

DISCOVERY ACADEMY NEWS

Attendance

Days off school add up to lost learning

175 NON SCHOOL DAYS A YEAR

175 days to spend on family time, visits, holidays, shopping, household jobs and other appointments







0	6	15	19
DAYS ABSENCE (190 school days)	DAYS ABSENCE OR MORE	DAYS ABSENCE OR MORE	DAYS ABSENCE OR MORE
100%	96.99%	92.99%	Below 90%
EXCELLENT ATTENDANCE <i>Best chance of SUCCESS</i>	SATISFACTORY ATTENDANCE <i>Harder to make good progress</i>	REQUIRES IMPROVEMENT <i>Less chance of success</i>	CAUSE FOR CONCERN <i>Persistent Absentee Serious concern Possible Court Action!</i>

This weeks attendance is 94%

Class	Average
Nursery	98%
Reception	95%
Year 1	94%
Year 2	95%
Year 3	93%
Year 4	92%
Year 5	96%

Week 2 lunch menu

Please see below menu for next week. Please discuss the choices with your child so on the morning they are aware of what the options will be.

WEEK 2	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	CHIPPY FRIDAY
MAIN MEAL OPTION 	Sausage, mash & gravy	Chicken korma On a bed of rice & naan	Roast beef with roast potatoes, yorkies & gravy	Homemade pizza & baked wedges	Fish of the day with chips
VEGETARIAN DISH 	Vegetarian cottage pie & gravy	Quorn korma On a bed of rice & naan	Quorn filet with roast potatoes, yorkies & gravy	Pasta arrabiata & garlic slice	Quorn dippers and dip
JACKET POTATO / SANDWICH SELECTION 	Jacket potato Cheese or beans Cheese roll	Jacket potato Cheese or beans Turkey sandwich	Jacket potato Cheese or beans Tuna mayonnaise sandwich	Jacket potato Cheese or beans Ham sandwich	Jacket potato Cheese or beans Cheese roll
ACCOMPANIMENTS 	Baton carrots Garden peas Salad bar	Sweetcorn Salad bar	Broccoli spears Baton carrots Salad bar	Sweetcorn Salad bar	Chunky chips Mushy peas Baked beans
FRESH FRUIT & YOGHURT  	Fresh fruit and yoghurt	Fresh fruit and yoghurt	Fresh fruit and yoghurt	Fresh fruit and yoghurt	Fresh fruit and yoghurt
DESSERT	Freshly baked cookies	Banana muffins	Lemon drizzle cake	Chocolate mousse	Artic roll

Please note we will advise the class on the day if any changes need to be made due to food supply shortages. This is beyond our control.

Jubilee Celebrations

On Friday 27th May we will be celebrating the Queen's Platinum Jubilee. Children will be able to come to school dressed in a red, white and blue theme. We will be taking part in art activities in our Houses and having a Jubilee Party.

Recruitment opportunities

We are currently advertising for two midday assistants (6.25hrs per week) and a cleaner (12.5hrs per week.) If you are interested in applying for any of these roles please look on the website for more details.

<https://www.discoveryacademyhyde.org.uk/academy-vacancies/>



P.E STARS – Friday 20th May

Each week the children take part in two PE lessons with Mr Doolan. This certificate celebrates those who have shown great enthusiasm, skill and team work.

Nursery	Henry	For showing great listening and improving in PE!
Reception	Shae	For excellent sprinting and teamwork in PE!
Year 1	Eryk	For showing creativity in his movements and sequences!
Year 2	Isobel	For being a superstar this week, improving in her sequences!
Year 3	Sonny	For good listening and effort in Dance!
Year 4	Isla	For great listening and effort in PE this term!
Year 5	Charlie C	For brilliant effort and determination in wanting to learn and develop more skills!

CHILD OF THE WEEK – Friday 20th May

Each week the teachers celebrate the achievements of all children but give special recognition to some children to receive the Child of the Week award.

Nursery	Eliza	For achieving in Maths this week: Eliza worked independently to complete the repeating pattern. She checked over her work and was able to talk about the pattern!
Reception	Alana	For inspiring: Alana was a very careful waitress in our cafe role p[lay area; taking the orders, preparing the food and cleaning up after the customers had finished.
	Lainey	For improving: Lainey has used the correct vocabulary to name and describe shapes.
Year 1	Jenson	For Achieving: Jenson has worked hard this week to plan a diary entry of the Queen. He has thought about the language, content and extra details he needs to make it amazing. Well done!
	Eryk	For Inspiring: Eryk has been focusing on using his phonics to help him spell words with more accuracy. He has been listening intently in phonics sessions, and then using resources to help him blend sounds to write his words.
Year 2	Alexander	For Caring: This week without being asked Alexander has taken on the role of playground leader on the KS1 playground and getting the WHOLE class involved in games during playtimes.
	Bridget	For Achieving: This week Bridget has taken it upon herself to create her own booklet about Hattersley and how Hattersley has changed. She read one of the books at home that we used in History, retrieved the information and wrote her own non-chronological report.
Year 3	Noah	For Achieving: Noah has been absolutely amazing with his writing in English.
	Evan	For Inspiring: Evan is always hard working and never tends to get distracted. He pays attention during lesson time and produces amazing quality work! He is very caring and supportive. Well done!
Year 4	Evan	For Improving. You have shown a fantastic learning attitude this week. It was brilliant to see the pride you took in your independent write, as well as your times tables learning!
	Noah	For Achieving. This week, you used your confidence and reasoning skills during our class debate about the Roman's impact on Britain. Well done Noah!
Year 5	Ella H	For Improving and Achieving – Ella has been working amazingly this week in English. She has put a lot of thought into her writing and has been a great support in up-levelling other people's work.

WELLBEING STARS – Friday 20th May

Each week we work on developing skills regarding mental health and wellbeing with the children. This certificate celebrates those who have shown a great understanding in this week's focus for their class.

Nursery	Caleb	Caleb has worked cooperatively and fairly with his friends when playing board games. He followed the rules and was able to wait his turn. Well done Caleb for being a good team player.
Reception	Eloise	Eloise noticed someone on their own and invited them to play with her. She also had good ideas when we were talking about online safety.
Year 1	Katie, Jenson, Harrison & Poppy	For working so beautifully together during our art lesson this week. You developed ideas, listened carefully to one another and executed your plan brilliantly without arguing once. Well done!
Year 2	Sofia	This week Sofia suggested an idea on how as a class we could look after our wellbeing this week. It was to put David Attenborough on and mediate. Year 2 were much more relaxed after this.
Year 3	Gabriella	Gabriella always has a big bright smile on her face. She flows a positive attitude throughout the classroom and is always ready to help support her friends. Thank you for being so caring!
Year 4	Millie	You have shown really impressive self-reliance this week. You have used your resourcefulness and skills to approach tricky work, then asked for help if you still needed it! Well done!
Year 5	Mazie	This week, Mazie has made great effort when working with her new partner in class. She has worked well to share ideas and help her partner explore their own ideas.