

Newsletter



March 2023

Would you like to receive your Newsletter by e-mail?

If so please e-mail the office at enquiries@hemswellcliff.lincs.sch.uk to let us know.



PLEASE REMEMBER!

- **All absence must be reported to the school office by 9am in person, by email or by phone.**
- Lunches need to be ordered online by midnight on Saturday ready for the following week.
- Honours Assembly: 9am on Thursday each week.
- The school Car Park is for School Staff & Children's Centre Staff only. Please do not block the gate.
- Children in Spitfire and Hurricane class should arrive in PE kits on the days their class has PE lessons.
- **School Office Hours**
8:45am – 9:15am & 3pm – 3:30pm

Value of the term

Responsibility

Dear Parents/ Carers,

It is difficult to believe that we are already in March – the school year is certainly beginning to fly by. Thank you to you all for your support on World Book Day. The children looked amazing and I know they all thoroughly enjoyed the day.

Attendance

Whole school attendance is currently 94.8% - just slightly above National average. Please remember to let school know before 9.00am if your child will not be in school – this will save us disturbing you with a phone call checking up to see where they are.

Reading

For those of you who were unable to join us for the reading workshop, I have included below some information to support you in reading with your children at home:

- Ask your child where they like to read. Create a place at home where they enjoy reading or a place to keep their books 😊
- Let your child catch you reading- modelling reading habits is really powerful for our children.
- Encourage your child to read something new- a recipe, a joke book, a newspaper, comics, newspapers, short stories...
- Read them the book that was your favourite when you were a child.
- Discuss the meaning of new or unfamiliar words- get excited about new words and look them up together.
- Talk about what is happening in their book.

E-safety: Fortnite

If you have a child who plays this game, every day, once a week or even once every **two weeks**...then you need to ensure you have Parental Controls set up. Please use the following link and be happy knowing you are doing one more thing to keep your child safe online: **Fortnite parental controls and privacy settings | Internet Matters**

Dates for your diary

Thursday 23rd March @ 2.30 pm – Learning Café.

Friday 31st March @ 3.15 pm – end of Term 4.

Tuesday 18th April @ 8.45 am – school re-opens for Term 5.

Kind regards,
Mrs Waplington

Safeguarding:

School contacts:

Mrs Waplington, Mrs Jenkin and Mrs Willcox.

Children's Services 01522 782111

101 Police Incident Reporting

Our school is part of the Operation Encompass initiative which informs us of any domestic abuse incidents at home.