



# Moorlands Primary School

High Expectations, High Achievements, Challenge and Enjoyment for All

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Dear Parents/Carers,

As we come to the end of the Spring term, it's hard to believe just how quickly the weeks have flown by. It has been an incredibly busy and memorable term, filled with wonderful learning, special events and lots of community spirit. This final week has certainly kept that momentum going.

On Monday, we hosted a football tournament here at Moorlands, followed by a fantastic PTA Easter Egg Bingo on Tuesday evening. A huge thank you to everyone who attended, donated eggs, and of course to our brilliant PTA for organising such a fun event. We also enjoyed welcoming families into school for the Reception parent assembly on Wednesday, with Year 1's assembly to follow tomorrow, alongside our Men Behaving Dadly session. This afternoon, our Community Committee worked hard to host a lovely Easter Community Café for older people in our community.

As we finish the term, we hope you all enjoy a relaxing Easter break with friends and family. We look forward to hearing all about your holidays when we return on Monday, 13th April.

## Earth Day Celebrations – Donations Needed!

The week beginning **20th April**, we will be celebrating **Earth Day** at Moorlands. As part of our activities, the Eco Team are keen to increase the amount of planting around school to help the environment and make our grounds even more beautiful.

We would be very grateful for any donations of **outdoor plants, bushes, bulbs, seeds or other suitable garden items** to support this project. Every contribution, big or small, will help our Eco Team transform the school grounds and create greener spaces for everyone to enjoy.

Thank you for your support in helping us make a positive difference to our environment.

## National Year of Reading

As you may be aware, this year is the National Year of Reading! At Moorlands, we *love* reading and are excited to help all children and families share in the joy of reading.

Did you know it's completely free to join Kirklees Libraries? With 24 libraries across Kirklees, it's easy to get started. Simply fill in a form, no ID needed—and you'll be ready to borrow books for up to 3 weeks. If no one else has requested your book, it will be automatically renewed, and there are no fines!



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You can also order books online to be delivered to your nearest library. Once you have your library card, you get free access to the Libby App, which offers digital and graphic novels, e-books, and audiobooks at no cost. The app even includes a dyslexia-friendly font.

Kirklees Libraries also offer an exciting programme for children called Library Adventures. This includes a booklet packed with reading challenges, colouring, quizzes, and more. Children receive a free booklet three times a year.

Why not join and visit your local library this Easter? Let's make reading a part of our year—together!

### **Year 3 Sponsored Zumba Fundraiser**

Well done to all our Year 3 children who took part in a sponsored 'seated Zumba' session on Thursday as part of their fundraising for their chosen charity, Friend to Friend. The children were joined by several Friend to Friend members—some in their 80s and 90s—who certainly put them through their paces!

Around 20 older people attend this twice-monthly exercise session in Holmfirth, and it was wonderful to see the different generations exercising and having fun together.

A huge thank you to everyone who has sponsored the children. Your support is greatly appreciated.



### **Reading Mornings – Year 1 and Year 2**

We would like to extend our thanks to all parents and carers who have joined us for our recent Reading Mornings and helped to promote a love of reading across the school. We are also grateful to the Year 5 pupils who kindly supported the sessions by reading with the younger children.

We are pleased to announce that, following the holiday, Reception parents will also be invited to take part in Reading Mornings alongside their child.

The next Reading Morning for Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 will take place on **Tuesday 14th April**, with subsequent sessions continuing every other week on 28th April and 12th May.

Please note the change of day to **Tuesday** mornings.

We look forward to welcoming you and appreciate your continued support in fostering a positive reading culture within our school community.

### **Farewell to Debbie – Happy Retirement!**

This week, we say a very fond farewell to Debbie from our catering team, who is retiring after many wonderful years at Moorlands. Debbie has been a much-loved part of school life, always bringing warmth, energy, and plenty of smiles to our dining hall.

She is especially known for her brilliant sense of humour and the joy she brought to both staff and pupils every day. We are incredibly grateful for the care and dedication she has shown to our children over the years. Debbie will be greatly missed, and we wish her a very happy, relaxing, and well-deserved retirement.

### Easter Egg Bingo – Thank You!

A huge thank you to everyone who joined us for our PTA Easter Egg Bingo last night. It was a fantastic evening and a great success, raising valuable funds to support curriculum enrichment across the school. We would also like to say a massive thank you to everyone who kindly donated Easter eggs on Monday, your generosity helped make the event possible.

