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Parent Views

Thank you to all of you who took the time to complete and return a parent questionnaire. We received 174 questionnaires and 42 of these included comments which was very pleasing. Overall 95% of parents 'agreed' or 'strongly agreed' the statements.

You will find the report on the Parents section of the website.

There were 6 questionnaires where parents 'disagreed' or 'strongly disagreed' with some of the statements. However, there were no names or comments so we were unable to follow these up.

If any parent would like to speak to a member of leadership team please contact us.



School Website

Our school website includes a wealth of information which celebrates our school. This includes a section on the 'About us' page called 'Personal development and Enrichment'. This shows all of the experiences, clubs and activities we offer over and above our school curriculum.

Flu Vaccination



Reminder: Nurses are in school on **Friday 15th November** for the day to administer flu vaccinations.

Please give consent online:

This vaccination is recommended to help protect your child against flu. Flu can be an unpleasant illness and can cause serious complications. Vaccinating your child will also help protect more vulnerable family and friends by preventing the spread of flu.

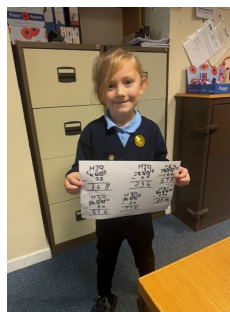
Please complete the consent form by following the link below (one for each child):

<https://nhs.uk/immisations/flu-vaccination/parental-consent-form>

Christmas Card Orders

Christmas orders have been sent home this week. Please be aware that we are still waiting for more order to be delivered. If you want to make a late order, you can do so via the website.

Headteacher Awards



Well done to Sophia & Josh who both received a Headteacher award for their fantastic maths work!

A big well done to our selected Y6 pupils who all went the extra mile at Carlton Camp.



Odd Sock Day



On **Monday 11th November**. We are celebrating Odd Sock day, as part of Anti-Bullying week. Donations are welcome.

Christmas Fayre



Your help is needed! This year there's going to be some changes to our Christmas fayre in the hope it suits as many people as possible.

There will be the traditional visit Santa's grotto, hot drinks, snacks and games, however we will now have stalls selling new and nearly new toys, games, books and household items.

If you have any items that could be donated to be sold at the fayre this would be greatly appreciated. All proceeds support Kingsley primary school. Please contact the office staff for further information.



Cutting the cost of keeping warm

We understand how difficult it can be when energy bills start to rise. By making some small, simple changes we can all save money while staying safe and well.

Save money when cooking

When cooking, put a lid on your pan as this can save you money on your energy bill. Putting a lid on your pan allows water to boil faster and the lid keeps the heat in the pan, rather than letting it escape, speeding up cooking time and helping you use less energy.

Slow cookers save money! Slow cookers are an extremely efficient way to cook, you can batch cook meals. Likewise, microwaves and air fryers are also great alternatives to using ovens.

Switch off your appliances

Turning off lights and switching appliances off standby when not in use can save **£52** a year on energy bills.



Do not over fill

Only boil as much as you need, overfilling your kettle wastes energy.



Turn down your thermostat

By turning down your thermostat from 22°C to 21°C, you could save **£90** on your energy bills.

Wash on eco or 30°C or cooler cycles when you can. Washing at 30°C rather than higher temperatures could save **£12** a year

LED lights

Switch your lights to energy-friendly LED light bulbs. If you are able to replace your old light bulbs with LEDs, you could save around **£40** a year and as a bonus, they last five times longer



Full load

Only wash with a full load, cutting back on just one washing cycle a week can save you an additional **£12** a year and further savings on metered water bills.



Use a washing bowl

Using a bowl to wash up rather than a running tap can save you money on your energy and water bills if you have a water meter. You only need to run a typical tap for 95 seconds before you would have filled a washing up bowl.¹



Safer Homes Carbon Monoxide Alarms

Fitting a carbon monoxide (CO) alarm in your home is a great way of keeping you and your family safe from the dangers of (CO). CO is an odourless, tasteless, and invisible gas that is dangerous, and can be created from faulty gas appliances.

The Safe Homes programme offers households a free CO alarm (maximum of one per household). Scan the QR code to request an alarm or visit: client.safelythankyou.co.uk/coalarmtrial/login.php

Please use the below details when requesting your free CO alarm: Username = **coalarms** Password = **Saferhomes123**



Help and support with energy bills



National Energy Action (NEA)

If you need advice and support on your energy bills, please visit: nea.org.uk/get-help



Citizens Advice

If you need information on grants and benefits to help you pay your energy bills, please visit: citizensadvice.org.uk/consumer/energy/energy-supply/



Groundwork

If you need help with saving money on your energy bills or improving efficiency within your home, please visit: groundwork.org.uk/energy-efficiency-and-fuel-poverty/



The Priority Services Register

The Priority Services Register (PSR) is a free service that helps energy companies to look after customers who have extra communication, access, or safety needs. It helps us tailor our services to support households who need extra help with everyday energy matters like bills, and also in the unlikely event of a power cut or gas supply interruption.

