



## HIGH HESKET C of E SCHOOL (VC)

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Tuesday 27<sup>th</sup> February 2024

Dear Parents & Carers,

We are hopeful that the warmer temperatures will be arriving for the Spring term as we have certainly suffered with some quite significant weather recently! With lots to fit into the next few weeks, some dry and sunny spells would be much appreciated!

### #Letgirlsplay football campaign – Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March 2024

On Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March, we will be supporting the #Letgirlsplay biggest ever football session in school. At playtimes, we will have some different activities available where all the children can take part in football related games. If your child does not normally have PE on this day, they may wish to bring a pair of trainers to change in to. If you would like to know more about the campaign, please visit [www.girlsfootballinschools.org](http://www.girlsfootballinschools.org).

### Year 5 and 6 residentials – staffing changes

Year 6 will be visiting Edinburgh in the final week of half term and, after the Easter holidays, Year 5 will be heading to Robinwood Outdoor Centre. I am sure you can appreciate that we have to ensure we have the correct staffing arrangements and ratios to be able to comply with risk assessments, so there may be some slight changes to staffing across the school on these dates.

### School Money

As the financial year end approaches, we would like to politely remind parents to log onto School Money and to check for any outstanding payments from previous school terms. Your help with this is very much appreciated and please do contact school if you would like to discuss this further.

### Dates for the diary:

**Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> March 2024** – EYFS Stay and play session (Physical Development and Early Writing focus) 8.45-10am

**Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> March 2024** – World Book Day (book related costumes welcome)

**Wednesday 13<sup>th</sup> March 2024** – Year 3 trip to Vindolanda

**Friday 15<sup>th</sup> March 2024** – Red Nose Day (non-uniform)

**Monday 18<sup>th</sup> March 2024** – Year 6 U Dance performances

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> March 2023** – Whole school project day (non-uniform and/or team colour items welcome)

**Wednesday 20<sup>th</sup> March 2023** – Year 5 parent meeting for Robinwood residential

**Monday 25<sup>th</sup> March 2024** – Year 6 Edinburgh residential

**Wednesday 27<sup>th</sup> March 2024** – Easter service at St Mary's Church (children only)

**Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March 2024** – School closes for the Easter holidays (normal school finish time)

**Tuesday 16<sup>th</sup> April 2024** – School reopens for the Summer term

**Wednesday 24<sup>th</sup> – Friday 26<sup>th</sup> April 2024** – Year 5 residential to Robinwood Outdoor Centre

**Tuesday 30<sup>th</sup> April – Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> May 2024** – Parent's evenings (Nursery – Year 5)

Yours sincerely,

Mrs A Harvey  
Headteacher