And of course, a very special thank you to our wonderful PTA for organising the event. Their hard work and enthusiasm made the evening truly enjoyable for all. Overall, we raised an amazing **£1740!**

### ♥ Red Nose Day – Thank You! 😊

A huge thank you to everyone who donated to Red Nose Day on Friday. Through our non-uniform day and the generosity of our school community, we raised:

**£518.70**

Your kindness and contributions help support a brilliant cause, and we are incredibly grateful for your support.

### Attendance

Good attendance is essential for every child's progress and wellbeing. The **Attendance Ladder** shows the clear impact that different attendance levels can have over the year. Please take a moment to review it and look for the **full poster at the bottom of the newsletter**.

Everyday counts—thank you for supporting strong routines and helping your child make the most of every learning opportunity.

**Attendance Ladder**



### Arbor Feedback – We Need Your Help

We'd love to hear how you're finding Arbor so far. Please take a moment to complete our short feedback form so we can improve the system and support all families better.

Click here to complete the form: <https://forms.office.com/e/LHk5bQrmkY>

Thank you for your support!



## Shout Outs

Genevieve's classmates were wowed by her display of 9 medals won at the Barnsley Festival of Dance, held across two weekends in February. She was awarded a gold, six silvers and two bronze medals for her performances of Jack Frost and Russian Lullaby. She also shared her certificate and plaque from her recent exam grading – we are really proud of you Genevieve! A dance and gymnastics star!



Imogen had an incredible weekend at her very first dance competition, bringing home not one but two medals. She placed 4th in both her duet and her solo- an amazing achievement for her debut. Congratulations, Imogen!

A big congratulations to Max in 1P whose hard work paid off over the weekend when he achieved his Little Dragons Taekwondo black belt.



At the weekend, Grace (6S) and Lydia (6T) took part in a cheerleading competition in Coventry with their cheer team. They came 5th overall, with Grace and Lydia being the youngest members of the U14 team. Fantastic work girls!

Grace (4W) and India (5W) competed in a dance competition over the weekend with Fidget Feet. They got 1<sup>st</sup> place as part of their Secret Titans dance crew, Grace got 1<sup>st</sup> place in the Freestyle Solo for her age category, and both girls did their first duo together too and were absolutely fantastic.



Well done to Joel in 1P for becoming a published author!



Joel has been writing his own stories with his dad and those ideas have now evolved into a series of fully illustrated books. Joel has kindly donated some of his books to keep in the school library for children to read, and they are also available to purchase on Amazon. Well done Joel on the publishing your very first books!

Eva (4H) was invested into Cub Scouts this week. She had to learn the Cub Scout Promise and Law and is very excited to join her new Six. Well done Eva!

## Sports News

### Pokémon Cup – West Yorkshire Champions Compete in Liverpool!

On Thursday, our amazing Year 5/6 West Yorkshire Champions headed to Liverpool to represent Moorlands in the Pokémon Cup — and what a fantastic day it was! The team demonstrated brilliant skill, teamwork and resilience from start to finish.

A special highlight of the day was one of our players, Kai, being selected by Liverpool staff to receive a signed card from Liverpool's Dominik Szoboszlai in recognition of his outstanding attitude and talent — a truly memorable moment and thoroughly deserved.

We are incredibly proud of every member of both teams. You played with pride, passion and positivity, and represented Moorlands brilliantly.

### UTILITA Kids Cup – Finalists!

On Friday, our boys' football team travelled to Barnsley for the UTILITA Kids Cup and represented the school superbly. They showed exceptional sportsmanship, teamwork, and determination, reflecting all of our school values throughout the tournament.

After an outstanding run of performances, the team reached the final and narrowly missed out on the chance to represent Huddersfield Town at Wembley, losing in a tense penalty shoot-out. Although it was a heartbreaking finish, reaching the final is an incredible achievement and something the boys should be immensely proud of.

### Girls School League

Our Girls' Football Team started the week with an impressive performance in the School League Tournament walking away undefeated having only conceded 1 goal. The team showed excellent teamwork and resilience with an extra well done to Sofia (6T), who was named Player of the Tournament for her outstanding effort, determination, and sportsmanship throughout. Well done girls, we are incredibly proud of you!

### KS1 Football Round Robin

Our youngest footballers took part in a wonderful KS1 Round Robin event at Salendine Nook. It was especially lovely to see some of our younger pupils stepping confidently into sports leader roles, offering encouragement, support, and guidance to their teammates. Their enthusiasm and teamwork shone throughout the event, and they were a fantastic representation of Moorlands!

