

Dear Parents/Carers,

We have been lucky enough to enjoy another successful half term! We have had our historical visitors in school working with Year 5 and helping them with their learning about Anglo Saxons and Vikings, we have completed important learning about Internet Safety, and we have recognised Mental Health week by incorporating a variety of fun activities into our timetable. The pupils have been enjoying after school football, and our team have been representing us well at intra-school tournaments. I am very excited for what next half term will have to offer!

Thankfully, we seem to have begun our long journey towards recovery after the Covid pandemic, and as cases are low, Highters have been able to reduce some of the measures that had been reinstated. Masks are no longer necessary, but are instead optional when entering our school, and I am pleased that our first parent workshop was able to take place in two years! Assemblies have once again resumed and our one-way system is no longer necessary. All-in-all, things are beginning to feel a little more 'normal' in our school again. Having said that, it is important that we all remain vigilant – testing if symptoms arise and isolating according to the government guidelines.

Thank you for all of your support again throughout this half term!

Enjoy your holiday and stay safe,

Emma Mudge

Holiday Free School Meal Vouchers

This scheme has now been stopped by the government. If you still have any unused vouchers from the Christmas holidays, please make sure that you redeem them before 7th of March as you will not be able to convert them to supermarket vouchers beyond that date.

Concerns or issues

Please remember that we always welcome continued conversations regarding the wellbeing and attainment of your child – we're here to help! However, our staff also have the right to carry out their work without fear of being assaulted or abused. Assault and any form of abuse (verbal or physical) will not be tolerated. Any incidents will be reported to the local authority and action will be taken.

World Book Day – This will take place on Thursday 3rd March. On this day your child will be able to come to school dressed as their favourite book character.