



**HURSTHEAD
INFANT SCHOOL
PARENT/STAFF ASSOCIATION
Charity Reg. No 1043714**

A huge PSA welcome to the Hursthead family!

As the new academic year begins, we are delighted to welcome everyone back into our wonderful school. We hope that the children are enjoying their first few weeks and that you are all getting used to the school routine. Thank you to all the new reception parents who came to the coffee morning. It was lovely to meet you.

The PSA is made up of a group of volunteers who give their time to help raise funds to support the learning opportunities of our children. Every pupil who attends Hursthead will benefit from the money raised through these events and activities. Monies raised have been used to help fund the opportunity for the children to learn French, replenish reading books, educational visitors to school and This year, Hursthead Infant School will be fundraising to help develop our Reception outdoor provision. We want to ensure that our children can learn just as easily outside, as they can inside! We will be trying our best to access available funding, and we need your help! Whether that is through fundraising events, donations, ideas, or knowledge of funding streams that may be able to help....let's all come together to develop our lovely school into the best learning space it can be!

Our first PSA meeting will be held on **Thursday 22nd September at 6.30pm in the school staff room** and everyone is welcome to attend. We always welcome help and support so if you ever feel you can offer some time to support our fundraising efforts, in any shape or form, please let us know. Many hands make light work!

Other dates for your diary are:

Tuck shop - 30th Sept, 21st Oct

Pre loved Uniform collection - Friday 23rd September

#HelloYellow World Mental Health Day - 10th October

Childrens Discos - Wednesday 19th October

We are also planning family portrait photos, Bingo, Christmas cards (yes, we are already thinking of Christmas!) and the Christmas Fair.

Young Minds is a charity that believes that no young people should feel alone with their mental health. People come together to celebrate **#HelloYellow** on Monday 10th October to show young people how they feel matters, and help create a future where all young people get the mental health support they need. Hursthead Infant School is proud to support this year's World Mental Health Day. Children can come to school on the 10th October in non-uniform and instead wear an outfit that makes them happy, which includes yellow! Children may wish to wear all yellow, or they may want to sport a token bow or even socks!! We suggest a donation of £1 per family. You can read more about The Young Minds Charity and their programmes here: [YoungMinds | Mental Health Charity For Children And Young People | YoungMinds](#)

To keep you informed of events and activities, we will use our army of fabulous class reps (and their trusty class Whatsapp groups) as well as the Hursthead Infant PSA Facebook page and the PSA noticeboard in the playground (on the wall between classrooms 7 and 6). If you would like to get in touch with us, please use Facebook, our email (hurstheadinfantpsa@gmail.com) or message us directly.

Thank you in advance for your support over the coming year and we hope this year will be as successful as the last. Natalie Jones (Chair), Laura Scott (Vice Chair) and the PSA Committee