



Dear Parent/Carer

Please see below this week's updates from school.

Attendance

Below are the attendance figures for each form this week. Year 7 and Year 9 have improved from last week with Year 8 staying the same and a slight decrease in attendance in Year 10. We are now coming to the end of the third week of our inter-form attendance competition and there is still all to play for. Please encourage your child to come in to school every day and participate in the life of Hodgson so they can get as much out of their time with us as possible. If your child is feeling ill whilst at school please tell them to inform a teacher who will make sure they are looked after and appropriate action is taken. We have had a few cases of parents and children communicating directly with each other during the school day resulting in parents coming in to take their child home with no communication with the us.

| Phoenix | | | |
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| Attendance | Week 3 | | Attendance |
| 99.1% | 7A | 9C | 92.7% |
| 96.6% | 8A | 10C | 90.6% |
| 97.9% | 9A | 7C | 95.3% |
| 83.6% | 10A | 8C | 95.4% |

| Dragon | | | |
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| Attendance | Week 3 | | Attendance |
| 95.7% | 7D | 9H | 94.9% |
| 97.2% | 8D | 10H | 92.8% |
| 92.9% | 9D | 7H | 94.9% |
| 94.1% | 10D | 8H | 92.9% |

| Pegasus | | | |
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| Attendance | Week 3 | | Attendance |
| 96.2% | 7M | 9R | 96.9% |
| 89.9% | 8M | 10R | 99.1% |
| 88.3% | 9M | 7R | 92.4% |
| 88.9% | 10M | 8R | 91.0% |

| Griffin | | | |
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| Attendance | Week 3 | | Attendance |
| 98.5% | 7S | 9W | 94.2% |
| 98.9% | 8S | 10W | 98.8% |
| 98.5% | 9S | 7W | 96.8% |
| 98.5% | 10S | 8W | 94.7% |

Badminton Success

Last weekend some of our Year 10 girls competed in the England Badminton National final. I am thrilled to share that after an intense competition with over 700 schools participating, our girls have achieved an outstanding feat by securing the 7th rank in England! The Badminton England National Schools Championships for 2023/24 witnessed the girls showcasing exceptional talent and sportsmanship, making us all proud. Their dedication and hard work have truly paid off and they deserve all the accolades for this remarkable achievement. It is heartening to see our young players being recognised for their skills and commitment to the sport. As we focus on nurturing talent and promoting badminton among the youth, the success of our U16s team is a shining example of what can be achieved through passion and perseverance.

Hodgson PTFA Event

Many thanks to everyone who came along to the bingo and quiz night arranged by our PTFA last Tuesday. The event was well attended, over £250 was raised and a good time was had by all. Hopefully it will be the first of many opportunities for us to come together and have fun.





Uniform Shop

We are always looking for new volunteers to work in our shop, even if it is only once a month. If you would like to volunteer please contact us on admin@hodgson.lancs.sch.uk The uniform shop is open on Wednesdays between 5.00pm and 7.00pm and Saturdays between 10.00am and 12.00 during term time.

Year 11 Leavers Hoodies

The online shop for Year 11 leavers hoodies closes on Sunday. Please click the following link to order one for your child. There are a wide range of colour and style options. Once the hoodies arrive students will be allowed to wear them in and around school just not in lessons or exams.

<https://www.leavershoodies.com/hodgson-academy-year-11-2024-leavers>

