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Newsletter

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Menu for week commencing 15/12/2025 showing on the last page of newsletter

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On Thursday this week, children and staff enjoyed Christmas dinner together in the hall. We would like to thank Bonnie (our cook) and her team for the wonderful meal. It was lovely to see everyone chatting and enjoying lunchtime together. Thank you also to Greenheart Learning Partnership who funded all pupils having a free meal this Christmas.

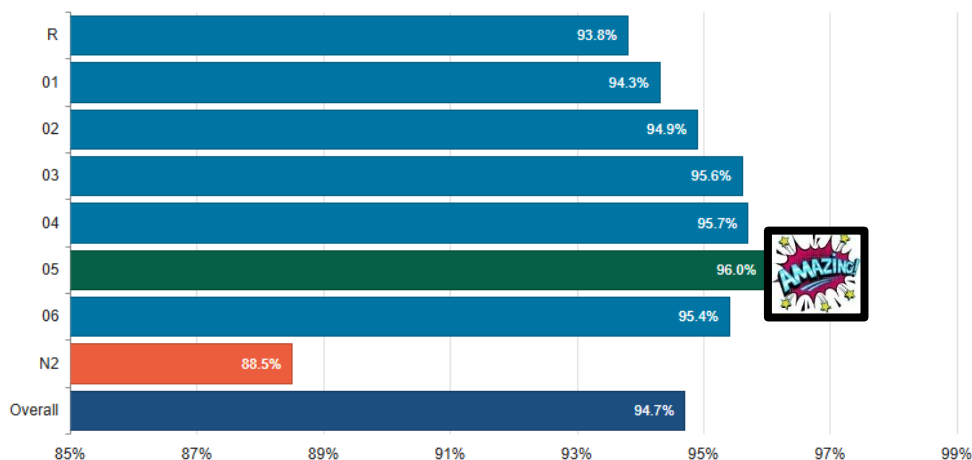


- Transition
- Participation
- Communication
- Guidance
- Induction
- Home-School Links

Attendance

Whole School Attendance

Attendance



School attendance this week has risen to 94.7% - well done all.

Well done, Year 5 for the best attendance this week 😊

Christmas Concerts

This week, we had the privilege of watching our children in Nursery, Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 perform for their families. The children were amazing and the smiles on adult faces were a true testament to how wonderful they were. Thank you to everyone who attended.

We hope this week has been a wonderful start to your Christmas festivities. Next week, we will be treated to our KS2 pupils performing in church and on stage for their carol concerts.

For more information, please refer to your year group newsletters.



Christmas Presents

Within school, we have a range of donations of new toys. For any families who would like to have the opportunity to see if there is anything suitable for Christmas presents for their children, please contact Mrs Snell or Mrs Downing.

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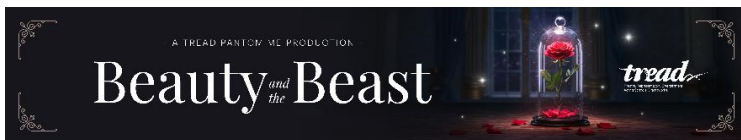


Non-Uniform

On **Tuesday** and **Friday** next week, all children are able to come to school in non-uniform. This might include Christmas jumpers if they wish.

Please make sure that children are still dressed sensibly as they will still be going outside for break/lunch etc.

On Tuesday, all children will be able to watch the pantomime Beauty and the Beast.



We are extremely grateful for our PTFA Team for funding this and giving children this amazing opportunity.

Let's Get Talking

Family conversations foster trust, emotional intelligence and stronger relationships. When we create space for open dialogue, we build the kind of home where children feel heard and valued.

You don't need a perfect setting or a long stretch of free time. A few minutes here and there can make a big difference. Choose a time when you're not rushing - family dinners, walks, or even car rides are great opportunities for connection.

This week, try asking...

If you had a magic wand, what's the first thing you would do?

“ LET'S TALK ”

THE LIGHTHOUSE
CHRISTMAS EVE
COMMUNITY FOOD TABLE

6.30PM TIL 8.30PM
PYE GREEN COMMUNITY CENTRE
BRADBURY LANE HEDNESFORD

PLENTY OF SURPLUS SUPERMARKETS FOODS
ON OUR TABLES FOR THE 8TH YEAR RUNNING,
FOR ALL TO SHARE!!

Including fruit, veg, bread, ambient, meats,
and seasonal special brands.

A kiddies table filled with toys, all free to help
bring Christmas joy to your little ones

Santa's Elves will be there with a special gift for
every child

BRING A FEW BAGS AND HELP YOURSELVES!!
EVERYTHING MUST GO!!

EVERYONE WELCOME



PYE GREEN ACADEMY
PTFA EVENTS

Keep up to date with school events and fundraising

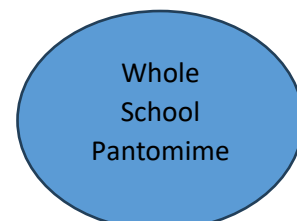
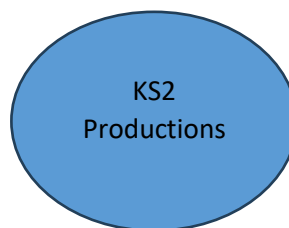


We are all prepared for our Christmas Fair after school this evening. I would like to say a huge thank you to all of the PTFA members for all of their hard work and dedication. It really is very much appreciated 😊

Also Attached to the Newsletter This Week

- How to Survive Christmas Information
- Support over Christmas

What's Happening Next Week



Upcoming Events – More Details to Follow

Monday 15th December 2025 - Mrs Claus Visit to Nursery Pupils (PTFA)
Tuesday 16th December 2025 – Whole School Pantomime Day
Wednesday 17th December 2025 – Year 5 and 6 Christmas Concert at Kingsmead 1.15pm
Thursday 18th December 2025 – Year 3 and 4 Christmas Concert at Chadsmoor Church 1.30pm
Friday 19th December 2025 – PTFA End of Day Cake Sale

