



# School Newsletter

## Attendance this week

### Full School

93.45%

### EYFS/KS1 best attenders

#### 2HC

97.33%

### KS2 best attenders

#### 6BA

100%

## A Message from Miss Pitts

Today has been Show Racism the Red Card day and it has been great to see so many pupils wearing red in support of the day. During this week, pupils have been learning about racism and have watched a short video today in school about it.

Thank you for your food donations this week to support our Harvest Festival celebration. The food has been donated to the food bank at St. Phillip's Church and has been gratefully received.

Our football teams have been busy this week. On Monday the Year 6 Boys team played two matches against Buckingham and won both matches 6-0. On Wednesday the Year 4, 5 and 6 Girls team played Longhill and won 6-0 and 4-0; then on Thursday played against Alderman Cogan and drew 0-0 then lost 1-0.



Miss Pitts, Head of School

Griffin's X page

## Contact Us

Call 01482 794122

Select **option 1** to report absences.

Select **option 2** to speak to a member of staff.

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## Important Information

School doors open at 8.40am.

School ends at 3.30pm, except on a Thursday when it ends at 1.50pm.

**Gates open at 8.30am and 3.10pm daily.**

**Gates close at 8.55am daily.**

**On Thursday, gates open at 1.25pm.**

### School Doors

- Red Door - Reception
- Green Door - Year 1 and 2
- Yellow Door - Year 3 and 4JL
- White Door - 4SS
- Blue Door - Year 5 and 6

## Attendance this week by class

Nursery	92.75%
RCM	93.65%
RLS	92.59%
1KR	94.44%
1CS	95.47%
2HC	97.33%
2ZP	94.22%
3DC	92.59%
3KH	90.42%
4JL	90.87%
4SS	87.36%
5GL	90%
5TW	98.15%
6AD	92.22%
6BA	100%
6ZM	96.49%

## Free School Meals eligibility and vouchers

Please use the link below to check if you are eligible for free school meals:

[Free school meals | Hull](#)

Pupils eligible for free school meals will receive vouchers for the half term holiday to the value of £15 per week per pupil.

## Poetry Slam finalists

Pupils from 1CS and 4JL have been selected as finalists in the Hull Library Service Poetry Slam competition.

The final is this afternoon and we have our fingers crossed that both classes do well!

## Reading Corner

This week, our school council visited Hull Schools Library Service to select some new books for our school book shelves. They chose some awesome titles for all of the pupils to read for pleasure.



Next week we will be having our first 'reading at home' prize draw so make sure your completed book marks are in the prize box. Good luck everyone!

## Times Table Fact of the Week

Our Times Table fact of the week is ...

$$2 \times 9 = 18 \quad 18 \div 2 = 9$$

$$9 \times 2 = 18 \quad 18 \div 9 = 2$$

## Griffin Values

Next week's focus is:

### **Enthusiasm**

## Halloween Disco

Halloween discos will be held in school on Friday 25th October 2024.

Pupils can come to school dressed in fancy dress or party clothes.

The cost is £1 per pupil.

## End of term

End of term is Friday 25th October 2024 at 3.30pm