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Friday 17th June 2022 Summer 2, week 3

A message from Mrs Hoare...

This week we have had lots to enjoy at DHJA:

A group of Year 6 and another group of Year 3 pupils attended sporting festivals. We are proud of how they represented our school throughout the events, showing co-operation and independence.

We also had Nick the Chef in school: he worked with pupils and parents to create a delicious Spaghetti Bolognese. Unfortunately, I did not get to sample however it smelt delicious!

A group of pupils, from across school, represented school in the Sunderland Dance Festival at the Sunderland Empire. Again, pupils represented the school well and we are so proud of their resilience and confidence! We hope the parents who attended en joyed too.

We hope all pupils and families have a wonderful weekend and are ready on Monday for another action-packed week at DHJ!

Dates for your diary:

Frday 24th June	Year 4 Multiplication Tables check ends			
Monday 27th June 2022	Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check results are available			
Thursday 23rd June 2022	Professional Car <mark>eers day</mark>			
Thursday 24th July 2022	End of term			
Friday 24th July 2022	School closed (Queen's Jubilee additional Bank Holiday).			





Important Messages:

It has been brought to our attention that, nationally, some scary videos are "trending" and have traumatised some children. The risks of children accidentally seeing these videos can be reduced by ensuring devices have appropriate parental controls set up. The https://www.internetmatters.org/ website provides excellent advice on how to do this.

Secondly, it is important that your child can talk to a trusted adult if something scary has happened so that they are reassured. The video from CEOP https://www.thinkuknow.co.uk/parents/jessie-and-friends-videos/ works well with younger children. If you have concerns then please speak to our pastoral team.

Over the forthcoming weeks, we are due to have some glorious sunshine, therefore we advise that you apply sun cream on your child before school and if you wish they could bring it into school with their name on and in sealed clear bag. Staying hydrated is also essential so please make sure those water bottles are coming into school daily.







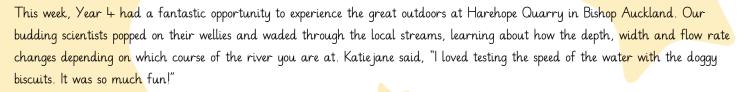
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It's all about

Year 4!

SEE WHAT WE'VE BEEN UP TO



Scanning the beautiful meadows, the children were also able to identify a wide variety of amazing wildflowers. Dainton said, "It was great to explore the area. We even spotted an old building. It looked like a castle!"

We would like to thank the Sir Tom Cowie Trust for providing this educational experience which made great links to Year 4's topic: Misty Mountain, Winding River.







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Friday 10th June 2022 Summer 2, week 3

School Attendance

It is imperative that pupils attend school regularly and that they are on time. We aim for 97% attendance and no late sessions. The class with the highest attendance is awarded 10 minutes extra playtime! Here's how attendance looks across school this week – keep an eye out for our attendance winners in yellow!

Lower Key Stage 2

Class:	3AH	3AC	3HL	4CE	4SI	५ KW
Attendance:	90.3%	100%	90.63	89.3%	94.2%	92.3%
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Upper Key Stage 2

Attendance: 89.5% 82.3% 90.5% 83.4% 90.5% 92.9	5DG	6CC	6NKAH	5KM	5BH	5AR	Class:
	2.9%	90.5%	83.4%	90.5%	82.3%	89.5%	Attendance:
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Attendance Reminders:

Parents/Carers must contact the school office if a pupil is going to be absent from school. This should be done before 8:30am. Office staff will contact you if your child is absent and no message has been left.

If attendance becomes a concern, medical evidence will be requested to support absences.

Start and finish times:

Year 3 and Year 6 start at 8:40am and finish at 3:05pm

Year 4 and Year 5 will start at 8:45am and finish at 3:10pm

The school gate will be locked at 8:50am daily. After this time, pupils must go to the school office to be signed in.

100% ATTENDANCE

This week, 266 pupils achieved 100% attendance.









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Celebrations!

Each Friday, we recognise and celebrate pupils' achievements in our Celebration Assembly.

Reader of the Week: this award recognises pupils for their home reading. Pupils who have taken part in Everybody, Every Night, reading five times per week at home with an adult and having their reading diary signed get to read in their year group reading area with a friend for their choice for the following week!

Star Reader: this award recognises pupil's achievements on Accelerated Reader, our online reading platform.

Mathematician of the Week: this award recognises pupils' mathematical reasoning in lessons. Staff identify a member of their maths group who have shown excellent mathematical reasoning. Pupils are awarded with a 'Mathematics Award' sticker.

Diamond Squad: this award is highly desired by pupils and comes with some fantastic privileges around school such as lunch at the magnificent 'Diamond Squad' table with a chosen friend for the week and extra playtime! It is awarded to pupils who have showcased our school values this week.

See below the awards given in this week's Celebration Assembly:

Teacher	Reader of the Week	Star Reader	Writer of the Week	Mathematician of the Week	Diamond Squad
Mrs Laydon	Anatoli	Jayden	Georgia	Fareed	Jacob
Mrs Hubery	Riley	Chibugo	Gracie	Firas	Sophia
Mrs Crawford	Joshua	Erastus	Kane	Toni-Ann	Adeena
Mr Woods	Marcus	Zhy	Leah	Alexis	Zhy
Mrs Edwards	Billie	Mena	Charlie	Anusha	Naomi
Miss Inkster	Chizim	Suborni	Naseeha	Tilly	Olivia-Mae
Miss MacDonald	Keegan	Keegan	Corey	Duncan	Corey
Mrs Haydon	Tyler	Kendra	Grace (Y6)		Matthew
Miss Robinson	Jack	Jane	Adam	Sonny	Paige
Miss Tallintire	Dara			Alfie(Y3) Keaton(Y5)	Solomon
Mr Guthrie	Sophia	Ebony	Lillie		Blen
Mrs Kendrick/Herron	Heidi	David	Leon		Nyla
Mr Crowther		Dara	Jayden		
Mrs Wilson					
Mr Calvert				Callum	