

Dear Parents and Carers,

It was so nice to come back after the half term and see everyone looking refreshed. We are also pleased that we have not been affected by the adverse weather conditions, unlike a lot of schools around the country.

It is fifty two days until Christmas and our plans are well under way. Whether you celebrated Christmas or not we will make sure there is something for everyone. We are planning outings, fares and of course a Christmas concert. Performances will be live this year. You will be invited to come in and watch your child taking part in this year's festivities. Details will follow.

Some exciting news to share...

I am pleased to inform you that we have arranged for a counsellor to join us to support pupils and families who need it. A trained counsellor with experience working with children and young people with SEND will start in January, for one day per week in the first instance. More details will follow and you will have the opportunity to explore this option in detail. I think it is important that we do all we can to support our young people to understand and explore their emotional world.

We have a date for a coffee morning. All parents and carers are invited to join us on 20th November for a conversation with me. A letter went out to all parents earlier this week.

It is important that you are informed about your child's learning. We are thinking about the best way to share information with you about topics and areas of learning that are being covered, which you will receive later this term.

I would like to thank all of you who have taken the time to complete the online survey. This information is very important for us in order to be able to support you and ensure the school continues to serve the community.

Have a lovely weekend ,

Evelina



Parent/Carer Survey



Pupils of the Week

7A	Gracie — For her enthusiasm during literacy lessons
7R	Diego — For reading every evening at home
8R	Ruby — For making excellent progress in Maths
8T	Emmanuel — For engaging in lessons and making great progress with transitions
8J	Tiarna — For independently completing her morning job
9J	Ayaan — For good listening and mature behaviour
9R	Jamal — For enthusiasm and focus on our new class topic
10O	Amelie — For outstanding reading and contribution to our literacy lesson
10L	Joshua — For great growth mindset in maths
11L	Micaiah — For a fantastic start to the new term
11R	Anna — For another amazing week and communicating well when faced with a challenge
12C	Annabelle — For working hard with her reading practice
12N	Junior — For good social communication skills
13/14 C	Bruno — For improved pronunciation when reading
Y13	Israa — For an outstanding PSHE lesson on Criminal Justice
13/14 L	Ezechiel — For settling in so well to Highshore and being a great student
14K	Janet — For her patience and kindness to others in the playground
14L	Kamari — For having a great attitude to this work



Stars of the week



KS3 Oliver—8R—For great work on greeting people

KS4 Micaiah—11L—For being involved and getting his hands dirty in a sensory lesson

KS5 Donnell—12N—For making amazing progress in swimming

Autumn Continues!



As we enter a busy half-term at Highshore, let's look at some of our Autumn-themed work!