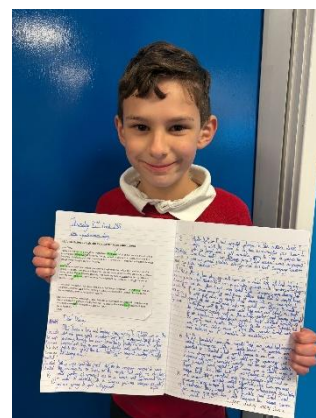
### Girls Pennine Sports Partnership Final

On Tuesday, our Girls' Team represented the school brilliantly at the Pennine Sports Partnership Finals held at Leeds Road. The team played four competitive fixtures, finishing with two draws and two narrow losses against strong opposition. Special recognition goes to Mya (6S) and Lyla (6T), who were awarded Players of the Tournament for their consistent effort, teamwork, and positive attitude. We are incredibly proud of the whole team for their perseverance and sportsmanship.

### **Moorlands Star Writer of the Week**

This week's Star Writer is Owen W in 4H for writing a fantastic diary entry in role as Oliver Twist. He captured Oliver's thoughts and feelings beautifully, showing a great understanding of the character's emotions and experiences the day he dared to ask for more! His creative writing was highly emotive, with well-punctuated speech, adventurous vocabulary, and rich, descriptive detail that made it feel as though the reader was truly seeing the world through Oliver's eyes. Well done, star writer!

All work chosen for Moorlands Star Writer of the Week will be shared on the school website and can be found under the 'Curriculum' tab on the website's main page. Be sure to keep checking our newsletter and website to see who will be the next Moorlands Star Writer!













## Behaving the Moorlands Way and Learner of the Week Awards

Each week, two special certificates are awarded in every class: Behaving the Moorlands Way and Learner of the Week. These awards are given to students who consistently demonstrate excellent behaviour and a fantastic attitude towards learning, always doing their best. We are thrilled to announce the recipients of this week's awards.

Class	Award winner		Class	Award winner		Class	Award winner	
	Behaving the Moorlands Way	Learner of the week		Behaving the Moorlands Way	Learner of the week		Behaving the Moorlands Way	Learner of the week
<b>DD</b>	Esther	Mason	<b>2S</b>	Elliot	Emily	<b>4H</b>	Caitlin	Sienna
<b>HH</b>	Colby	Grace	<b>2M</b>	River	Noor	<b>5W</b>	Athelia	Asriel
<b>SS</b>	Lottie	Gray	<b>3M</b>	Arielle	Elsie	<b>5G</b>	Saylor	Jacob
<b>1P</b>	Kinsley	Ahaan	<b>3HS</b>	Oscar	Marlee	<b>5F</b>	Aiden	Esme
<b>1K</b>	Elijah	Idrees	<b>3S</b>	Amelia	Albie	<b>6T</b>	Oliver	Isobella
<b>1SO</b>	Isla	Rosie	<b>4CM</b>	Anya	Joshua	<b>6C</b>	Mollie	George
<b>2J</b>	Oliver	Anav	<b>4W</b>	Hannah	Thea	<b>6S</b>	Miley	Isla

## Spelling Shed League -Year 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6

A big WELL DONE to our Spelling Shed league leaders for Spring B. The league for this half term was based on 'the number of games played'. Well done everyone!

Position		Name		Games Played
1		Jed	5W	185
2		Yahya	4H	168
3		Mohammad	3S	163
4		Frederick	1K	141
5		Riaan	4CM	140
6		Anna	5W	81
7		Cody	4H	74
8		Owen	4H	74
9		Lily	3HS	71
10		Willow	2S	69



## Keep up the hard work, Spelling Bees!

The next Spelling Shed league will begin on **13.04.26** and will be based on **'the number of points scored'**. Get playing for your chance to top the league and be named Spelling Bee Champion.

Enjoy and good luck!

Well done to this terms Spelling Bee Champions.

### Year 1

Harper, Ava, Amaya, Eabha, Bonnie, Orla, Freddie F, Jovan, Aleyah and Charlotte.



### Year 2

Beatrix, Miah, Xander, Madison, Luke, Reuben, Will, Oakley, Grace, Alfie and Jack.



### Year 3

Eddie, Luna, Eesa, Ella, Rosie, Lily, Aazil, Toby, Finley, Ridha, Jesse, Joseph, Ariana, Sofia, Aashir and Roman.



