HEATH MOUNT PRIMARY SCHOOL



NEWSLETTER



11TH JULY 2025

Dear Parents and Carers.

It's been a wonderfully warm and sunny week here at Heath Mount, filled with memorable experiences and joyful learning.

On Monday, our Early Years children visited Atwell Farm, where they enjoyed a hands-on learning experience with animals and nature—such a lovely way to connect with the world around them.

A small group of children also visited the Birmingham Conservation Centre. A heartfelt thank you to our parent volunteers who helped make this trip possible. It was a beautiful and enriching outing for all involved.

Wednesday was a big day with our Summer Fayre and the Excelsior Olympics! The fayre was full of fun, food, and sunshine—thank you to everyone who came along and supported. We'll let you know soon how much was raised. Meanwhile, our children did an amazing job representing Heath Mount at the Olympics—such pride and team spirit!

On Thursday, Year 6 enjoyed a fantastic VR trip to Green Meadow. Their enthusiasm and engagement were brilliant to see.

Today, we held the Summer Fayre Raffle Draw in assembly—congratulations to all our winners!

Looking Ahead

Next week is set to be another exciting one, with the Year 6 Production and Graduation. We are so proud of our Year 6 pupils and will be very sad to see them go they've been a wonderful part of our school community. Thank you to those that have sent letters regarding SRE (Sex and Relationships Education)—thank you for your communication.

We'd also like to take this opportunity to remind all families about social media safety. Please check ageappropriate platforms and ensure children are monitored online to help keep them safe.

Enjoy this fabulous sunny weekend—just one week to go until summer! Warm regards, Mrs Samuel

UPCOMING

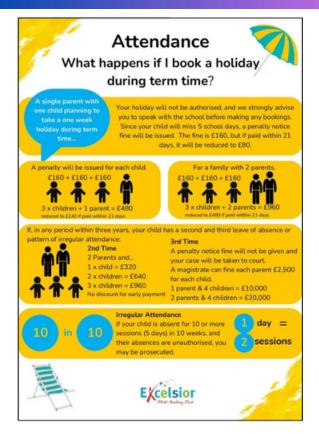
EVENTS

Monday 14th July - Year 6 Leavers' Production

Wednesday 16th July - Year 6 Graduation

Thursday 17th July Last Day of Term: School closes at 3:20pm for the summer break

School re-opens on Wednesday 3rd September at 8:35am







HEATH MOUNT PRIMARY SCHOOL ACADEMIC CALENDAR 2025/2026





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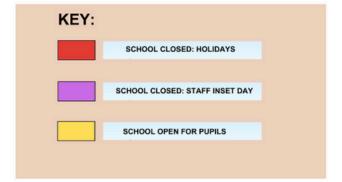
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The school will identify further Inset Days as required when the school will be closed to all pupils.

	Autumn Term 2025					
Staff Inset Day	Monday 1st September					
Staff Inset Day	Tuesday 2 nd September					
Pupils Return to School	Wednesday 3 rd September					
Half Term	Monday 27th October – Friday 31st October					
Pupils Return to School	Monday 3 rd November					
Christmas Break	Monday 22 nd December – Friday 2 nd January					
Spring Term 2026						
Pupils Return to School	Monday 5th January					
Half Term	Monday 16th February – Friday 20th February					
Pupils Return to School	Monday 23 rd February					
Easter Break	Monday 30th March – Friday 10th April					
	Summer Term 2026					
Pupils Return to School	Monday 13th April					
Half Term	Monday 25 th May – Friday 29 th May					
Pupils Return to School	Monday 1st June					
Last Day of Term	Friday 17 th July					



Well done to all the children who have been in school every day and on time. The classes with the highest attendance in each phase group last week are as follows; Attendance of the Week EYFS & Key Stage 1 97.8% RG Lower Key Stage 2 4A 98.4% Upper Key Stage 2 **6B** 97.5% Be an attendance HER Here Everyday Ready Ontime



- Reception Mahir and Sulayman
- Year 1 Zayd and Aya Rabwah and Ihsaan
- Year 2 Hosna and Khloe Arwa and Inaya
- Year 3 Salima and Mustafa Seynabou and Hayaah
- Year 4 Asya and Maira Yusuf and Ibrahim
- Year 5 Yusuf and Yahye
- Year 6 Yousef, Burhan, Rabia, Nevaeh, Amal and Durrah

PE TIMETABLE

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	Friday
Year 5	Class 1PB	Year 3	Year 4	Reception
Class 1B	Year 6	Class 2RZ	Class 2Z	
	PE/Swimming			





HERE IS A GLIMPSE OF WHAT OUR WONDERFUL CHILDREN AND STAFF GOT UP TO THIS WEEK!













- Reception had a fantastic time at Attwell Farm on Monday. They learnt all about the animals, fed them and even had the
 opportunity to visit the play area!
- Year 4 put on an exceptional end of year musical performance which was thoroughly enjoyed by everyone who attended.
- A group of our wonderful children visited the Birmingham Wildlife Conservation Park where they had the opportunity to meet the animals as well as enjoy some free time at the wonderful play area.
- Year 4 have been busy baking yummy cookies!
- A huge well done to The Heath Mount Olympics Team who who displayed outstanding teamwork and gamesmanship at he annual Excelsior Olympics Tournament which was held on Tuesday.
- Lastly, A huge thank you to all of the families, stall holders and staff who ensured that our summer fayre was a huge success. The sun was shining and everyone enjoyed themselves with plenty of ice cream and candy floss on offer!



Understanding Menopause

Free to all parents living in Birmingham

What will I learn?

- v to define menopause & perimenopause
- Signs & symptoms
- Lifestyle strategies
- How to talk about menopause
- Where to go for support

Heath Mount Primary, Knutsford Street, Balsall Heath, B12 9SR

Tuesday 15th July 2025 9.30am - 12.30pm



Scan OR code to register

For Further Info

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Selly Oak Families Early Help Team will be hosting a joint event with Groundworks Green Doctor and Brandwood Community Centre focusing on housing issues.

- · Repairs, mould and condensation
- Myth busting
- **Better understanding of Birmingham City Council** accommodation allocations process
- Who can support you in finding suitable accommodation?



Monday 14th July 2025 10:00am - 11:30am **Brandwood Community Centre** 157 Allens Croft Rd. B14 6RP

If you would like to attend please contact Brandwood Community Centre on 01214433310









Calthorpe Park, Edward Road, Balsall Heath, Balsall Heath, **B12 9LF**

Bug Safari



Tuesday 29th July 10-12 We're going on a bug hunt! What do you think we will find?

Nature Trail

Myth Busters



10-12 Get your thinking caps on. Can you tell the difference

Teddy Bears Picnic



Monday 11th August
10-12
Free scrapbook provided! 11,30-1,30 Draw pictures, write storie or create a collage from what you find! favourite toy and join us in the park as we eat lunch

Monday 25th August 10-12

Treemendous Trees

Join us as we delve into the

Scavenger Hunt

Tuesday 26th August 10-12 going on a so hunt!

discover? Booking essential! Each activity must be booked seperately. All children must be accompanied by a parent/guardian at all

Craft & Create

Tuesday 5th August

10-12 Lets get crafty! Materials

provided or bring something

Butterfly Trail

Monday 18th August

Join BOSE & Chris Milword

from Team4Nature as we go

in search of butterflies.

How many types will you

10-12

Email rebecca@bosf.org.uk



