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Belong Achieve Thrive

Aspiration

This half term, we are encouraging children to aim high, take pride in their learning and make the most of every opportunity.
We were delighted to welcome Amanda Wah, Gladiator Champion, back to Halsnead this week. Amanda encouraged the children to set goals, develop positive habits, keep active, talk to people they trust and surround themselves with good people. Her message was that we all have the power to become the best version of ourselves.



Attendance – In school, on time

Please continue to support our whole-school vision by ensuring children attend school every day and arrive on time. Good attendance helps every child to belong, achieve and thrive.
We break up for half term at the usual time of 3:30pm on Friday 23rd October.



Final week celebrations

Attendance celebration assemblies – Friday 23rd October
We will be celebrating attendance with special assemblies and prizes to be won.

Class Dojo parties
Children will also enjoy their class Dojo parties. Your child's class teacher will share the arrangements on Friday.



Year 5 and 6 Visit to Chester – Thursday 22nd October

Our Year 5 and 6 pupils will be visiting Chester to explore its Roman history. At the Deva Roman Experience, children will discover what life was like for Roman soldiers and inhabitants of the fortress of Deva, bringing their learning about Roman Britain to life.
Please ensure that you have provided permission and made payment for the trip.

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Inspiring visitors – Jamie Canning

On Monday, we welcomed Jamie Canning, Disability British Trampoline Champion, to speak to our Year 4, 5 and 6 pupils. Jamie shared how finding something you love can build confidence, help you overcome challenges and support you to achieve your goals. His visit was fantastic, and he was very impressed with our pupils. We are grateful to Jamie for such an inspiring opportunity.



Parents' Evening

Parents' evening will take place on Tuesday 20th and Wednesday 21st October. The appointment booking link has been sent to families today. Please ensure that you book an appointment to meet with your child's teacher and discuss their progress.



Parent Governor Vacancy

We currently have a Parent Governor vacancy at Halsnead Primary School.
Our governors play an important role in supporting and challenging the school, helping us to provide the best possible education and opportunities for our children. If you are interested in finding out more about becoming a Parent Governor, further information about the role and how to express your interest will be shared with families shortly.



Reception Language and Communication Workshop

Our Reception Language and Communication Workshop will take place on 19th October at 2:00pm. This is a lovely opportunity to come into school, take part in activities with your child and learn more about supporting language and communication at home. We warmly welcome all Reception parents.

PTFA

Our first PTFA meeting will take place on Monday 19th October at 10:00am.
Anyone interested in joining the PTFA or finding out more is very welcome to attend. The PTFA plays an important role in supporting school events and creating additional opportunities for our children. We would love to see you there.

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School Nurse

The school nurse will be available for telephone consultations on Tuesday 10th November, between 11:00am and 1:00pm.
If you would like to speak to the school nurse during this time, please let the school office know by 3:00pm on Monday 12th November. Please provide your child's name, date of birth and your contact telephone number so that this can be arranged.
If staff have concerns about a child's health, the usual online referral process remains available through the Knowsley 0–25 Service referral form.





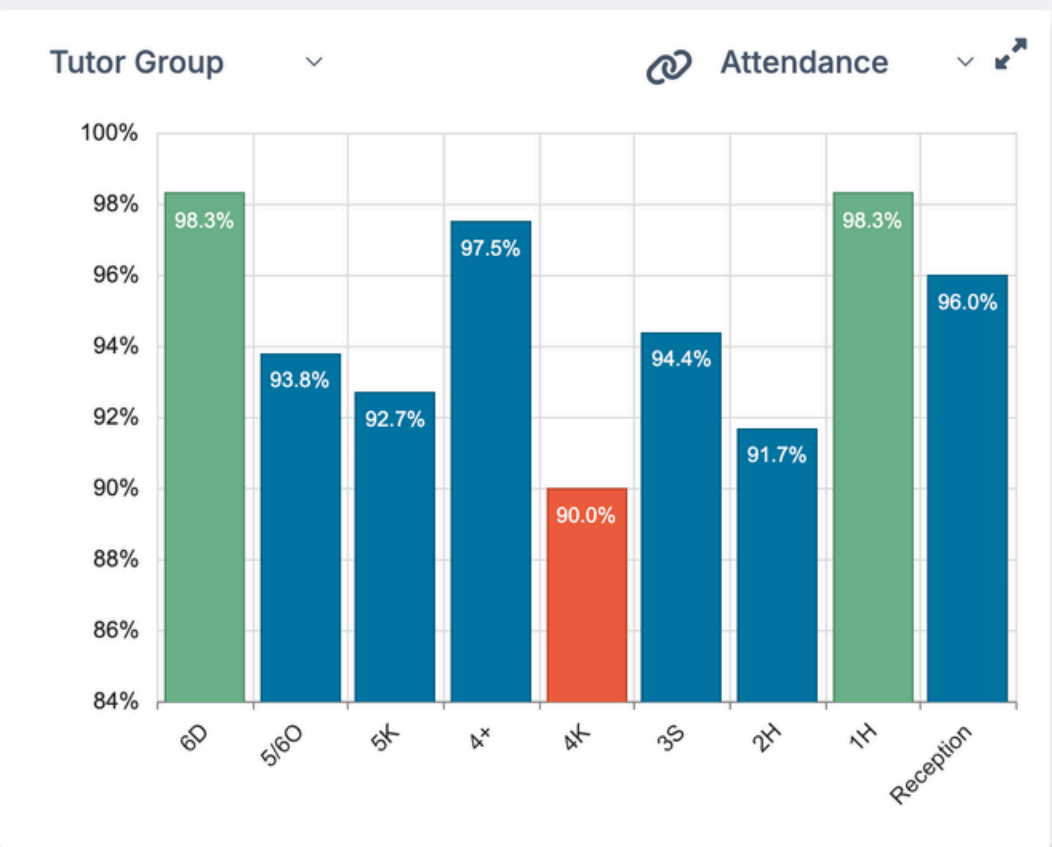




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Weekly menu

19.10.26	Main Meal	Vegetarian Option	
Monday	Tomato and cheese pasta bake and garlic bread	Tomato, salmon and broccoli pasta bake and garlic bread	Jacket potato/sandwich
Tuesday	Breakfast – sausages, hash brown, beans, scrambled egg and toast	Veggie breakfast – Quorn sausages, hash brown, beans, scrambled egg and toast	Jacket potato/sandwich
Wednesday	Chicken Tikka curry, rice, naan	Quorn Tikka curry, rice, naan	Jacket potato/sandwich
Thursday	Roast chicken, roast potatoes, veg, gravy and Yorkshire pudding	Quorn chicken, roast potatoes, veg, gravy and Yorkshire pudding	Jacket potato/sandwich
Friday	Chicken nuggets, chips, beans/spaghetti	Fish fingers, chips, beans/spaghetti	


Tutor Group
Attendance
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98.3%
93.8%
92.7%
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