### Year 4

Blake, Tilly, Sammy, Leo D, George S, Sanuthi, Alexander, Saoirse, Riaan, Owen W, Sienna H, Xavier, Yahya and Rijul.



### Year 5

Henry S, Millie, Olivia and Asriel



## Year 6

Ryder, Eleanor, Isabella, Giovanna, Lydia, Maryam, Olivia D, Frankie, Jacob, Kai T, Remae, Amber, Aiza, Aaniyah, George and Willow.



## Dates for Your Diary

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March

Year 1 Men Behaving Dadly

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March

Yr.1 Parent assembly 9:10am

Friday 27<sup>th</sup> March

Break up for the Easter Holidays.

Monday 13<sup>th</sup> April

The start of the summer term

Tuesday 14<sup>th</sup> April

6S- Creative Unity event

Thursday 16<sup>th</sup> April

Year 1 Yorkshire Wildlife Park

Thursday 23<sup>rd</sup> April

Year Five meeting about the 2027 Residential

Monday 4<sup>th</sup> May

Bank holiday- school closed

Friday 8<sup>th</sup> May

Year 4- Yorkshire Sculpture Park Trip

W/C Monday 11<sup>th</sup> May

SATs week

Saturday 16<sup>th</sup> May

PTA Spring Fair 11am-3pm

Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May

Break up for the half-term holiday

Monday 1<sup>st</sup> June

Teacher Training Day- school closed

Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> June

School re-opens

Wednesday 3 <sup>rd</sup> -Friday 5 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 6 YMCA Lakeside residential
Thursday 11 <sup>th</sup> June	International Day of Play- Parent play assembly and play event (more information to follow)
15 <sup>th</sup> -17 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 4 Cliffe House Residential (Trip 1)
Thursday 18 <sup>th</sup> June	KS2 Race Day
Friday 19 <sup>th</sup> June	KS1 Race Day
22 <sup>nd</sup> -24 <sup>th</sup> June	Year 4 Cliffe House Residential (Trip 2)
6 <sup>th</sup> -8 <sup>th</sup> July	Salendine Nook Transition days
Wednesday 8 <sup>th</sup> July	Moorlands Transition Day
Tuesday 14 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Leavers Concert
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	Reception Graduation 9.10am
Friday 17 <sup>th</sup> July	Year 6 Leavers Assembly 2.15pm