Find out if you are eligible and register at: thePSR.co.uk



Any design on A4 white paper. Must be delivered to CIPHER Medical, 5 Limeoak Way, Stockton, TS18 2LS. Image must have CIPHER Medical logo on it. FAO Dawn Clarke or Adam Howell. Name and age of child on the reverse of the picture, along with contact number for parent/guardian. Competition closes on 25th November. Winner announced on 29th November.



YEAR 4 ONWARDS ARE WELCOME



BAG PACK

WE ARE LOOKING TO BAG PACK AGAIN THIS YEAR PLEASE CONTACT US IF YOU WOULD LIKE TO VOLUNTEER

SUNDAY 1ST DECEMBER 10AM - 2PM @TESCO HARTLEPOOL

CHILDREN WANTING TO VOLUNTEER MUST BE SUPERVISED BY A PARENT OR GUARDIAN



MONEY RAISED WILL GO TOWARDS A MINI BUS FOR THE SCHOOL

Celebrating families from around the world!

Are you a parent and have come to Hartlepool from another country?

Would you like to connect with others in similar situations to form friendships and peer to peer connections?

Join us every Wednesday 9:30am -11am

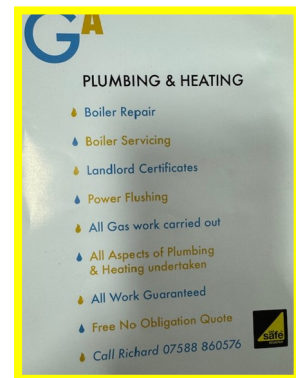
The Women's Health Hub, The Arches Shopping Village on Park Road, Hartlepool. TS24 7PW behind the One Life.

- Open to all ethnicities, genders and ages.
- Children are welcome and a few small selected toys are provided.

In partnership with Changing futures, Hartlepool Family Hubs and the Women's Health Hub.



Thank you!



A big thankyou to Richy, from GA Plumbing and Heating for donating two gardening sets for our new Nursery area!

Also we have been donated a brand new Washer & tumble Dryer for our Nursery by **Luke & Amy Hay from L.A.N.A.F. Holdings!** Amazing—we are so grateful!

Important Dates



Monday 11th November Odd Socks Day

Monday 11th November – Friday 15th November Anti Bullying week - Choose Respect

Friday 15th November Children in Need

Friday 15th November Flu vaccinations

Wednesday 27th November Decorate school entrance (Snowmen)

Thursday 28th November Christmas Fair

Thursday 5th December am- Y1/2 concert pm Y1/2 concert

Wednesday 11th December Nursery concert 10.30am & Nursery concert 2pm

Thursday 12th December Reception concert 2.30pm

Friday 13th December KS2 carol concert am and pm

Monday 16th December Y1 Xmas party (am) & Y2 Xmas party (pm)

Tuesday 17th December Xmas dinner & Reception Xmas party (pm)

Wednesday 18th December Y3 Xmas party (am) Nursery party (am) Y4 Xmas party (am) Nursery party (pm)

Thursday 19th December Y6 trip (to be confirmed) Y5 Xmas party (am) Y6 Xmas party (pm)

Friday 20th December Whole School Panto am

Friday 20th December School breaks up

HARTLEPOOL LOCAL AUTHORITY TERM DATES 2024-25

	AUGUST 2024	SEPTEMBER 2024	OCTOBER 2024	NOVEMBER 2024	DECEMBER 2024	JANUARY 2025
Monday	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27
Tuesday	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28
Wednesday	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29
Thursday	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30
Friday	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24 31
Saturday	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25
Sunday	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26

	FEBRUARY 2025	MARCH 2025	APRIL 2025	MAY 2025	JUNE 2025	JULY 2025
Monday	3 10 17 24	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28
Tuesday	4 11 18 25	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24	1 8 15 22 29
Wednesday	5 12 19 26	5 12 19 26	2 9 16 23 30	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25	2 9 16 23 30
Thursday	6 13 20 27	6 13 20 27	3 10 17 24	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31
Friday	7 14 21 28	7 14 21 28	4 11 18 25	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25
Saturday	1 8 15 22	1 8 15 22 29	5 12 19 26	3 10 17 24 31	7 14 21 28	5 12 19 26
Sunday	2 9 16 23	2 9 16 23 30	6 13 20 27	4 11 18 25	1 8 15 22 29	6 13 20 27

Bank Holiday	Red
School Holiday	Blue
PD Days	Yellow

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195

The number of term dates shown is 195 .upto 5 of these dates will be used as Professional Development days for teachers .Pupils will not attend school on these dates and the school will inform parents of the dates .