



HOLDEN LANE PRIMARY NEWS

"Working Together, Learning for Life"



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KING'S CORONATION CELEBRATIONS

On Wednesday 24th May, we will be throwing a **HUGE** party to commemorate the coronation of King Charles III. Children are invited to celebrate this historic event by coming into school wearing red, white and blue. The kitchen will be serving a celebratory menu and we will be hosting a special street party and with fun and games galore. We are very much looking forward to seeing all of our children wearing red, white and blue and waving their flags in honour of our King. Please note that we have chosen to celebrate the coronation on 24th May to enable the children in Key Stage 1 and Key Stage 2 to complete their SATs tests.

IT'S PARTY TIME!

YEAR SIX SATS TESTS ~ VERY WELL DONE!

Very well done to our fabulous Year 6 children who worked so hard this week to complete their Key Stage 2 SATs tests. We know that every child tried extremely hard and did their absolute best.

Each and every pupil demonstrated an excellent attitude and gave their all!

Well done Year 6, we are very proud of you and look forward to finding out the results of all your super hard work and incredible determination!

**VERY WELL DONE YEAR 6 ~
YOU HAVE MADE US VERY PROUD!**

WELL DONE

CLASS PHOTOGRAPHS

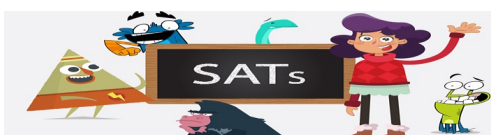
Our annual class groups, Year 6 Leavers and Reception Graduation photographs will be taken after half term on **Wednesday 21st June**. We look forward to seeing all of our children looking their very best, super smart in their uniform, ready for their class photograph. Thank you for your continued support.



YEAR TWO SATS TESTS

Our Year 2 children continue to work extremely hard in all aspects of their learning in order to prepare for their SATs tests which begin on Monday.

We would like to wish them all the very best as they prepare for this important week. Keep working hard and trying your very best Year 2, we know that you will make us incredibly proud!



GOODBYE, GOOD LUCK AND THANK YOU TO MRS HOBSON

Just before half term, we are saying goodbye, good luck and thank you to Mrs Hobson who is leaving Holden Lane for pastures new.

On behalf of everyone at Holden Lane, we would like to wish her all the very best for the future and sincerely thank her for all her hard work and commitment to our school.

GOOD LUCK FOR THE FUTURE FROM US ALL!



PARENT PARTNERSHIP READING PROJECT PRESENTATION ASSEMBLY

Following our Parent Partnership Reading Project, parents and carers of our Year 2 and Year 6 pupils are warmly invited to a special celebration assembly on **Tuesday 6th June at 9.10am**. We would be delighted if you could join us to celebrate the reading successes of our children as we present a range of awards to all the participants. Each pupil who took part in the project will be presented with a book of their choice. The two pupils from each class who have made the most progress will receive a fabulous electronic reader!

The assembly will take place in the hall. Please sign in at Reception.
Thank you for your continued support.



You're Invited!



WALK TO SCHOOL WEEK ~ 15th to 19th MAY 2023

Walk to School Week begins on Monday 15th May. We hope that pupils, parents and staff will have an enjoyable time taking part to promote sustainable travel in and around the City.

This year's theme for the five-day walking challenge is **Walk with Wildlife**. This year's challenge encourages children to travel actively to school every day of the week. Meeting various animals along the way, they will learn about the important reasons to walk and the difference it can make for individuals, communities and the planet! Pupils will be encouraged to walk, wheel, cycle and scoot to school every day of the week, earning stickers as they go along, with a special reward up for grabs at the end of the week!

Walking has so many benefits from physical to mental wellbeing; aiding concentration and creativity and creating safer, less polluted and more welcoming streets.

All that makes for a happy, healthy child, set up for success in and out of the classroom.

We look forward to seeing everyone enjoying their walk to school as they join thousands of children across the country to celebrate the wide range of benefits that walking brings.

Thank you for your support for Walk to School Week 2023.



NON-UNIFORM DAY FUNDRAISER FRIDAY 26TH MAY

We are holding a non-uniform fundraising day on Friday 26th May to raise money for our chosen charity, the City Farm in Bucknall.

Children are invited to come to school in their own clothes in exchange for a small donation to our charity.

We hope that everyone will get involved.

Thank you for your continued support.



SCOOTERS AND BIKES

We would be most grateful if families would ensure that scooters and bikes are not left on the school premises over night or over the weekend. If your child comes to school on a bike or scooter, please encourage them to take them home again at the end of the school day.

This will ensure that the children's belongings are looked after and kept safe when the school is closed.

Thank you for your continued support.



MAY HALF TERM

SCHOOL CLOSURES FOR HALF TERM

School closes on **Friday 26th May** for the half term break.

We look forward to seeing you all when school re-opens on:

MONDAY 5th JUNE at 8.45am.

Thank you for your continued support.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY

Please make a note of the following dates for your diary:

- ♦ **Monday 15th May 2023 ~ Key Stage 1 SATs Week**
- ♦ Monday 15th May ~ Walk to School Week
- ♦ Wednesday 24th May ~ King's Coronation Party Day (wear red, white and blue)
- ♦ Friday 26th May ~ Non-uniform Charity Fundraiser
- ♦ Friday 26th May ~ School closes for Half Term
- ♦ Monday 5th June ~ School opens for pupils
- ♦ Tuesday 6th June ~ Parent Partnership Reading Project Presentation Assembly at 9.10am
- ♦ Tuesday 13th June ~ Attendance Celebration Assembly for Nursery, Reception, Y1 and Y2 at 9.10am
- ♦ Wednesday 14th June ~ Attendance Celebration Assembly for Y3, Y4, Y5 and Y6 at 9.10am
- ♦ Tuesday 20th June ~ Nursery and Reception Class Assembly
- ♦ Wednesday 21st June ~ Class photographs
- ♦ Wednesday 19th July ~ Parent Consultation Evening
- ♦ Friday 21st July ~ School closes for end of Summer Term 2023
- ♦ **Monday 24th July ~ SCHOOL CLOSED FOR STAFF TRAINING**
- ♦ **Tuesday 25th July ~ SCHOOL CLOSED FOR STAFF TRAINING**