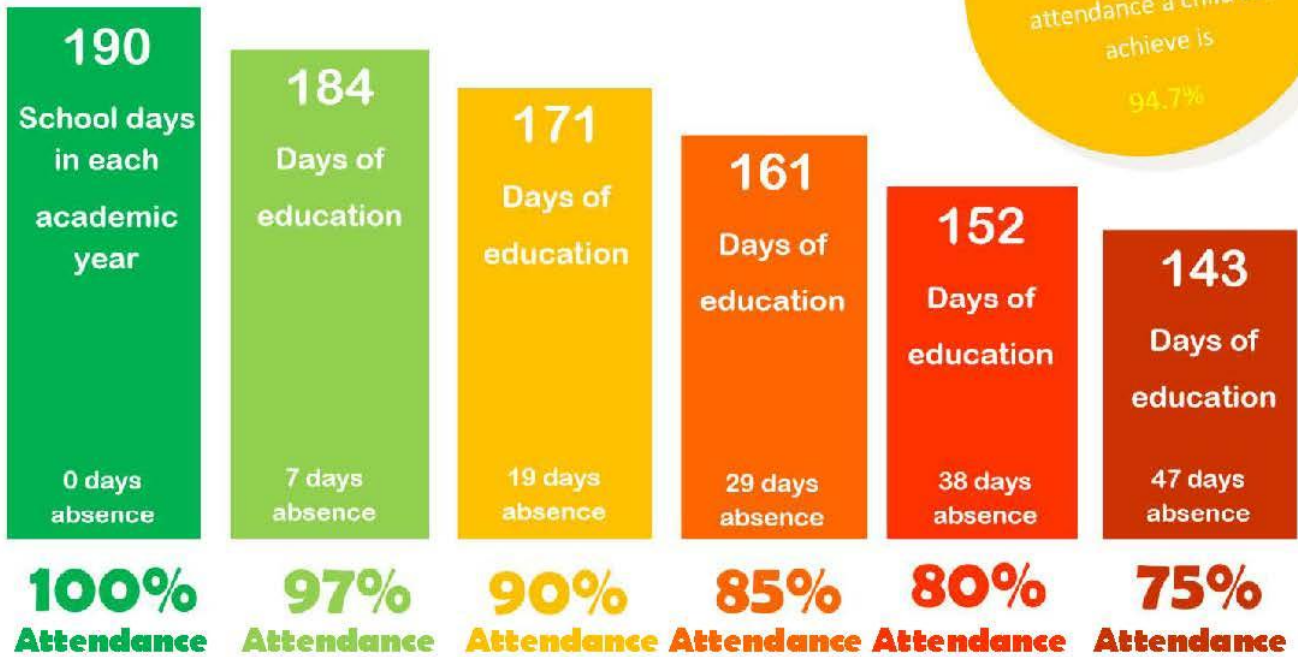


# Good Attendance Means ...

Being in school at least 97% of the time or 184 to 190 days

## Remember

Did you know?  
A two week holiday in term time means that the highest attendance a child can achieve is 94.7%



Well Done	I'm Concerned	Seriously worried
A good attendance gives you the best chance of success	A poor attendance gives you less chance of success	Very poor attendance has a serious impact and reduces life chances

There are **365** Days in a calendar year

**175** Days Are NOT spent at school\*

\*So there's plenty of time for shopping, holidays and appointments!

### Did you know?

#### When pupils attend school they:

- ✓ Can achieve their full potential
- ✓ Have better career prospects
- ✓ Learn how to look after themselves and be healthy
- ✓ Grow in confidence
- ✓ Keep up with work and home work
- ✓ Make new friends

@MoorlandsHudds and visiting our school website: [www.moorlandsprimary.org.uk](http://www.moorlandsprimary.org.uk).

We regularly share:

- 📢 Important school announcements
- 📷 Photos and highlights from school events
- 🎉 Student achievements and celebrations
- 📅 Key dates and reminders for parents & carers.

As always, we have an **open-door policy** – if there's anything you'd like to discuss, please don't hesitate to reach out. We value our school community and are always here to support you!

 <p><b>Huddersfield Town Foundation</b> The Club's Official Charity</p> <h2>EASTER FOOTBALL CAMP</h2> <p>TAKE YOUR FOOTBALL TO THE NEXT LEVEL FOR CHILDREN AGED 5-11</p> <p><b>WEEK 1</b> 31<sup>ST</sup> MARCH - 2<sup>ND</sup> APRIL</p> <p><b>WEEK 2</b> 7<sup>TH</sup> - 10<sup>TH</sup> APRIL</p> <p>9:30AM - 3PM LEEDS ROAD SPORTS COMPLEX, HD2 1YY</p> <p>ALL HUDDERSFIELD TOWN FOUNDATION COACHES ARE FA/UEFA QUALIFIED AND HOLD UP TO DATE SAFEGUARDING &amp; FIRST AID QUALIFICATIONS</p> <p>FOR ANY QUERIES: EMAIL <a href="mailto:HELP@HTAFCFOUNDATION.COM">HELP@HTAFCFOUNDATION.COM</a> CALL 01484 503 773</p> <p><b>SCAN THE QR CODE AND BOOK YOUR PLACE ONLINE NOW!</b></p> 	  	 <p><b>Huddersfield Town Foundation</b> The Club's Official Charity</p> <h2>GIRLS EASTER CAMP</h2> <p>TAKE YOUR FOOTBALL TO THE NEXT LEVEL</p> <p><b>WEEK 1</b> FOR CHILDREN AGED 7-11 1<sup>ST</sup> &amp; 2<sup>ND</sup> APRIL 9:30AM - 3PM LEEDS ROAD SPORTS COMPLEX, HD2 1YY</p> <p><b>WEEK 2</b> FOR CHILDREN AGED 7-13 9<sup>TH</sup> &amp; 10<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 9:30AM - 3PM LEPTON HIGHLANDERS, HD8 0LX</p> <p>ALL HUDDERSFIELD TOWN FOUNDATION COACHES ARE FA/UEFA QUALIFIED AND HOLD UP TO DATE SAFEGUARDING &amp; FIRST AID QUALIFICATIONS</p> <p>FOR ANY QUERIES: EMAIL <a href="mailto:HELP@HTAFCFOUNDATION.COM">HELP@HTAFCFOUNDATION.COM</a> CALL 01484 503 773</p> <p><b>SCAN THE QR CODE AND BOOK YOUR PLACE ONLINE NOW!</b></p> 	  
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JOIN US FOR AN  
**Easter Egg Trail**  
**FREE ADMISSION**  
 Saturday 4th April  
 10am - 4.30pm  
 Slaithwaite Civic Hall  
 Market Stalls & Crafts in the Hall  
**See you there!**  
 Stall Holders Required  
 To book a stall:  
[LittleSeedlingsEvents@protonmail.com](mailto:LittleSeedlingsEvents@protonmail.com)  
 or Contact: 07554283672



