



Haxby Road News

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It has been wonderful walking around school and enjoying the purposeful atmosphere since our return from the Easter break. Everyone seems to be well rested and ready for the exciting challenges and opportunities our summer term has to offer.

We have had a number of visitors during the first fortnight of term and it has been a pleasure to show them around. Our learning environment looks wonderful with all the interactive and creative displays as well as the beautiful photographs of our children, engaged in their learning. Also the behaviour of children moving around school has been calm and sensible, which is a pleasure to see.

Thank you to everyone who works so hard, in school and at home, to help all our children in school to be safe and ready to learn.



Do you have old/used school uniform lying around at home?

Would you like to make some extra cash from it?

There will be a second-hand uniform sale later this term. We're looking for school uniform, PE kit, school shoes and book bags – used, but still in wearable condition. If you have anything to sell, please wash and iron the clothes, put them in a bag clearly labelled with your name and contact number, and hand them in at the School Office. You are welcome to price up your items, or we can do it for you, and you will receive 80% of anything which is sold. 20% will go back into the School Fund, to benefit our children with school trips and special visits.



If you have smaller sizes, which would fit Reception-age children, please hand in the clothes **by Friday 7 May**, so that we can sell them at the New Starters events the following week.

Any other uniform should be handed in by **Friday 19 June**. The sale will be outside the school gates in July, so look out for it and you might just pick up a bargain!

Attendance

We are working hard in school to achieve our target of 95.6% attendance. A **HUGE** well done to **Year 5** for achieving **100% attendance** last week! Year 1 had 98.4% which is fantastic, and Year 3 were close behind them with 96.5%! This is great attendance! Can any other class knock them off the top spot this week? Remember to be **In School, Every Day, On Time, In Uniform.**

Pink (& Purple) Day

Thank you so much to everyone who dressed up and donated to our Pink (& Purple) Day last Friday. **£155.00** was raised for Breast Cancer Care.



Cake Sale

Friday 1 May

We are having a cake sale this Friday, again for Breast Cancer Care, buns & cakes will be sold at 20p each. Please send children with money to buy a cake, and any donations of buns, cakes or biscuits will be greatly appreciated. Thank you!

Car Boot Sale

A big thank you to all who attended the car boot sale last Saturday.

We raised £236.45 for school funds. Can we also say a **really big thank you** to Mrs Fawdington who put a lot of hard work and effort into arranging this event.



Free courses for parents

Please see attached flyers of two free courses being run in school. One course will help you understand what your children are learning in their science lessons at school, and the other is a creative writing course which will explore how to write stories and poems, as well as using your imagination in new and exciting ways. Please see Karen Doyle if you are interested in either of these courses.

May Day Monday 4 May

School Closed