CLASS NOTICES

Reading

Children need to bring in their reading diaries and books daily. Please ensure you have signed the reading diary to show that you have shared the book at home.

Books will be changed on Monday and collected in on a Friday. Reading for pleasure books will be changed once a week on a Friday.

PE- Wednesday

PE kits should be worn into school on PE days. Black shorts or trousers and a white/plain t-shirt is the expected PE kit. **No costume jewellery or earrings please.**

Note

Please continue to check Tapestry for any posts about your child's learning. There are regular weekly updates about what your child is learning in school.

As the weather gets cooler, please ensure that your child brings a coat and has wellington boots in school every day. .

Class Curriculum Information



HIGHLEES PRIMARY SCHOOL

Bringing out the Best



EYFS Autumn Term 2 2026





'What Makes our world sparkle?'

ENRICHMENT AREAS OF LEARNING

Phonics	This term in Phonics we will continue to learn 4 sounds each week. Please check your child's book bag so you know which new sound we have learnt and can practice at home. Children will access phonics as a whole class session each morning, with a second recap session in the afternoon focussed on blending and word building.
Literacy 	We will look at a range of key texts such as Simon The Sock, The Colour Monster and The Toys' Party. Within our sessions we will look at word building and building sentences, using a capital letter and full stop.
Maths 	In Maths we will be starting the White Rose Maths scheme; 'It's me 123' and 'Light and dark'. Maths will focus on numbers personal to us, recognising and representing numbers to 5 and careful counting and understanding of the composition of number. We will also look at a range of 2D shapes and will be printing with these.

ENRICHMENT AREAS OF LEARNING

Outdoor Learning 	We will be continuing to make observations of a specific tree area and continue to follow its journey over the academic year. As autumn has come late this year, we will continue to learn about Autumn and watch the leaves as they fall and how the weather changes and gets colder. We will be discovering ice and setting up lots of freezing and melting activities.
Topic/ Art/ music 	Within this theme, we will explore colour and how it makes us feel. In art, we will focus on painting, colour mixing, exploring painting and different painting techniques. We will look at the famous painters Kandinski & Mondrian. We will be reading the stories of Elmer and Simon the sock, we will be learning about similarities and differences between ourselves and others. In music we will be giving the children the opportunities to sing, dance and respond to music, art work and colours.
P.E. 	Our PE lessons will focus on how to move safely within the PE area and negotiate space, finding a space of my own. We will also be Explore moving different parts of the body, being able to move in different ways