**Giants vs Knights**  
 Accu Stadium - 4/4/26 - 3pm  
 BETFRED SUPER LEAGUE  
 GIANTS UNLEASHED

**SCHOOL TICKET OFFER**  
**ADULTS - £15**  
**JUNIORS - FREE**  
 Support the **GIANTS** and support your **SCHOOL** in the process



When purchasing your tickets please make sure to select 'School Adult' and 'School Jnr'



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**FRIENDS**  
**LET'S TALK ABOUT MENTAL HEALTH**

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 Meeting point - Moorlands School Outdoor Library  
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No dogs please



# What Parents & Educators Need to Know about ONLINE TRENDS ENCOURAGING VIOLENCE

7 out of 10 teens report seeing violent content on social media, with over half of that content featuring fights involving young people. Most don't 'seek' it but are shown it through social media feeds or messaging groups. 91% of young people involved in violence have seen violent social media content. Viral trends, challenges, or 'wars' that are spread online risk encouraging violence offline, while real-world incidents may also be recorded and promoted online.

## WHAT ARE THE RISKS?

### ALGORITHMIC EXPOSURE

Social media platforms are designed to keep users engaged, meaning dramatic or extreme content can spread widely and quickly. Algorithms often recommend content that reflects users' past interactions. As a result, young people may see more violent material if they have viewed, commented on, or shared it before. Repeated exposure can make violent content appear frequently in their feeds without them fully understanding why.

### WEAPONS AND CRIMINAL RISK

Teens exposed to high levels of real-world violence on social media sometimes report feeling an increased need to carry a weapon for 'self-protection'; however, carrying a weapon increases the risk of victimisation (harm and injury by others) for young people. In addition, carrying a weapon is a serious offence that can lead to police arrest and a criminal record.

### SHARING VIOLENT CONTENT

Encouraging or assisting an offence is a crime in the UK, including via social media, and can lead to arrest. This means sharing, forwarding, or reposting violent content carries a risk for young people too. Showing examples of content to a trusted adult is appropriate, but young people should take care not to further spread violent material by posting it online or sharing it within large messaging groups.

### FEAR, ANXIETY, AND MARGINALISATION

Research shows young people's emotional wellbeing can be negatively impacted by repeated exposure to violent online content, especially when it depicts 'real-world' violence (as opposed to fictional depictions in games or films). Posts featuring weapons, threats, attacks, and fights – or content that appears to glamorise gang activity – can increase feelings of anxiety or fear among young people. Material that encourages violence targeting people because of their identity, such as their nationality or religion, can also create disproportionate harm for children belonging to those groups.

### AVOIDANCE AND ISOLATION

Real-world violence on social media can increase young people's belief that their local communities – or the 'outside world' more generally – are unsafe places. This can result in avoidant and isolating behaviours, which may negatively affect their wellbeing. As well as feeling fearful of others, teens also report feeling judged for spending time together in large groups, which may affect their social interactions and leisure time.

## Advice for Parents & Educators

### STAY INFORMED

Stay alert for updates from police, schools, or local authorities, and follow the advice provided. Be cautious about unofficial accounts, fake content, and misinformation, which can spread quickly online or in chat groups. Ensure you get accurate information from trusted sources and encourage young people to do the same. Remind them never to share violent content online and to speak to a trusted adult instead.

### DISCUSS SOCIAL MEDIA

Encourage young people to talk about the content they see online and the effect it can have. This can be an opportunity to discuss topics such as misinformation, AI-generated material, the attention economy, and algorithms, helping them understand how and why extreme content can spread online. Explore tools available to block, report, and remove harmful content, and signpost where to get support and advice, such as [reportharmfulcontent.com](http://reportharmfulcontent.com).

### TALK CRIME AND SAFETY

In most of the UK, the age of criminal responsibility is 10 (12 in Scotland). This means there can be serious criminal consequences for carrying a weapon, taking part in violence, or filming or sharing violent content. Discuss the law with young people alongside practical safety strategies. Ask questions such as: "What could you do if you feel unsafe?" Work together on action plans and remind them they can contact a trusted adult or the police if they witness or experience violence.

