

The Humberston Church of England Primary School



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NEWSLETTER



Mini First Aid Workshops

Last week Mini First Aid Lincolnshire were in school to deliver First Aid Workshops to the children. The whole school took part over two days with sessions being targeted to each year group with appropriate activities relating to First Aid; the KS2 children learned about CPR; KS1 children look at how cutting up food properly can reduce the risk of choking; children were told about who to call in an emergency along with lots of other useful information. This was a practical, hands on experience for all of the children and one which has enabled them to gain valuable life skills. Well done!

Year 1 & 2 Planetarium visit in school

On Monday 20th October, as part of our topic 'Space' Class 2 and 3 had the pleasure of having a planetarium come and visit. The children were all amazed at the dome and the tunnel that they had to crawl through to get into the planetarium. The children found out lots of new facts about Space, including learning that if we were to go to Jupiter we would fall straight through because it is made of gas. We learnt about the different astronauts that have visited the Moon and when they visited it; we looked at the night sky and saw all of the stars and different constellations. The classes then had the opportunity to lie down and watch the night sky as they listened to a Space story. The children had a great time and loved finding out new facts but also sharing the facts that they had already learnt about Space. Well done children!

Shoebox Appeal

On Wednesday this week, a representative from the Shoebox Appeal attending our morning worship to talk to children about how the Shoebox Appeal helps children all over the world who are living in poverty and are less fortunate. The children have all been given a leaflet explaining the aims of the appeal and how to put together a shoebox for a child. Once your box is complete, please bring it back in to school by Friday 21st November 2025. Thank you in advance for your generosity.

Secondary School Applications

At the beginning of the academic year a letter was sent to all Year 6 pupils explaining the transfer from Primary to Secondary School process. For those parents of Year 6 pupils who have not yet applied, the closing date for application is **31st October 2025**. You can apply through the online portal (see NELC website) or via a paper form. If you are experiencing any problems with applying or need impartial advice, please contact the NELC School Admissions Team asap.

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Scooters / Bikes on School Premises

In line with our school rules, can parents please ensure that children do not ride scooters or bikes once inside the school grounds. Whilst we actively encourage children to keep fit and healthy by coming to school on their scooters and bikes, riding them in the school grounds when parents, guardians and siblings are moving around the area is becoming increasingly dangerous. To ensure everyone's safety, we have introduced a 'three strike rule', if a child is found to be riding their scooter or bike on the school premises they will be given a warning, on the third occasion a letter will be sent home informing parents that for the remainder of that term the child will not be allowed to bring the scooter/bike into school. We sincerely hope that this will not have to be enforced, however to ensure others safety we will be implementing this policy after half term. Thank you for your support.

Early Years Foundation Stage Open Evening

We will be holding an opening evening for children starting school for the first time in September 2026 and invite you to join us on Monday 10th November 2025 at 4.00pm in the school hall.

Our School Vision

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Academic Year 2025-26

Monday 3rd November 2025 – 9.00am School reopens

Wednesday 5th November 2025 – Year 5&6 Athletics competition

Monday 10th November 2025 – Odd Socks Day

Friday 14th November 2025 – Children in Need Day (details to follow)

Tuesday 18th November 2025 – 9.00am Class 1 Church Worship at St. Peters Church (Class 1 parents welcome)

Monday 24th November 2025 – 9.00am Class 4 Worship in School (Class 4 parents welcome)

Wednesday 10th December 2025 – School Christmas Dinner Day (ordered via ParentPay)

Friday 12th December 2025 – pm Year 5 & 6 Christmas Concert

Monday 15th December 2025 – pm Foundation Stage, Year 1 and Year 2 Christmas Concert

Tuesday 16th December 2025 – pm Year 3 & 4 Christmas Concert

Wednesday 17th December 2025 – pm Christmas Panto Performance

Thursday 18th December 2025 – am Christingle Church Service at St. Peter's Church (due to space parents are unable to attend)

Thursday 18th December 2025 – pm Class Christmas Parties

Friday 19th December 2025 – 1.30pm School Closes for Christmas break

Tuesday 6th January 2026 – 9.00am School reopens

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