

Highfields Primary Academy News

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Dates For Your Diary

Thursday 23rd March - Class 1 Assembly at 9am (for parents of Class 1 pupils)

Thursday 30th March - Whole Class Photographs

Friday 31st March - School closes for the Easter break at 2.30pm

Easter Bonnet Parade 2pm (KS2 playground - weather permitting).



Easter Bonnet Parade

Weather permitting, our annual Easter Bonnet parade will take place on the KS2 playground on the last day of term (Friday 31st March).

Parents are asked to assemble around the outside of the Key Stage 2 playground at 2pm and each class will take it in turns to parade their hats through school and then outside in front of parents and family members.

The children will decorate their hats in the classrooms during that morning. Please could we ask that each child brings in a bonnet / hat and materials to decorate with (rather than decorate it at home).

Please could EYFS pupils bring their bonnets and materials for decorating in to school a week earlier on Friday 24th March as they will be taking it in turns to make their bonnets during the last week of term.



We would like to wish all the mom's, nan's, grandma's of Highfields' pupils a happy Mother's Day on Sunday. Enjoy your special day!

Upskilling Parents

We have worked closely with Rachel, from South Staffs College, to design a 2 hour workshop entitled, '*Gaining Number Sense: Early Mathematics*'. This is an informal session designed for parents/ grandparents who wish to gain ideas of how to easily support their children/grandchildren and replicate some of the teaching and learning which goes on in our classrooms at Highfields. Although there is a focus on early mathematics and it would be ideal for parents of EYFS and Key Stage 1 pupils, this workshop would also be great for any parents of KS2 pupils who still find it difficult to grasp basic mathematical concepts. You might even be curious and just want to come and spend 2 hours in the company of others and have some fun, learning something new – feel free to join us!

This informal workshop will be held on Monday 24th April (1pm -3pm) and then repeated again on Wednesday 26th (1pm - 3pm) in case you can't make the beginning of the week. Refreshments will also be available. Click on the link below and indicate which day you will be attending (Monday 24th or Wednesday 26th April).

[Parent Upskilling](#)

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On Monday, Sharon Mc Cormick from NSPCC, visited Classes 5 and Classes 6 to deliver an informative workshop entitled 'Speak Out, Stay Safe'.



Congratulations to brothers Harvey and Alex who both received scouting awards at Lichfield Cathedral last weekend. Harvey was awarded his Silver Award and Alex received his Acorns Award. Keep up the good work boys!



We have a vacancy for a Catering Supervisor.

The details of the post are advertised on WM Jobs and on our own website under the 'Vacancy' tab. The deadline for applications to be submitted is 9am on Monday 17th April.

[Click here for details of the job.](#)



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SCHOLASTIC Book Fair

From Monday 20th—Wednesday 22nd March we will be running a book fair in the school foyer. Come and browse the wide selection of books. There will be books suitable for all primary school ages, including favourite children's authors such as David Walliams and Roald Dahl.

It's the perfect time to buy books for the Easter holidays.

Every purchase helps our school to earn free books.

Opening times are :-

Monday 20th	3:15pm - 3:45pm
Tuesday 21st	3:15pm - 3:45pm
Wednesday 22nd	3:15pm - 3:45pm

We look forward to seeing you there.