### ENCOURAGE POSITIVE ACTION

Focus on strengthening young people's positive experiences both online and within their local communities. Discuss strategies to reduce negative social media effects, such as time limits, unfollowing certain accounts, or taking breaks from apps. Encourage offline activities such as spending time with friends, visiting local places, and taking part in hobbies that bring them joy, purpose, and connection. Remind them they can seek support with any concerns at any time via [childline.org.uk](http://childline.org.uk).

### Meet Our Expert

Dr. Holly Powell-Jones is the founder of Online Media Law UK and a leading UK expert in media law, online safety, and young people. Her PhD investigates youth understandings of criminal and legal risks in a digital context. She works in schools to provide award-winning education on the criminal, legal, and ethical considerations of rapidly advancing technologies.



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# EASTER DEVELOPMENT CAMP

School years 8-11





**Weds 8th April**  
**10am - 4pm**  
**Huddersfield New College**

HCJNC will be running their annual Easter camps this April. The development camp is open to everyone, from beginners through to experienced netballers. You don't have to be a member of our club to attend, everyone is welcome!

**£25**

 @huddsgiantsnetball  
  @NetballGiants  
  Huddersfield Giants Netball Club

Contact [hgjncfreya@gmail.com](mailto:hgjncfreya@gmail.com) to book your place!



We love to do crafts and baking but also do outdoor activities like scavenger hunts and orienteering. We also do lots of educational activities as well so we keep a nice balance of fun and learning!  
 1st Outlane Brownies

## Brownies

1st Outlane Brownies

We meet on school term Friday nights .  
 The cost/subscription for a half term is £14.50.

Girls have nonstop fun, learning and adventure  
 for ages 7 to 10

At Brownies, we welcome all girls to explore their creative side, get out into the great outdoors and start to learn to look after themselves, others and the world we live in.



Girlguiding  
 Registered charity number 306016

Join your local Brownie Unit today!  
 Contact us for further information at:  
[Outlane.Brownies@gmail.com](mailto:Outlane.Brownies@gmail.com)

## OUTLANE CRICKET CLUB



### U13S GIRLS PLAYERS WANTED!

Join the current League **CHAMPIONS!**

- Our U13s Girls team play on Sunday mornings
- Winter training will be at the New Collage Sports Barn starting on the 25th February from 5:30pm - 7:00pm - £5 per session
- Summer training is on Friday Evenings at 6:30pm



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## OUTLANE CRICKET CLUB

### U9S PLAYERS WANTED!

Join the current Halifax Collinson Cup **CHAMPIONS!**

- Our U9s teams play on Thursday evenings and Sunday mornings
- Winter training will be at the Elms Tree of Life Centre starting on the 12<sup>th</sup> March from 6:00pm - 7:00pm - £5 per session
- Summer training is on Friday Evenings at 6:30pm




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Does your child want to...

# ACT, SING & DANCE?

COME ALONG TO OUR OPEN EVENING / DAY FOR THE CHANCE TO TAKE PART IN OUR NEXT PRODUCTION

MUSICAL THEATRE Tuesday 7th March 6pm - 7.30pm

STAGE SCHOOL Saturday 10th March 9.30am - 11am  
3-6 years

Saturday 10th March 9.45am - 1pm 7-18 years



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**FREE ENTRY**

# THE FAMILY ZONE

Free weekly advice & support session

TERM-TIME MONDAYS AT **THE ZONE** 1PM - 3PM

Every Monday during term time Home-Start Kirklees will be at The Zone to answer all your parenting questions whilst the children (under 5s only) play

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**NEW TIME**

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Kirklees

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**THE FAMILY ZONE**

A free family friendly space for parents and little ones  
Free weekly drop-in – come and join us

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We're here for friendly chats and helpful tips if you'd like them – no pressure, just support when you need it

Free, friendly, confidential information and advice for families  
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**HOME START**  
Kirklees

**WHO ARE HOME-START KIRKLEES?**

Home-Start Kirklees is a volunteer led organisation committed to the welfare of children and families. We offer emotional and practical support to local families in Kirklees with children from birth, right up to their first term of school.

Home-Start's staff and trained volunteers work alongside families to give non-judgmental, compassionate and confidential support.

We help families gain confidence and provide the tools and support needed to ensure families achieve positive outcomes.

