

MESSAGE FROM THE HEADTEACHER

This week has been a wonderful celebration of cooperative learning across our school. Pupils of all ages have been working together to create vibrant artwork inspired by The Dot, reminding us all that everyone can “make their mark” in their own unique way.

Today, the spirit of teamwork continued as the whole school joined forces to make individual apple crumbles. A big thank-you goes to our generous community member who donated four carriers of cooking apples—what a perfect way to bring us together and share in something delicious!

DIARY DATES

Thurs 18th Sept	Yr 5/6 trip
Mon 29th Sept	Inset Day
Thurs 2nd Oct	Flu vaccinations
Tues 7th Oct	School photos
Mon 20th Oct	Half term
W/C 17th Nov	Parents Evenings

2025/2026 inset days
Monday 29th September
Friday 24th July
Monday 27th July



PE DAYS

Early Years - Monday
Imagineers – Wednesday
Adventurers – Tuesday & Thursday
Entrepreneurs – Tuesday & Thursday

AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS

After School Clubs will commence W/C 15th September. Booking forms have been sent out this week.

Tuesday – Football (Years 3-6)
Wednesday – Table Tennis (Years 3-6)
Thursday – Art (Years 3-6)
Thursday – Colouring (Reception – Year 2)

ATTENDANCE

Whole School – 89.5%
Curious Creators – 93.8%
Imagineers – 84.6%
Adventurers – 92.9%
Entrepreneurs – 88%

SAFEGUARDING LEADS

Mrs Grierson – Headteacher
Mrs Thorpe – Office Manager
Miss Swann – Senior Teacher



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Reading Raffle

Please encourage your children to read at home and to record this reading in their reading diaries.

The Reading Raffle will be drawn each Friday with the winners taking home a book of their choice.

Remember – you have to be in it to win it!

Achievement Certificates

Curious Creators
chosen by Miss Swann

Olivia



Tommy

Imagineers
chosen by Mr Davies

Noah



Travis

Adventurers
chosen by Mr Haxton-Gregory

Ocean



Louie

Entrepreneurs
chosen by Miss Haynes

Will



Kiara

Attendance
BINGO

Olivia

Elsie-
Mae

Ryanna

George

HAGGONFIELDS' WAY

At Haggonfields we teach a Relationships and Behaviour Strategy that sets out expectations for pupils to follow through the learning day and beyond. We want to support our pupils to have a 'toolbox' of deep rooted principles that allows all to be responsible and respectable citizens.

We call this the Haggonfields' Way.

Each week, a pupil from each class that has demonstrated the values and behaviours outlined in the Haggonfields' Way will be awarded a certificate in the Celebration assembly.

You can learn more about our strategy on the website [The Haggonfields' Way](https://www.haggonfields.co.uk)


We have followed the Haggonfields' Way

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RISE & SHINE! IT'S

Breakfast Club

DAILY FROM 7.30AM-8.30AM
Haggonfields Primary School

£4 PER SESSION
£17 FOR ALL WEEK
PRE BOOKING IS MANDATORY TO SECURE YOUR CHILD'S PLACE

Celebrating Success

If your child has celebrated an achievement outside of school, we would love to hear about it and celebrate their success with them. Please encourage them to bring any badges, certificates etc so they can share with their friends.





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Notices

Code of Conduct for Parents, Carers and Visitors.

We would like to remind all parents and carers of our school's code of conduct for parents, carers and visitors. The policy is linked below.

[Code of Conduct](#)

It is important that all parents and carers familiarise themselves with this policy to ensure the safety of our staff and children.

Nut-Free School

A reminder to parents and carers that we continue to be a nut-free school therefore we kindly request that you do not send any nut products in your child's lunchbox or as snacks.

We appreciate your cooperation in making our school a safe space for everyone.

Polite Reminders

We kindly ask

- that there is no smoking or vaping on school premises.
- If anyone travels to school on their bikes or scooters, please ensure they are dismounted before entering through the school gate.
 - Dogs are not allowed on school premises.

WEEK

On 22nd to 25th September, Adventurers and Entrepreneurs are encouraged to take part in our [week long](#) competition on Times Table Rock Stars. The aim of the competition is to see which student can get the most correct answers from each year group.

To take part in the competition, the children need to log into TTRS as normal and play in any mode (except Jamming) and try and get as many correct answers as possible throughout the week.

