



LITTLE HEATON NEWS

Learning Together We Grow In Faith

Friday 13th September 2024



THIS WEEKS CELEBRATIONS



STARS OF THE WEEK – FANTASTIC LEARNING

- Aria (R) – For showing respect, by listening and responding to questions asked.
- Dawson (R) – For demonstrating the value of Love, showing a caring and conscientious attitude.
- Logan (1) – For a brilliant start to Year 1 where he has already put in an amazing amount of effort.
- Tobias (1) – For a fantastic start to Year 1 and showing great enthusiasm.
- Poppy (2) – For an excellent start to Year 2.
- Lotti (2) – For an excellent start to Year 2.
- Layla (3) – For demonstrating excellent listening skills and kindness to others. A great role model!
- Yodida (3) – For settling into his new class so successfully.
- Cole (4) – For his respect towards others and his passion for learning.
- Desiree (4) – For her attitude towards learning and eagerness to complete homework.
- Angela (5) – For always contributing to class discussions & sharing her wonderful ideas with others.
- Grace (5) – For her positive attitude towards learning, always on task & working to a high standard.
- Darcy (6) – For a brilliant starts to Year 6 and being a fabulous role model.
- Kaggwa (6) – For an excellent start to Year 6 and being a fabulous role model.

ATTENDANCE TARGET – 95%

Recep – 88.2% Y1 – 91.9% Y2 – 96.0% Y3 – 93.0% Y4 – 93.1% Y5 – 96.1% Y6 – 94.7%

Whole School – 93.8%

Headteachers Message

"Many of life's failures are people who didn't realise they were close to success when they gave up."

Another week has flown by at Little Heaton, and it certainly has been a busy and exciting week. Our 'Pupil Parliament' children have been voted in by their classes and we have now selected our group of Y6 Ambassadors. Congratulations to all these pupils:

Pupil Parliament: **Year 1** - Amber and Eden; **Year 2** - Hareem and Edris **Year 3** - Kayla-Jade and Callum; **Year 4** - Adam and Maryam; **Year 5** - Rowan and Aaron; **Year 6** - Laycie and Louis

Ambassadors: Reggie; Leighton; Poppy; Jonah; Leon; Kaggwa; Favour; Lilia; Renee; Sarah

We know these pupils will take their responsibilities very seriously and we look forward to seeing how they develop as leaders and contribute to the school!

We are looking forward to hearing the House Captain/Vice Captain manifestos of our Y5 and Y6 pupils next week and appointing our new House Leaders!

Mrs McNeill – Interim Headteacher



Back 2 School

All Saints are holding a Back to School service on **Sunday 15th September at 11:00am.**

All families are welcome!

MacMillan Coffee Morning



We are looking forward to our first parent event of the term, which is our coffee morning on **26th September, 9:15-10:15**. We will be supporting MacMillan Cancer support by making this a MacMillan coffee morning - this is in memory of Lucy Dignam who we lost to cancer last year and two other members of staff who have been directly affected by cancer. We are aware of several of our families who have also been affected by this dreadful disease. We look forward to welcoming you into school and to sharing in our support. A reminder that we would appreciate if our Y5/6 pupils can contribute cakes and goodies for this, which will then also be sold at the end of the day.



Harvest

With our Harvest service coming up on **30th September**, we would be very grateful for donations of non-perishable food items. We will collect these together and after our service will donate to Middleton Foodbank.

Thank you in advance.

Volunteers

We are appreciative of the fact that several of our parents and carers have valuable skills that you might want to share with the Little Heaton Primary community and are therefore inviting parents and carers to let us know if you would be interested in volunteering at Little Heaton Primary. This can happen in a variety of flexible ways, and we would be able to work around any other commitments you may have. In the first instance, please drop us an email if this is something you would be interested in.

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Reception starters 2025

We are looking forward to our open morning, **9:30-10:30 on Wednesday 18th September**. This is for parents/carers of children who are due to start school in **September 2025** - please spread the word if you know of anyone who might be interested in attending. Thank you!



Lunchtime superstars!

Our lunchtime staff have been keeping a close eye on children who have been demonstrating our values, shown great table manners and fulfilled our behaviour expectations at lunchtimes. 8 of these children have been chosen to invite their parents in for a special family meal on Friday 20th September. Well done to **Maja in Y2; James in Y3; Annabelle in Y6; Rubie in Y2; Alice in Y2; Damyan in Y6; Jaxon in Y1 and Rowan in Y5** - we look forward to this very special meal on Friday. Well done to all the other children who have been making a concerted effort to make sure our lunchtimes are an enjoyable experience!



Dates for your Diary

- 18th September** – Open Morning (Reception places September 2025)
- 26th September** – MacMillan Coffee Morning
- 30th September** – Harvest
- 4th October** – Family Fitness Day (Details to be confirmed)
- 9th October** – Y6 Learning Exhibition
- 16th October** – Open Morning (Reception places September 2025)
- 17th October** – Reading Breakfast