

Howes Primary School Newsletter: 11th November 2016

F.I.N.D. Project



It has been a very busy week this week working with teachers from our partner schools in Malta, Norway, Greece, Italy and Poland.

We felt very proud of all of the staff and children of Howes on Tuesday when the Lord Mayor officially opened our Future Classroom Lab.



Make sure that you keep up to date with our exciting project by following the school Twitter account!

Reminder



Coventry Children's Christmas Sack Campaign

We would be grateful for all donations of new, unwrapped toys for this campaign. Please bring your donations in on Friday 18th November.

REMINDER



Christmas Cakes

Thanks to a very generous donation of ingredients from Tesco, Cannon Park, all children will be making a small Christmas cake this half term.

All children will need to bring a small, clean baked bean tin (150g) in as soon as possible.

Any spare ones would be appreciated.

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@HowesCoventry

Find out all the latest news from Howes by following us on Twitter. There is news about events and photos of our exciting learning.

Please feel free to like our tweets or retweet us.

Year 4 Class Assembly



Well done to Year 4 for their wonderful class assembly today. It was lovely to hear all about your work on the Romans and the Celts.

Nursery Places



We have a few places available in our Nursery to begin in January 2017. If you know of anyone who might be interested in their child taking up one of these places, then please ask them to contact the school office on 02476411711.

The Nursery sessions run from 9am-12pm on Monday to Friday during term time.

Photograph orders



Please return all orders for individual and family photographs in the sealed envelope with the correct money by **Friday 18th November**, thank you.

Attendance and Lateness

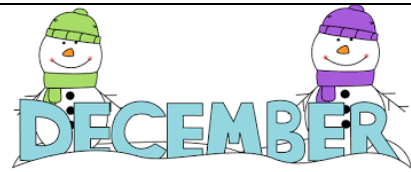
Please can we remind all families that the bell rings at 8:55 am. Absence phone line: please telephone the school office on 02476411711 as soon as possible.

Class	Attendance	Lateness
Nursery	91.1%	1
HIU	90.9%	0
Reception	92.4%	6
Year 1	91.4%	4
Year 2	95.7%	4
Year 3	97.3%	1
Year 4	94.2%	5
Year 5	98.5%	4
Year 6	91.1%	2
Overall	94%	27

Attendance is a priority at Howes. We need to improve our attendance in order to achieve Good at our next Ofsted Inspection. Please work with us to ensure that your child arrives at school on time and attends every day.



16th November Friends of Howes Meeting 6pm at school
18th November HIU Class assembly 9am
18th November Children In Need
18th November Coffee afternoon 2-3pm
23rd November Year 5 Brilliant Books & Breakfast 8.30am
25th November Non uniform
25th November Friends of Howes discos
30th November Year3 Brilliant Books & Breakfast 8.30am



5th December FS/KS1 dress rehearsal 9:30am
6th and 7th December FS/KS1 performances 2pm
7th December Year 4 Brilliant Books & Breakfast 8.30am
8th December Choir/Guitar assembly 9am
9th December Jenni's Dance Club assembly 9am
9th December Friends of Howes Christmas Fair 3:30-6pm
12th December Whole school visit to Christ Church 1:30pm
13th December Christmas Jumper/T Shirt Day
13th December Christmas Dinner
14th December Friends of Howes meeting 6pm at school
14th and 15th December Christmas Craft days
16th December End of term
17th December – 2nd January Christmas Holidays



3rd January- Start of term for children
20th- 24th February- Half term
7th April- End of the Spring term



24th April- Start of term for children
1st May- Bank Holiday- school closed
29th May-2nd June- Half term
5th-9th June- Training week for staff, school closed to children
25th July- End of the summer term