



HIGHLEY SCHOOL BULLETIN

THIS WEEK'S ATTENDANCE

94.27%

UPCOMING EVENTS

- 30th September - NSPCC Kindness Challenge
- 29th Sep & 1st Oct - Fundraiser - Biscuits on Sale
- 1st October - Y4 Parent Meeting - Multiplication Check
- 1st October - Black History Month
- 9th October - Nest Celebration - By Invitation
- 12th - 15th October Bikeability - Y6
- 12th - 16th October - Healthy Eating Week
- 13th October - KSI Multiskills - Miners Class
- 16th October - YR, Y3 & Y6 Individual photos

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

Coming Soon

SCHOOL LUNCHES

W/C 28th September

Week 1 Menu

SOCIAL MEDIA

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25TH SEPTEMBER 2026 MESSAGE FROM MR PLIM

Dear Parents and Carers,

Celebrating our wonderful TAs

Today is National Teaching Assistants Day - the perfect opportunity to say a huge thank you to our wonderful TAs. Children thrive in safe, nurturing and joyful learning environments, and our TAs play a huge part in creating them. They build meaningful relationships with our children and families, support learning, provide encouragement and care, and bring their own skills, experience and expertise to everything they do. We are incredibly fortunate at Highley to have such a highly skilled and dedicated team who know our children and families so well. Our TAs are an absolutely integral part of our school - without them, we simply would not be the school we are. So, from the bottom of my heart, thank you. Your hard work, dedication, kindness and unwavering commitment make a difference to our children every single day. You are appreciated today, and every day.

Macmillan Coffee Afternoon

Many thanks to the parents and carers who were able to join us for our Macmillan Coffee Afternoon today, the donations you gave for cakes and cups and tea goes directly to the charity, who provide such amazing support for cancer patients and their families. A big thank you to those of you who provided or baked cakes for the event and another thanks to our amazing Year 6s for organising and serving you all!

NSPCC Kindness Challenge

On Wednesday we doing our NSPCC Kindness Challenge, although 'officially', we will be giving the children a challenge for the whole week! On Monday, following a special assembly focusing on kindness, each child will have a 'Kindness Challenge Bingo' with 6 challenges for them to complete during the week to exchange for a sticker when complete! Here's a sneaky peak at their bingo card!



Enrichment and Sports

Week 4 of the school year this year and together with our coffee afternoon, it has been a bumper packed week; Year 6 were described as a group who displayed more teamwork than any previous Year 6 group to visit Oldbury Wells School yesterday; our seven KS2 cross country runners chalked up THREE 3rd places on Tuesday evening and yesterday, we were paid a visit from Selina Graham, the Deputy Lord Lieutenant (the King's representative) of Shropshire. Mrs Graham looked around school and experienced a Highley OPAL playtime. It is fair to say, she was very impressed with the atmosphere around school and especially what was on offer outside at lunchtime!

The Highley School Podcast

Finally, we are delighted to share the very first 'Highley School Podcast' which Mrs Curtis and some of our Year 6 children have been working on as a way of capturing just how much goes on in school! Scan the QR code below or click [here](#) to have a listen and please let us know your feedback

Have a wonderful weekend,

Mr Plim



TTRS ROCK HEROES

Sienna

JJ

Jude



Stars of the Week

Clee

Miners

The star in Clee this week is Scarlett Astbury. Scarlett has settled into the school routine very quickly. She knows how to sit and listen, she always has kind hands and lovely manners. Scarlett has been practising her reading at home and has now moved onto word books. Well done Scarlett, keep it up!

Olive is our superstar in Miners this week. She works incredibly hard, challenges herself in lessons and also helps other children if they are struggling.

We can always rely on Olive to be a positive role model in Year 1. Thankyou for being brilliant Olive!

Arley

Arley's star this week is Scarlett! In just a few weeks, we have seen so much progress in her learning. She is growing in confidence when blending for reading, and her number recognition has improved immensely! It's been great to watch her blossom! Keep it up Scarlett!

Netherton

This week in Netherton class, our Star is Martha. She has been an absolute pleasure to teach this week and her confidence is flourishing. Well done, Martha.

The Nest

Albie-Jon We are so proud of how positively you have come back to school this year. You have grown and matured so much, and it has been wonderful to see!

You are always conscientious and kind towards your friends, and you are working incredibly hard in class, putting 100% effort into everything you do. You are listening carefully, following instructions and showing that you are able to retain and remember so many new things you are learning.

We are incredibly proud of the grown-up, kind and hardworking young person you are becoming. Keep shining – you are doing an amazing job!

KS1
Attendance
Bear

Station

Station's star of the week is Elsie. Elsie, you have made such a fantastic start to year 3. You are working hard, you are always trying your best and you are a lovely friend to everyone. We wish we could bottle your positive attitude! We have been particularly impressed with your writing so far and can't wait to see what you produce in your hot write next week.



Stars of the Week

Hazelwells

Our star in Hazelwells this week is Georgial! Georgia always tries her best and shows such pride in her work! She has particularly pushed herself in writing this week, is incredibly helpful and has rightfully earned her role as School Councillor for our class this year! Well done, Georgial!

Ironbridge

Star of the Week in Ironbridge this week is the lovely Luna! Luna has been working incredibly hard in all areas of her learning and has shown a fantastic attitude towards her work. We have been so impressed with her imaginative writing in English, where she has produced some wonderful ideas and used brilliant creativity. Luna always tries her best and is a pleasure to have in class. Well done, Luna! We are so proud of your hard work and enthusiasm.

Severn

JJ is star in Severn Class this week! She is just a superstar all the time - everyone needs a JJ in their class. She has started Year 6 so positively. She always tries her hardest, puts 100% into everything she does and always with a smile! You are a perfect role model for Year 6. Keep shining JJ!

Wrekin

Stars in Wrekin are the super dynamic duo Sophie and Esme for writing an evacuee letter home that brought tears to Mrs Curtis' eyes! What a fabulous team you make and when you work together, the result is beautiful. Well done girls!

Hitchens

Daisy has made a fantastic start to Year 5 and has settled in brilliantly! She works hard, always gives everything her best shot and is determined to become an even better reader. It has been wonderful to see her confidence grow, especially when putting her hand up, sharing her ideas and reading aloud in front of the class. She is definitely finding her voice and turning the pages with confidence!

Daisy is a kind, caring and helpful friend to others, and she is a fantastic example of our three school values - Relationships, Resilience and Respect - in everything she does. Keep shining, Daisy - you're doing an amazing job!

KS2 Attendance Trophy

