



'Preparing children for a bright future in a changing world.'

Newsletter | 21st June 2023

That's a Wrap!

This school year has gone by so quickly . . . we can hardly believe it's time to say farewell to our amazing Year 2's and start the Summer holidays.

We are so proud of all the children and all that they have achieved, both this year and during their time with us.

Thank you all, for being amazing supportive parents/carers helping the children to achieve so much.

When we look back over the year and think about all the things that the children have done as the year has progressed, we are absolutely blown away! From academic progress, sports events, trips, special events/assemblies to community events and fundraising it has been a truly exceptional year at Heather Avenue.

We wish you all the most amazing Summer with lots of fun filled days and times to relax.

We look forward to welcoming all the children back on Wednesday 6th September 2023, for the start of new academic year – we can't wait for our new Reception children to join us and hear all about the wonderful Summer memories all the children have made with you.

Please take time to read our regular newsletter as we use this to try to keep you abreast of all the different items taking place in school. Information is also available on our school website; please visit www.heatheravenue.co.uk, our Facebook page [Heather Avenue Infant School](https://www.facebook.com/HeatherAvenueInfantSchool) or follow us on twitter [@HeatherAvenue](https://twitter.com/HeatherAvenue).

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Dates for the Diary

Monday 4th September: INSET day 1 (Staff in school only)
Tuesday 5th September: INSET day 2 (Staff in school only)
Wednesday 6th September: First day back at school
Friday 20th October: Last day of Autumn 1
Monday 23rd October – Friday 27th October: Half Term
Monday 30th October: First day of Autumn 2
Wednesday 20th December: Last day of Autumn 2
Thursday 21st December – Tuesday 2nd January: Christmas holidays
Wednesday 3rd January: INSET day 3 (Staff in school only)
Thursday 4th January: First day of Spring 1
Friday 16th February: Last day of Spring 1
Monday 19th February – Friday 23rd February: Spring half term
Monday 26th February: First day of Spring 2
Wednesday 27th March: Last day of Spring 2
Thursday 28th March: INSET day (Staff in school only)
Friday 29th March – Friday 12th April: Easter holidays
Monday 15th April: First day of Summer 1
Friday 24th May: Last day of Summer 1
Monday 27th May – Friday 31st May: Half term
Monday 3rd June: First day of Summer 2
Friday 19th July: Last day of Summer 2
Monday 22nd July: Summer holidays

Congratulations

We are so pleased to congratulate Mrs Waters, who is expecting her second child towards the end of this year!

Please refer to the email, which was sent last week to inform you of all the other staff changes for the next academic year.

Eco News

We have been working really hard on our Eco award

The Eco council have been meeting, making plans and putting them into action. Please see some notices from Mrs Paterson and the Eco-committee below:

- Congratulations to Eddie (Yr. 2) who won our poster competition for eco-schools this year!
- Can you complete our Summer challenge on Tapestry and make your own bug hotel? We would love to see what you do on Tapestry
- Can you support our biodiversity aims by looking out for Rainforest Alliance certified products whilst shopping (see attachment)

And finally . . .

Thank you to the Eco-Committee who have worked really hard at making our school more eco-friendly and our whole school community for helping this to happen.