

Heswall Primary School

'Better Never Stops'



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Dear Parents and Carers,

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Values

We have been looking at values with the other Oak Trees MAT schools and have developed [The Principles of Heswall Primary School's Character Development Framework](#) which can be viewed on the school website. All the MAT schools still retain their individual values and identities however we have agreed on a number of values that we share equally. These values are **Collaboration, Expression, Citizenship and Inspiration**. New values certificates have been introduced to the school and were awarded in assembly for the first time today.

Attendance

We, like all schools, will be constantly adding attendance information to school newsletters. This will be done in different ways but please try to avoid your children missing school unnecessarily.

Class	Attendance this week	Attendance so far this year	Percentage of each class with 100% attendance	Average Percentage of Lates for each class so far this year.
F2	97.67%	95.4%	67%	0.23%
Y1	97.04%	97.8%	63%	0.27%
Y2	96.90%	97.6%	55%	0.35%
Y3	99.63%	96.9%	67%	0.27%
Y4	93.55%	98.2%	58%	0.43%
Y5	95.93%	94.1%	44%	0.16%
Y6	95.88%	94.4%	24%	0.22%

Attendance Champions this week are: Y3 Attendance Champions so far this year are: Y4

Most Punctual Class so far this year is: Y5

So far, most absences occur on a Monday and the least absences are on Wednesdays or Thursdays.

Parking

A polite plea from some of our local residents kindly asking not to block their drives as they are being delayed from going to work and dropping older children at secondary school etc. We appreciate that some of the recent weather has been awful and this has increased the number of children being driven to school. We appreciate that it is hard to park near the school but please avoid our local residents' driveways.

Scooters on the Playground

We've had a number of communications from parents regarding scooters being ridden on the playground both before and after school and there has been a few near misses. All scooters must be stored in the bike sheds near the Key Stage 2 playground and must not be ridden on the playground.

Parents Evenings F2-Y6

A reminder that our parents' evening meetings are Monday to Wednesday next week. If you haven't already made your appointment, please do so as soon as possible using the eSchools app. No further bookings can be made on line after 7am on Monday morning. We are looking forward to seeing you at the meetings.

Kind regards,

Mr J Lawrenson, Headteacher