The winners will be announced in the celebration assembly on Friday 26th September.





Notices

At The National College, our WakeUpWednesday guides empower and equip parents, carers and educators with the confidence and practical skills to be able to have informed and age-appropriate conversations with children about online safety, mental health and wellbeing, and climate change. Formerly delivered by National Online Safety, these guides now address wider topics and themes. For further guides, hints and tips, please visit nationalcollege.com.

What Parents & Educators Need to Know about GROUP CHATS

On messaging apps, social media and online games, group chats are one of the most popular ways that children connect. Group chats allow messages, images and videos to be shared in one place and help friendships flourish; however, they also come with a number of risks.

WHAT ARE THE RISKS?

TEASING AND BULLYING

Children of all ages are keen to fit in socially, and group chats can sometimes complicate that process. While group chats can foster connection, they can also give way to mean comments or jokes at someone's expense, especially when others join in for laughs. When bullying happens publicly, in front of friends and classmates, it can intensify the emotional impact – adding to embarrassment, anxiety and feelings of isolation for the child being targeted.

UNKNOWN MEMBERS

Children often can't control who is added to a group, which can lead to privacy concerns. Sharing personal details in group chats can be dangerous, and children have no control over what others do with the material they send. Some members of the chat might even decide to use such information maliciously.

PEER PRESSURE

Children may feel they have to constantly stay engaged just to be included and keep up with the conversation. In some cases, they might partake in inappropriate behaviours – like sharing explicit photos, jokes or teasing – just to fit in. Group settings can also encourage children to act in ways they normally wouldn't, or stay silent when they know something is wrong, out of fear of being excluded. Some children may find it difficult to leave toxic group chats.

INAPPROPRIATE CONTENT

Some group chats may include inappropriate language or imagery. Even if a child isn't actively participating in the conversation, they may still be exposed to this content simply by being part of the group. Some apps have disappearing messaging features, where content is only available once or for a few seconds, which makes it harder for children to report something they've seen.

EXCLUSION AND ISOLATION

Exclusion in group chats is common and can take several forms. Sometimes a new group is created specifically to leave one child out on purpose. In other cases, the chat may happen on an app that a child doesn't have access to, making it impossible for them to join in. This can cause feelings of being left out – even unintentionally.

VIDEO AND LIVE CHATS

Many popular apps allow children to engage in live streaming with interactive chats or have group video chats. Anyone can be added to these streams, and often children see peers in the comments and have conversations which are unmoderated. There's a risk of being exposed to inappropriate or violent content and offensive language, either in the group videos or via the group chats.

Advice for Parents & Educators

CONSIDER OTHERS' FEELINGS

Group chats can become an arena for children to compete for social status. Help children consider how people might feel if they behave unkindly. If a child does upset someone, encourage them to reach out, show empathy and apologise for their mistake.

SET SOME GROUP CHAT RULES

Discuss safe group chat practices, such as asking a peer for consent before adding them to a group chat, or leaving a group chat if a stranger is added. Tell children that if they're added to a group they didn't agree to beforehand, it's OK for them to leave immediately.

BLOCK, REPORT AND LEAVE

If a child encounters inappropriate content or feels uncomfortable in a group chat, encourage them to block and report the sender and leave the group. Make sure children know it's OK to leave a group chat if they feel uncomfortable or unsafe.

SUPPORT, NOT JUDGEMENT

Group chats are an excellent way for children to connect and feel like they belong. However, remind them that they can confide in you if they feel bullied or excluded, instead of responding to the person who's upset them. Validate their feelings and empower them by discussing how they'd like to handle the situation. You can also encourage children to speak up if they witness others being bullied.

PRACTISE SAFE SHARING

It's vital for children to be aware of what they're sharing and who might potentially see it. Ensure they understand the importance of not revealing personal details – like their address, their school, or photos they wouldn't like to be seen widely. Remind them that once something is shared in a group, they can't be certain where it might end up or how it might be used.

SILENCE NOTIFICATIONS

Being bombarded with notifications from a group chat can be an irritating distraction – especially if it's happening late in the evening. Explain to children that they can still be part of a group chat while disabling notifications. In fact, it would be healthier for them to do so, helping them avoid the pressure to respond immediately.