**WANT TO KNOW MORE?**

**f @hskirklees**

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Registered charity number: 1099770

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School Years 5 or 6 Saturday 11:45 to 12:40 Both Boys and Girls	School Years 7,8 or 9 Saturday 12:45 to 13:40 Boys only	School Years 7,8 or 9 Saturday 13:45 to 14:40 Girls only

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**LINDLEY SWIFTS U8s**  
(CURRENT SCHOOL YEAR 3)

**NEW PLAYERS WANTED!**

**FREE SKILLS SESSIONS EVERY SUNDAY**  
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**JOIN IN THE FUN!**  
ALL NEW PLAYERS WELCOME - NO EXPERIENCE NECESSARY

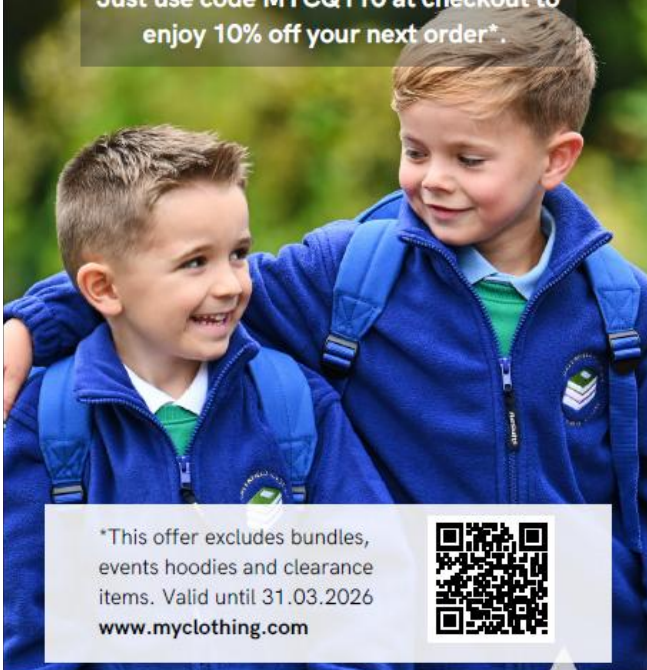
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# RUGBY LEAGUE U7'S (SCHOOL YEAR 2) ARE RECRUITING

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## EASTER HOLIDAY FOOTBALL CAMP

MONDAY 30TH MARCH  
TUESDAY 31ST MARCH  
WEDNESDAY 1ST APRIL

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10:00AM - 3:00PM



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## **SCHOOL HOLIDAY FOOTBALL FUN CAMP**

**AT COLNE VALLEY HIGH SCHOOL**

GILLROYD LANE, LINTHWAITE, HUDDERSFIELD, HD7 5SP

**TUESDAY 7<sup>TH</sup> – FRIDAY 10<sup>TH</sup> APRIL 2026**

10:00am – 3:00pm (FOR BOYS AND GIRLS AGES 4 -14)



Dear Parents,

I am pleased to inform you that following the outstanding success of previous courses and the weekly coaching sessions, we are organising the April 2026 football fun camp.

The children will be coached by CRB POLICE CHECKED and F.A. QUALIFIED COACHES INCLUDING EX-PROFESSIONAL FOOTBALLERS who are used to working with and bringing the best out in children. The coaches will develop self-confidence and self esteem through encouragement and positive reinforcements. **FOOTBALL IS NOT JUST FOR THE STAR PLAYERS!**

The camp is tightly structured with the players fully supervised at all times. All children are catered for from the absolute beginner to the more experienced players. Players are grouped together according to age, ability and experience. We have fantastic facilities including the indoor sports hall and outdoor 3-G pitch.

The camp is for 4 days from 10:00am – 3:00pm with lunch from 12:15 – 1:00pm where the children can eat a packed lunch brought from home. The camp is fully supervised so children may be left in our care, however parents are welcome to stay and watch if they wish to. On Friday at 2:00pm there is a presentation when parents and friends are most encouraged to come and see the players receive their awards.

The cost of the camp is £80 (We also offer £20 DISCOUNT (£60) for the second and subsequent children in the same family, which covers all coaching, referees, trophies, certificates and many other awards presented. Single days will be charged at £25 per day if a child is attending less than 4 days. **ALL CHILDREN ARE GUARANTEED TO RECEIVE AT LEAST ONE TROPHY AND CERTIFICATE.**

*Steven Nugent (Course Co-ordinator)*

**TO BOOK A PLACE PLEASE TEXT 'COLNE VALLEY CAMP'  
+ CHILD'S NAME + AGE to 07846 770 250**

(YOU WILL RECEIVE CONFIRMATION BY TEXT THEN REGISTRATION AND PAYMENT IS MADE ON THE FIRST MORNING OF THE COURSE)