

Mill Hill Matters

★ Newsletter

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A warm Mill Hill welcome to Mrs Bainbridge, our new Headteacher.



We hope she will be very happy here!



Happy New Year!

Bags2School



If you are having a clear out, please save any old clothes for Bags2School on 26th Jan.

Caught Being Good.....



Children who are caught being good will be given 'thumbs up' awards. These will go into a weekly raffle on a Friday.

Ask your child if they have been caught being good!

Attendance

We are aiming for 97% attendance. Please help us achieve our target by not allowing children to take time off unnecessarily.

Late Arrivals

First of all, a huge thank you to all the Parents and Carers who make sure that their children are here each day on time, however, over the last term, we have had too many late arrivals at school – this puts a huge amount of additional pressure on our school reception team. Each child has to be registered, checked whether they are having dinner or are having packed lunch and then taken to class. This can often result in a chaotic start to the day. For every child that is late they miss the beginning of lesson and a chance to see friends on the playground. For some children coming in late can be really embarrassing. This term, will be having a real focus in school on punctuality – please help us to make sure that everyone has as smooth as possible start to the school day.

Do you need a part time job that fits in with your child's school holidays?

We are recruiting Midday Supervisory Assistants. Call in to the school office for further details if you are interested in this position.

FLU VACCINATIONS

Some parents have been asking about flu vaccinations for Reception - Year 4 children.

There will be a drop in at the Child Development Centre, Brompton Road, Northallerton. DL6 1AE between 3 and 4 pm on 22nd January

Collecting children at the end of the day.....

Please note that it is not acceptable to collect children early, before the end of the school day, unless they have a specific appointment, which should be shown at reception.

KS1 3.10 pm

KS2 3.20 pm

Please ensure your child is in the school yard, ready to start the day, at 8.50 am.

More New Faces around School.....



Mrs Sarah Newby will be teaching Year 1 on Thursday and Fridays.



Mrs Wendy Withington will take over responsibility for Year 2/3.

HAPPY BIRTHDAY TO YOU.....



In the space of a week, three members of staff have had BIG BIRTHDAYS!! Here they are....Mrs Smith from Bolton class, Mrs Raisbeck our reading volunteer and Mrs Portrey-Young, the Learning Mentor.

Back to work.....



Emilija Daugerte and Amelia-Rose Burn enjoying their reading with Mrs Grainger.

Don't forget Miss Christie needs 4 pint milk cartons....washed please! THANK YOU!