



NEWSLETTER

Friday 13th May 2022
Summer Term 1, week 3

A message from Mrs Hoare...

I must start this week by saying how proud everyone at Diamond Hall Junior Academy is of our Year 6 pupils. This week they took their Key Stage 2 Statutory Assessments. Their resilience and independence skills were put to the test this week and they were truly amazing!

I would like to commend pupils in Year 3,4 and 5 for their co-operation and empathy this week. All pupils were extremely considerate of Year 6.

Regards,
Mrs Hoare



SATS ARE DONE! I would like to say a huge well done to our fabulous Year 6 students who have worked incredibly hard this week, the children celebrated on Thursday with an ice-lolly and as you can see were jumping with joy!

Dates for your diary:

16 th – 27 th May	Jubilee cake sale and raffle begins
Thursday 26 th May	Y4 School trip
Monday 23-27 th May	Queen's Jubilee events
Friday 27 th May	Break up for May half term

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Our LKS2 Antibullying team introduced the new school mascot teddy bear which was designed by James in Year 3 then created at Build a Bear. The children can find them in the shared areas of their year group. Our school's definition of bullying is:

S - several
T - times
O - on
P - purpose

Diamond Hall Juniors have a zero tolerance to bullying.





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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**. 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	4KW
Attendance:	92.69	98.33	94.58	94.62	97.67	88.85
Lates:	0	0	1	2	1	0

Upper Key Stage 2

Class:	5AR	5BH	5KM	6NKAH	6CC	6DG
Attendance:	96.33	96.67	88.77	95.00	100	98.97
Lates:	0	2	4	0	0	0

100% ATTENDANCE

This week, 296 pupils achieved 100% attendance.



Reporting Absence

Please can we remind parents to contact the office if your child is going to be absent from school. This should be done before 8:30 am.

If attendance becomes a concern, medical evidence will be asked for to support the absence.

Remember: the school gate will be locked at 8:50am daily. After this point, pupils will need to go the office to be signed in.

Be an
Attendance

H.E.R.O.



★ **Here**
★ **Everyday**
★ **Ready**
★ **On time**





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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	Mathematician of the Week	Diamond Squad
Mrs Laydon	Farah	Kenya	Jacob	Jayden
Mrs Hubery	Sophie	Firas	Joshua	Ayaan
Mrs Crawford	James	Ethan	Tam Tam	Florence
Mr Woods	Ashton	Dariola	Ekram	Deborah
Mrs Edwards	Billie	Naomi	Danyal	Jermiah
Miss Inkster	Fariha	Millie	Zayan	Ayesha
Mrs Taylor/Miss MacDonald	Samuel	Duncan	Tai	Samuel
Mrs Haydon	Lilly	Abigail	Eva-Grace	Mia
Miss Robinson	Brian	Alaina	Mason	Theodore
Mr Crowther	Grace	Chimdi	Keaton	Lewis
Mr Guthrie	Kaiden	Deborah	Hedi	Layla
Mrs Kendrick/Herron	Adlina	Kara	Alfie	Chloe