Monday 5th January 2026 – INSET DAY (School Closed to Pupils)
Thursday 15th January – Pye Green Supporting Hednesford Council (tree planting)
Wednesday 21st January 2026 – Reception Parent Lunch
Tuesday 27th January – Pye Green Supporting Hednesford Council (tree planting)
Thursday 29th January 2026 – Early Years PE Enrichment Day
Wednesday 11th February 2026 – Parents’ Evening
Thursday 12th February 2026 – Parents’ Evening
Friday 13th February – PTFA Cake Sale on the Playground
Wednesday 25th February 2026 – Year 1 Parent Lunch
WB Monday 2nd March 2026 – Careers Week
Monday 2nd March 2026 – Year 5 Computing Session at Kingsmead (one class)
Monday 9th March 2026 – Year 5 Rainforest Roadshow
Thursday 12th March 2026 – Supporting Behaviour at Home (Educational Psychologist Course)
Monday 16th March 2026 – Year 5 Computing Session at Kingsmead (one class)
Friday 20th March – Non-Uniform Day (Donations for PTFA Chocolate Bingo Appreciated)
Wednesday 25th March 2026 – Year 2 Parent Lunch
Friday 27th March – PTFA Cake Sale on the Playground
Wednesday 22nd April 2026 – PE Enrichment Day (Playground Games KS2)
Thursday 23rd April 2026 – PE Enrichment Day (Playground Games KS1)
Wednesday 29th April 2026 – Year 1 Hay House Farm Visit (Farm to Fork)
Wednesday 29th April 2026 – Year 3 Parent Lunch
Wednesday 20th May 2026 – Year 4 Parent Lunch
Friday 22nd May 2026 – PTFA Cake Sale on the Playground
Monday 1st June 2026 – INSET DAY (School Closed to Pupils)
Tuesday 2nd June 2026 – Year 5 Visit to Carding Mill Valley
Wednesday 24th June 2026 – Year 5 Parent Lunch
Friday 26th June 2026 – Year 1 Visit to Dudley Zoo
Friday 26th June 2026 – PTFA Colour Run
Wednesday 1st July 2026 – Transition Afternoon 1
Wednesday 1st July 2026 – Meet the Teacher 4.00pm onwards (details to follow)
Thursday 2nd July 2026 – Year 2 Trip to Blackpool
Wednesday 8th July 2026 - Transition Afternoon 2
Wednesday 8th July 2026 – Year 6 Leaver’s Evening
Friday 10th July 2026 – Family Picnic
Wednesday 15th July 2026 – Year 6 Escape Room (PTFA)
Friday 17th July 2026 – PTFA Cake Sale on the Playground
Monday 20th July 2026 - INSET DAY (School Closed to Pupils)

Crucial Assessment Dates for 2025/2026

Throughout May 2026 – Y2 SATS tests (Please do not book holidays this month)
Monday 11th May – Thursday 14th May 2026 – Year 6 SATS (please do not book holidays this week)
Monday 1st June – Friday 12th June 2026 – Y4 Times Tables Check (please do not book holidays this fortnight)
Monday 8th June – Friday 12th June 2026 – Year 1 Phonics Screening Week (Please do not book holidays this week)

Dates for 2026/2027 can be found by following the link <https://www.gov.uk/guidance/primary-assessments-future-dates>

School Year 2025 to 2026

Autumn Term 2025

Term Ends: Friday 19 December

Holiday: Monday 22 December – Friday 2 January

Spring Term 2026

Monday 5th January INSET DAY – School closed to children (INSET DAY 3)

Term Starts: Tuesday 6th January

Holiday: Monday 16 February – Friday 20 February

Term Ends: Friday 27 March

Holiday: Monday 30 March – Friday 10 April

Easter Sunday: Sunday 5 April

Summer Term 2026

Term Starts: Monday 13 April

May Day: Monday 4 May

Holiday: Monday 25 May – Friday 29 May

Monday 1st June INSET DAY – School closed to children (INSET DAY 4)

Term Ends: Friday 17th July

Monday 20th July INSET DAY – School closed to children (INSET DAY 5)

Holiday: Monday 20th July – Monday 31st August

Week Two Date W/C 15.12.2025

Primary Menu Week 2	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAYS
Main Course (Red)	All Day Breakfast	Fish Finger Bap	Roast Chicken, Gravy & Stuffing	Chicken Tikka Masala	Meat Pizza
Vegetarian Main Course (Green)	All Day Veggie Breakfast (v)	Mac 'n' Cheese (v)	Quorn Balls, Gravy & Stuffing (v)	Country Veg Bake (v)	Cheese & Tomato Pizza (v)
Yellow	Jacket Potato with Cheese, Baked Beans	Jacket Potato with Cheese, Baked Beans	Jacket Potato with Cheese, Baked Beans	Jacket Potato with Cheese, Baked Beans	Jacket Potato with Cheese, Baked Beans
Vegetables Carbs	Hash Browns Baked Beans Sweetcorn	Potato Wedges Broccoli Peas	Mashed & Roast Potatoes Cauliflower Peas	Rice Carrots Green Beans	Chips Baked Beans Peas
Sandwich Option (Blue)	Ham Packed Lunch	Cheese Packed Lunch	Tuna Packed Lunch	Ham Packed Lunch	Cheese Packed Lunch
Dessert	Banana Cake & Custard	Strawberry Mousse or Shortbread	Waffles with strawberries & toffee sauce	Raspberry & Apple Cake	Fruity Friday A selection of Fruit based desserts