



Newsletter

11th January, 2018

Reminders

- Please ensure your child has their school **PE kit** in school on their PE days and no jewellery comes in to school on those days.
- If your child has a problem at school then please encourage them to tell us during the school day so we can help them **solve it**.
- Please ensure your children are wearing **black school shoes** and not trainers.
- Please make sure your child has a **school bag** which includes their school planner and water bottle.

New Multi-Sports Kits

We now have 2 Hurst Hill multi-sports kits that will be used for sports' matches. Thank you to PS Olympic who sponsored our new kits for lower and upper KS2.

Reception Places for September

Any children born between 01.09.14 and 31.08.15 need to have an application for their **school place** to start in September. Parents can apply online at [www.dudley.gov.uk / admissions](http://www.dudley.gov.uk/admissions) or they can phone 0300 555 2345 for a paper form.

The closing date for all applications is 15 January 2019.

School Meals: £2.30

Drinks: Milk—free Water—free

Snack Trolley

Toast—26p per round

Welcome Back!

Pupils have returned to school really settled and ready for their learning. I hope you all had a lovely Christmas and a good break.

We have lots of exciting things happening in school this term including the MAT School Council meeting, PCSOs in school, class assemblies, book sale, bagels on the playground, winter wonderland lunch, February disco, MAT Book Quiz and Y5 visit to Dormston to name but a few!

We are making progress towards our parent partnership award and we would like to thank all parents for your support with community and school activities.

This week, we have already inducted parent reading volunteers who start next week and we had a super slimy science assembly!

Parent Workshops

Parents have asked for a workshop to be able to help their children with their English and maths at home. Therefore, our next parent workshop will be 'Got Kids? Get Reading.'

This will start 23rd January 9-11am and will run for 3 weeks at Hurst Hill. They will help you, help your child, with Reading at home and will cater for all of your children's ages.

Just like last time, in order to participate you need to bring with you proof of ID and proof of residency in the country for 3 years or more (such as passport, driving license or bill with address on)

Please sign up to the sessions by adding your name to the list in the school office. You can ring the office to do this or come in to school when you do the school run.

We look forward to seeing you then!

Old / Unused PE Kit Donations

If anyone has any old or unused school PE kit, please donate to school. This will be really useful for us for children who forget their PE kit. Please bring to the school office.

Safeguarding

We all have a responsibility for the welfare of our children. If something concerns you about the welfare of a child within school then please contact the class teacher in the first instance who will refer to the Schools Designated Safeguarding Leads within school. If you have concerns which **are not** school based you can: Call the children's services referral and advice service on **0300 555 0050** during office hours (9am - 5pm). Out of office hours contact the Emergency Duty Team on **0300 555 8574** or in an **emergency call 999**.

Alternatively you can call ChildLine on **0800 1111** or email them by visiting www.childline.org.uk



Lunchtime Behaviour Stars!

Reception—Sofia
Year 1—Lucy
Year 2—Evie
Year 3—Emily
Year 4—Markuss
Year 5/6 —Tommy Lee and Hayley

This is a new certificate to praise pupils for super lunchtime behaviour. The lunchtime supervisors and sports coaches chose these children.

Vacancy

We have a vacancy for a **school cleaner** that is now advertised on WM Jobs (www.wmjobs.co.uk)
Days / times were advertised wrongly on the newsletter but they are:

3.30pm-5.30pm Monday—
Thursday and 3.15-5.15pm
Friday. 10 hours per week.

INSET Days 2018-2019

25th February
22nd July
Childcare available on
February date

Polling Day 2019

2nd May 2019—school
closed

Stars of the Week!

Mrs Fryer / Mrs Jones' Class— Arjun
Miss Davis' Class— Leon
Miss Williams' Class— Alfie
Mrs Westwood's Class— Charlie
Mrs Weaver's Class— Andrew
Mrs Johal's Class— Freddie
Mrs Walker and Mrs Johnson's Class—
Hashim
Mrs Hull's Class— Dawson
Mr Russell's Class— Alexia

Well done to all our stars of the week!
Stars of the term will be choosing their
reward with Mrs Keen shortly

Attendance

17th—21st December

Attendance needs to be 100%!
1st Place—Mrs Weaver's class with 99% -
Well done
Whole school attendance - 96%

WEEKLY attendance award

Children who have attended
school for the whole week will be
entered into a weekly draw to win
a prize.

**This week's winner was Layton
in Mrs Fryer's class!**

2019 Diary Dates

16.1.19 – MAT School Council
Meeting 1pm at Hurst Hill
23rd January – Mrs Hull's Class
assembly 9-9.30am
24.1.19 – Book Sale in the Hall
12-2pm
25.1.19 – PCSO visit Y3/4
30th January – Mrs Westwood's
Class assembly 9-9.30am
4.2.19 – Bagels start on the
playground before school
5.2.19 – Mrs Weaver's Parents'
Evening and Book Share 3.15-5pm
7.2.19 – Mrs Weaver's Parents'
Evening and Book Share 4-7pm
12.2.19 – School Disco
13.2.19 – Y5 to Dormston to see
High School Musical 9.15-12.30pm
13th February – Mrs Johal's Class
assembly 9-9.30am
14.2.19 – Academy book quiz round
1, at Hurst Hill
15.2.19 – Break up from school,
100% attendance and star of the
half term assembly 9-9.30am

House Points

Roses
- 214

Well done!



After School Club

We have **places** in our after school
club with Mrs Williams. Costs are
£7 per session, until 6pm and
5.30pm on a Friday. We also offer
flexi places / last minute cover so
you don't have to book for a whole
term or year. If you are interested,
please contact the school office.

Advertising

If you would like to advertise on our
school newsletter then please
contact the office team. It is only £3
per week and is a great way to in-
form the local community
Email us at info@hurst-hill.dudley.sch.uk
www.hursthillprimaryschool.com Tel:
01384 818845

Twitter

Follow us on Twitter!
[@HurstHillTweets](https://twitter.com/HurstHillTweets)
We have the school account
up and running again so follow
us to keep up to date and see
what we have been up to!



Kids Football Coaching Play, Learn, Achieve.

Time: 09:30am Every Saturday Morning.
From 5 - 17 Years Old.

Email, Call, Text, or WhatsApp for registration info, 07879 334683,
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