff and children.
Goodbye and happy retirement!

We would also like to warmly welcome Mrs Howat, who will begin working in the school office from next week.

Dear Parents,

Welcome back and Happy New Year! We hope you all had a happy and relaxing holiday.

Thank you for attending our Christmas performances this year. I'm sure all families are ready for an exciting new term.

Our class/family assemblies begin this term with class 1 children on Friday 26th January at 2:15pm.

We look forward to seeing each class shine in their class assemblies planned for this year.

Thank you

Mrs Smith

Play at lunchtimes

We will be holding a meeting for any parents and carers who would like to know more about a project we have running at lunch times in school.

"OPAL" is a programme that helps enhance playtimes for children by developing more creative play spaces for our children.

We would love to see a good turnout at the meeting which takes place on **Friday 19th January at 9:00—9:30am** in the school hall.

FRED

FRED (Fathers Reading Every Day) will take place again this year on Thursday 1st March. We invite any male role models to come into school to read with our children to help promote a love of reading. Please make a special effort to attend if possible.

Care plans

If for any reason your child is, or has been unwell and needs a care plan in school, please contact the office to arrange a meeting with a trained member of staff. As a busy school we ask that care plans are completed with a parent/carer and staff member between the hours of **8:00-8:30am or 3:00-3:30pm**.

If any parent or carer is entitled to Free School Meals, it would benefit the school greatly if you made us aware **at any time**. We are aware that every child is now entitled to a free meal at school however the school will receive funds for your child, which will help us to continue to provide a broad and exciting curriculum. For every child entitled to a free school meal we receive **£1320** per year which helps us to maintain our high standards. Feel free to come into the school office if you would like further assistance with this matter.

Diary Dates

E-Safety week: week beginning 5th Feb
Fairtrade fortnight: begins 26th Feb.
World Book Day: 1st March
Book fair: week of 26th February
School closes: Friday 9th February
School re-opens:
Tuesday 20th February

Up to date phone numbers

If we ever need to get in touch with parents/ carers can we please ask that you let us know if you have changed your phone number.

Next class assembly: Class 1 on 26th January 2018 at 2:15pm