

The Humberston Church of England Primary School



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NEWSLETTER

Parent Survey

Please could we ask all parents to take a moment to complete the very short parent survey online by scanning the QR code. We would love to hear from you regarding what you feel is working well in school and what could be better. We are aiming for as many responses as possible to ensure your views are heard and it should only take a few minutes to complete. This will help us to provide the very best service we can to you and your family. The survey will end on the last day of term before we break for Christmas. Many thanks for your time in advance.



Class 4 Worship – Monday 24th November 2025

A reminder to parents of children in class 4, you are invited to a special worship on Monday 24th November to close this term's Christian value, Courage. Please enter through the main office at 9.00am once you have dropped your children off at their classroom. We look forward to seeing you.

Shoebox Appeal - Reminder

We have extended the collection date for the Shoebox Appeal to give you all a little more time to get your boxes in to school! The Shoebox Appeal helps children all over the world who are living in poverty and are less fortunate, if you need a leaflet/label, they are available from the school office. Please bring your boxes in to school by Wednesday 26th November. Thank you.

Year 5 & 6 Athletics Competition

On the 5th November, a group of Year 5/6 children competed against other local primary schools in an athletics event. The children competed in a variety of field and track events including relay and speed bounce. The children represented our school excellently, showing brilliant communication and teamwork skills. Well done Year 5/6.



Remembrance Service

The pupils and staff joined together on Tuesday 11th November for our annual Remembrance Service to remember those who died during wartime. During the service each class laid a poppy wreath which had been made by the children and then reflected on the bravery of those who have fought for their country and

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lost their lives and why they should be remembered.

Athlete Sponsor Event

On Wednesday 12th November, we were lucky enough to have Sean Gaffney, a top performing athlete, visit our school for a sponsored fitness circuit. The aim of the event was to inspire our children to be more physically active, but just as importantly, encourage them to discover and pursue their passion in life. The event connected the children to an extraordinary athlete role model and will help to raise money for new sports equipment in school, as well as supporting both athletes and para-athletes, so that they can continue to inspire the next generation.

KS1 Dance Festival

Last Friday, Year 2 were invited to take part in a Dance Festival at Clee Fields Sports Hall along with other schools within the local community. The children were taught 3 different dances from ballet, street dance to rockabilly. They learnt lots of new moves and worked together to create a dance routine to perform to the other schools attending the event. The children worked with partners to learn a rockabilly dance, which was lots of fun! Everyone listened to the instructions so well and gave 100% in every routine and showed great courage when performing. The staff and children all had a great time and the children should be very proud of themselves. Well done Year 2!

Foundation Stage Visit to St. Peter's Church

Class 1 and their families enjoyed attending our Early Years Welcome Service at the church this week. It was a lovely event, in which our youngest pupils were welcomed into our church school family. Children from Year 6 came along to share their favourite things about our school and also wrote letters and poems to our EYFS children. All children in class 1 confidently shared their favourite things about school so far and it was so lovely to celebrate together by singing one of our favourite worship songs. Each child in class 1 received a certificate and candle. It was a service enjoyed by all and a big thank you to all the parents who joined in the service with us.

Our School Vision

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Academic Year 2025-26

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

Tuesday 9th December 2025 – 3.30pm Foundation Stage and KS1 children's Christmas Film evening (details to follow)

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

Thursday 11th December 2025 – Save the Children Christmas Jumper Day

Thursday 11th December 2025 – 3.30pm KS2 children's Christmas Film evening (details to follow)

Friday 12th December 2025 – 2.15pm Year 5 & 6 Christmas Concert

Monday 15th December 2025 – 2.30pm Foundation Stage, Year 1 and Year 2 Christmas Concert

Tuesday 16th December 2025 – 2.15pm 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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