Meet Our Expert

Dr Claire Sutherland is an online safety consultant at BCyberAware, who has developed anti-bullying and cyber-safety workshops and policies for schools in Australia and the UK. She has written various academic papers and carried out research for the Australian government, comparing the internet use and online behaviours of young people in the UK, USA and Australia.

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Christ Church
St Luke's Church

Pirate Party Service

Sun 28th Sept
11am and 2pm
St. Luke's Church

Featuring:
Gemma Hunt
from CBeebies Swashbuckle

Tickets Available on Eventbrite

Tickets can be booked through eventbrite here:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/pirate-party-sevice-tickets-1563601888339>

and here:

<https://www.eventbrite.com/e/pirate-party-service-tickets-1563550785489?aff=erelpanelorg>





This new term is the perfect time to try something different. Aged 10–18 and ready for a fresh challenge? Set sail with us!

RECRUITMENT OPEN EVENING

Monday 15 September 2025, 7pm–8pm

REGISTER TODAY

 **SEA CADETS**
WORKSOP

 **SEA CADETS**
JUNIORS

 **ROYAL NAVY**
CADET FORCES

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If you're looking for a supportive group where you can meet other parents and carers and share your worries, Talkzone might be the place for you.

PARENT AND CARER SUPPORT GROUP



Friday 22nd August 9.30 - 10.30am Centre Place, Worksop S80 2LA
Thursday 18th September 2pm - 3pm Ramsden School, Carlton S81 9DY
Friday 17th October 9.30 - 10.30am Centre Place, Worksop S80 2LA

A monthly group for Parents and Carers of children aged 0 - 25

Call 01909 479191
Email: talkzone@centreplace.org.uk
Website: www.centreplace.org.uk

Drop In

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Flu Vaccinations

If you would like your child to receive the flu vaccine in school this year, please follow this link to complete the online consent form. If you wish to decline, please use the same link to complete the 'No Consent' form.

<https://nhslmms.azurewebsites.net/session/2a8caa16>

The vaccinations will take place at your child's school on the 02/10/2025. The link will close on the 18/09/2025. If your child has already had the Flu vaccine elsewhere since Sept 2025, please disregard this message. If you have any problems accessing the link, please telephone 0333 3583 397 option 4, option 2.



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NHS Foundation Trust

The Healthy Family Team

(Health Visitor & School Nurse)

FREE health advice and support for families with children aged 0-19 years living in Nottinghamshire.
ADVICE LINE: Please telephone 0300 123 5436

Parentline
Text: 07520 619919

A free confidential text messaging service for families with children aged 0-19 years living in Nottinghamshire.

A free health website for children and families living in Nottinghamshire.
www.healthforkids.co.uk



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COFFEE MORNING

Monday, 11am - 1pm

Rhodesia Village Hall, S80 3HL



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WARM WELCOME

Tuesday, 1pm - 4pm

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TODDLER GROUP

Thursday, 10am - 12pm

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Do I need to keep my child off school?



Chicken Pox Until all spots have crusted over	Conjunctivitis No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed	Diarrhoea & Vomiting 48 hours from last episode	Glandular Fever No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed	Hand, foot & mouth No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed	Impetigo Until lesions are crusted & healed or 48 Hours after commencing antibiotics
Measles or German Measles 4 days from onset of rash	Mumps 5 days from onset of swelling	Scabies Until after first treatment	Scarlet Fever 24 hours after commencing antibiotics	Slapped Cheek No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed	Whooping Cough 48 Hours after commencing antibiotics
Flu Until recovered	Head Lice No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed	Threadworms No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed	Tonsillitis No need to stay off but school or nursery should be informed		

Healthier Together

For more information follow the below link for healthcare advice for parents/carers

[Healthier together](#)

Early Years Centre



This week our Curious Creators worked well on their fine motor skills, showing fantastic focus and control during mark making activities and during dough disco sessions. They practised holding their pencils with increasing confidence. It's been wonderful to see their enthusiasm as they strengthen their hands and fingers while laying the foundations for early writing.

Our Learning



This week, the Imagineers have been exploring numbers to 20, including how to represent numbers with different objects. We have begun to innovate the story Brown Bear, Brown Bear by choosing exciting adjectives and writing questions to ask the bear. We have also been learning about the different parts of the human body. Well done, Imagineers for another fantastic week.

