

## Holy Family School Newsletter - 18 Friday 26<sup>th</sup> January 2024



With Christ at the centre, we live, love and learn together, reaching out to all. Together, with Jesus, we can do it!'

# 'Only the best is good enough'

## YR 6 PARENTS SATS MEETING

Just a reminder from the events tab on the app, all Yr6 parents are welcome to attend this meeting in the school hall. We will be providing each Yr 6 child with CPG homework books to assist learning at home in preparation for the SATS in May. It would be great if you could come along and listen to the Yr 6 staff and ask any questions where applicable.

## ONLINE SAFETY BRIEFING FOR PARENTS

Please find below a link to access the parent/carer session scheduled for Wednesday 31st January 2024 – 9.30am – 10.15am. In a world where more and more children are accessing the online world, this workshop will be a great opportunity for parents to attend.

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Attendees do not need to register. You simply click on the link at the above time to access the session. Cameras and voice/audio will be switched off for all

attendees. Attendees can ask questions by typing in the Q&A box, but this will be explained during the session. The event will be streamed using Teams. Attendees can watch the live event in:

Teams app—desktop (Windows or Mac) or mobile. (The Teams app is free to download if attendees would like to do that beforehand).

If they don't have Teams they can access it via one of the following browsers - Google Chrome, Microsoft Edge or Firefox.

As a reminder, this session (and all their virtual sessions) will be recorded and will be subsequently shared so if somebody can't make the live session then they can watch it back at <u>a time that is convenient</u> to them.



## ATTENDANCE NEWS

The race begins for our Pizza Party competition for attendance. Remember any class that gets

100% receives 2 green marks that week!! Attendance for this week from the 22<sup>nd</sup> Jan to 26<sup>th</sup> Jan is as follows: Come on children make sure your class gets in the green zone for your Pizza Party!!

#### Green - 97%+, Yellow - 94%+, Red - 93.9% & below

| Green - 97 /6+, Yellow - 94 /6+, Red - 93.9 /6 & Delo |            |        |   |
|---|------------|--------|---|
| Class   | %<br>score | Rating | Total amount<br>of green won<br>this term |
| Year 6  | 88%        |        | 0   |
| Year 5D   | 97%        |        | 1   |
| Year 5Mc  | 99%        |        | 5   |
| Year 4  | 99%        |        | 3   |
| Year 3/4  | 92%        |        | 2   |
| Year 3  | 90%        |        | 0   |
| Year 2  | 97%        |        | 2   |
| Year 1/2  | 99%        |        | 2   |
| Year 1  | 99%        |        | 2   |
| Rec K   | 80%        |        | 2   |
| Rec M   | 92%        |        | 0   |

#### **ATTENDANCE**

We are continuing to hold attendance reviews every week with the Knowsley Attendance team and we will be closely monitoring any child's attendance if it drops below 94% or who appear to have a pattern of absences. Each day your child misses from school is equal to 2 sessions. If you child has an unavoidable medical appointment, please try and bring them in before or after a medical appointment. If you are experiencing any difficulty in maintaining your child's good attendance, please do contact school to discuss this, we are here to support you and your child.

Website: www.holyfamilyhalewood.org.uk Twitter: @HFHalewood Parent App: Contact school for more information

#### PARENT GOVERNOR VACANCY

You may recall that we wrote to you just before Christmas regarding a vacancy on the Governing Body for a Parent Governor. As we had no expressions of interests in the end, Mrs Blackham (parent of Franklin and Austin) has put herself forward again and will continue as Parent Governor for the next term of office.

#### ADMINISTERING MEDICINES

Don't forget that we are able to administer medicines in school if any child needs to take medication throughout the school day. Please contact the office and complete a form if you need this service.