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Dear parents and carers,

I have collated some information / reminders below which I hope you find useful.

National Online Safety

'Wake Up Wednesday' guides for parents and schools are available on our website [click here](#)

Hipsburn Parent Questionnaire (Reception to Y6)

Thank you to those parents who have completed our Parent Questionnaire. If you haven't and would like to do so, there is still time as the deadline is Tuesday 3rd March [Click here](#).

We are asking parents to complete this questionnaire to help us understand families' experiences of Hipsburn Primary School. Your feedback will help us identify what is working well and where improvements could be made to better support your children.

We understand that you lead very busy lives but we would be very grateful if you could take the time to complete this. All responses are anonymous.

Crew Reward

Congratulations to South Crew, who won the most jewels for their good manners, hard work and good attitude last half term. They achieved a grand total of 482 jewels.

All children in South Crew will be able to come to school in non-uniform on Friday 13th February. Well done, South Crew!

Hipsburn PTA

Please see flyer attached

Assembly Focus

Assembly is a wonderful time to come together as a whole school to share and discuss a wide range of topics.

Last week Dunstanburgh Class shared their Ancient Egypt assembly to their parents and to the whole school. Who would think there could be a song about mummification? All of the children had speaking parts and tried really hard to share lots of facts about the ancient world. This week was the turn of Alnwick Class to share their topic with all their families and the whole school. They have been learning about dinosaurs. Their art work and clay models were amazing! Well done to both classes.

This week we have had Ignite (a locally based Christian organisation) who visit our school once a month. Our visitors dressed up (as well as some of our children) to act out the story about "Let the Little Children Come to Me." This story addressed the wider values that we think about a lot in school around kindness and trust.

This week is "Mental Health Week 2026" and the theme for our assembly is "This is my place"





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which is based around belonging and how we can feel a sense of belonging and at the same time helping others feel like they belong. The school has used the resources from Place2Be to support this assembly.

Fabric Wanted

Fashion and sewing club have now moved on to making bags, full size items of clothing, other larger pieces and are running low on fabric. If you have any unwanted fabric, ribbon, buttons, thread reels or other haberdashery items we would be very grateful for them. Please leave at the office or drop off with Mrs Smith any time.

Signposting

February half term tennis - flyer attached

Family Hubs - What's on for Early Years during the February half term - flyer attached

Kind regards,
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