



Holley Park Academy

Ayton Road, Oxclose, Washington, NE38 0LR

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Facebook Page

Dear Parents and Carers,

At Holley Park Academy, we are committed to improving communication with our school community and we are delighted to launch our new Facebook page as an additional way to get important information out to you and to celebrate the amazing things happening at Holley Park. We are very much looking forward to using Facebook as an additional tool to enhance our school to home communication.

Through our school Facebook page, we will be able to share photographs, videos and messages/reminders. If you do not have a Facebook account, you will still be able to see the things we post via our school website. As a Facebook user, if you 'follow' our page our posts should appear in your news feed. The school page will be for information only. Please do not use the Facebook page to ask questions or form a discussion about a particular topic. All questions should be directed to the school office.

In addition to our Facebook page, we will be continuing to run our school website in the same manner as before. Our website can be found using this link: [Holley Park Academy - Home](http://www.holleyparkacademy.co.uk)

Online Safety

We will be using photographs and videos to celebrate our children's achievements much in the same way as we currently do on our school website. You have previously been sent a link to a photo permission survey via Microsoft Forms. Many thanks for your cooperation in completing the survey. The use of images is carefully considered and of course, photographs of your child will not be published if you have not given school permission to do so; school staff will check all our images before they are uploaded to ensure only children whose parents have given permission for their image to be used are shown. In line with our online-safety policy, full names and other personal information will not be used with an image; may we respectfully ask that parents/carers also refrain from sharing any personal information on the page.

At Holley Park, we are committed to promoting the safe and responsible use of the Internet and as such we feel it is our responsibility to remind you that the permitted minimum age to use/set up a Facebook account is 13 years old, according to the site's terms and conditions. Therefore, we would like to stress that we are not condoning the creation of Facebook accounts for any of our pupils.

We are looking forward to celebrating the wonderful things that are happening around our school.

Our Facebook page is now live!

<https://www.facebook.com/profile.php?id=61559093361835>

Thank you for your continued support.

With best wishes,

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