

NEWSLETTER



Edition 12

Friday 19th December 2025

Dear Parents and Carers,

As we reach the end of this busy and rewarding term, I want to take a moment to thank you for the incredible support you have shown our school community throughout the year. On behalf of all the staff at Hucknall Flying High Academy, I wish you and your families a joyful, peaceful Christmas and a very happy New Year.



The past few weeks have been a whirlwind of festive celebrations! Our talented choir filled the beautiful halls of St Mary's Church with their voices during the Holgate Family of Schools concert—a truly magical moment. Key Stage 2 then delighted us with their Christmas concerts, showcasing not only musical talent but also the enthusiasm and festive spirit that make this time of year so special.



Earlier this week, the spotlight turned to our youngest stars as Early Years and Key Stage 1 took centre stage with their nativity performances. Each show was a heartwarming blend of singing, acting, and festive cheer, leaving audiences captivated and proud of every child involved. Then on Thursday our Year 3 children delivered a magical carol performance to the Harrier House care home residents.

As we look ahead to the new year, I want to reaffirm the importance of kindness and respect within our school community. Positive relationships between parents and school staff are essential for every child's success and wellbeing, and together we can make 2026 a year of growth and achievement.

Finally, I hope you all enjoy a well-deserved rest over the Christmas break and find time to relax and celebrate with loved ones.

Wishing you a happy, healthy, and peaceful New Year!



Dates – Including Holiday Dates 2026

January	
Monday 5th	First day of the spring 1 term
Wednesday 7th	Year 3 and 4 Bikeability
Thursday 8th	Year 3 and 4 Bikeability
February	
Friday 13th	Last day of the spring 1 term

Monday 23 rd	INSET DAY – School Closed
Tuesday 24 th	First day of the spring 2 term
Friday 27 th	Year 6 trip to the Holocaust Museum
March	
Wednesday 4 th	Year 5 depart for Hathersage residential
Friday 6 th	Year 5 return from Hathersage residential
Tuesday 10 th	Parent Meetings: 3:30pm – 6:30pm
Wednesday 11 th	Parent Meetings: 3:30pm – 6:30pm
Wednesday 18 th	2:30pm – Rocksteady Concert
Friday 27 th	Last day of the spring 2 term
April	
Monday 13 th	First day of the summer 1 term
Monday 13 th	Year 3 trip to Creswell Crags
Tuesday 21 st	Year 4 trip to Leicester Museum & Art Gallery
May	
Monday 4 th	BANK HOLIDAY – School closed
Monday 11 th	Key Stage 2 SATS Week
Thursday 21 st	Last day of the summer 1 term
Friday 22 nd	INSET DAY – School Closed
June	
Monday 1 st	First day of the summer 2 term
Monday 1 st	Year 4 multiplication Check Week
Monday 8 th	Phonics Screen Week
Tuesday 30 th	Year 6 depart for Wales residential
July	
Friday 3 rd	Year 6 return from Wales residential
Wednesday 15 th	2:30pm – Rocksteady Concert
Friday 17 th	School reports
Friday 24 th	Last day of summer 2 term

Parking

We kindly ask for your continued support in ensuring the safety of all children during school drop-off and pick-up times.

Please be mindful when parking near the school, particularly:

- ***On the corner of Spitfire Way and Hurricane Road***
- ***Outside the school on Shepherd Street***



Parking in these areas can create hazards for children entering and leaving the school grounds. Clear visibility and safe access are essential to keep everyone safe, not just children but also the general public and other drivers.

We also remind you to take extra care when children are crossing roads and walking between parked cars at the start and end of the school day.

Your cooperation helps us maintain a safe environment for all. *Thank you for your understanding and support.*

School Admissions

Do you have a child due to start Primary school in September 2026?

Wednesday 15th January 2026 – Closing date for applications.



Festive Fun

A big thanks to everyone for their support with our festive events over the last month.



I wish you all a wonderful Christmas and I look forward to seeing you all when we return on Monday 5th January 2026.

Merry Christmas!

Mr K Clowery