Our Learning



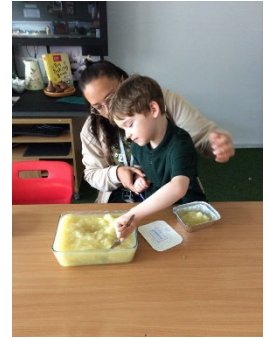
This week in Adventurers, we have begun our learning about the Stone Age. The children have learned all about cave art and created some symbols that would have been used during this period. They have also learned about what life was like during this time. They have worked hard today to produce polka-dot cave art, that will go on display.

Our Learning



This week, Entrepreneurs have been incredibly creative. From pop art to pulleys... we've made them all!

Our Learning



Today, the Imagineers, Adventurers, & Entrepreneurs were able to make apple crumbles thanks to a generous donation of cooking apples from a member of the community. They looked super yummy and our budding chefs did a great job!!!

Attendance Ladder

How close are you to reaching the top?



For every day you are absent from school, 5 hours of learning is lost.



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My School Menu Spring/Summer 2025

Week 1

Week commencing
21 April, 12 May,
2 June, 23 June,
14 July,
1 Sept, 22 Sept,
13 October

Beef burger

Wednesdays



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main	Vegetarian roll <small>Soya Milk Gluten</small> with baked beans, jacket wedges & baked beans	Chicken & coconut curry <small>Milk</small> with naan bread <small>Gluten</small> & rice	Beef burger <small>Egg Sesame Gluten Sulphur Dioxide</small> with oven chips, baked beans & peas	Yorkshire pudding wrap <small>Milk Egg Gluten</small> filled with roast meat of the day, roast potatoes, seasonal vegetables & gravy	Breaded fish <small>Fish Gluten</small> with diced potatoes, sweetcorn & peas
Pudding	Honey & oat cookie <small>Gluten</small>	Chocolate muffin <small>Egg Gluten</small>	Cornflake tart <small>Gluten Sulphur Dioxide</small> with custard <small>Milk</small>	Ice cream tub <small>Milk</small>	Chocolate brownie <small>Gluten</small>

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Week 2

Week commencing
28 April, 19 May,
9 June, 30 June,
21 July, 8 Sept,
29th Sept

Taco

Tuesdays



	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
Main	Pork meatballs <small>Egg Gluten</small> in a tomato sauce with pasta shape of the day <small>Gluten Soya Mustard</small> & vegetable sticks	Chicken taco <small>Gluten</small> with BBQ sauce OR tomato salsa <small>Sesame</small> jewelled rice, carrot & cucumber sticks	Bangers & mash <small>Gluten Sulphur Dioxide</small> with seasonal vegetables & gravy <small>Featuring our Nottinghamshire sausage from local butchers Maloney's</small>	Roasted gammon with roast potatoes, summery vegetables & gravy	Fish finger cob <small>Fish Gluten Sesame</small> with oven chips, baked beans & peas
Pudding	Vanilla sponge <small>Gluten Egg</small>	Pancakes <small>Gluten Milk Egg</small> & honey	Butterscotch Shortcake <small>Milk Gluten</small>	Iced sprinkle cookie <small>Gluten</small>	Strawberry fairy cake <small>Egg Gluten</small>

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Week 3
Week commencing
5 May, 26 May,
16 June, 7 July,
28 July, 15 Sept,
6 October

Fakeaway

Fridays

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block; background-color: #e91e63; color: white; border-radius: 10px;">Main</div> 	Margherita pizza <small>Soya Gluten Milk</small> with potato balls & baked beans	Beef Bolognese <small>Mustard Soya Gluten</small> with garlic bread, <small>Gluten Milk Soya</small> carrot & cucumber sticks	Quorn dippers <small>Gluten</small> with rice, broccoli & carrots	Roast gammon with mashed potatoes, seasonal vegetables & gravy	Hot Dog <small>Gluten Sesame Sulphur dioxide</small> with tomato ketchup, peas & french fries
<div style="border: 1px solid black; padding: 5px; display: inline-block; background-color: #e91e63; color: white; border-radius: 10px;">Pudding</div>	Golden syrup flapjack <small>Gluten</small>	Fruit ice lolly	Strawberry mousse <small>Milk</small> with crushed meringues <small>Egg Milk</small> & raspberry sauce	Jelly with ice cream <small>Milk</small>	Donuts <small>Soya Milk Gluten Egg Sesame</small>

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