

Hadleigh Infants and Nursery School Newsletter No 26 - 21 April 2023

Message from Mrs Fynn

It has been lovely to welcome all of the children back after their break from school, they have returned with an impressive level of enthusiasm and are straight back in to the swing of things. The Summer term is always a busy one, and the extra Bank Holiday and the Coronation events will add to this. Miss Hoath and Mrs Huggett have been working hard to ensure that the children have a fun and memorable day - more about this to follow...

This term we will be continuing our work on Growth Mindset; this week the children spoke in assembly with Mrs Strickland about the Power of Mistakes. We agreed that it's very difficult trying to be right all of the time and that we do some of our best learning through

making mistakes and learning from them.

Last term, I explained that the children have been learning a new word each week to build their vocabulary around learning. They should be able to tell you the word, what it means and use it in a sentence. Years 1 and 2 should also be able to tell you the word category (e.g. verb, noun etc) and spell the word. I have added a new section to the newsletter to share the Word of the Week with you so that you can discuss this with your child.

Finally, thank you to all of the Parents/ Carers who attended a meeting with your child's class teacher this week. It's a brilliant opportunity to share successes and next steps for learning. It's vital that we all work in partnership to ensure that your child meets their full potential.





Nursery - Mix

Reception - Remember

Year 1 - Sort

Year 2 - Order

E-Safetv:

We are aware that some children are accessing Rainbow Friends which is part of the Roblox platform. It is a multi-play horror experience with no age rating, it involves the characters kidnapping and harming children. Some children are talking about this game in school which is not appropriate and may be distressing for others. If your child has accessed this game at home or seen clips on YouTube, please could you remind them that it is not appropriate to discuss this at school. If your child is worried about anything that they have seen online, please remind them they can share any worries with school staff. Please ensure that your child's online use is closely monitored as things often manage to slip through any filters that you may have set.

PA News:

We have lots of exciting events coming up in the next few months, Spring Disco, Quiz night, Summer Fun day to name a few! However without parents involvement these would not be able to run. You can get involved as much or as little as you wish whether it is in pre-event planning or on the day support. If you would like to join or just find out more about the things we do, please come along to our next meeting / coffee morning on Friday 28th April or contact us by email hadleighinfantsandnurserypa@gmail.com

LUNCH MENU – WEEK COMMENCING 24 APRIL 2023

Monday - Beef or Plant Based Meatballs in Tomato Sauce served with Pasta, Carrot and Cucumber Sticks and Fruit Platter

Tuesday - Picnic Day - Ham, Cheese or Tuna Baguette served with Pasta Salad or Jacket Potato with Cheese, Tuna or Beans and Cook's Choice of Homemade Biscuit

Wednesday - Mrs Barnard's Sausage or Vegetarian Roll served with Seasoned Wedges, Peas and Sweetcorn and Frozen Mousse

Thursday - Chicken and Broccoli Pasta served with Carrots or Jacket Potato with Tuna or Cheese and Jelly

Friday - Breaded Fish Fillet or Frittata with Chips and Baked Beans and Cook's Choice of Homemade **Biscuit or Cake**



Spring Fling School Disco - this exciting event will now be held on Thursday 11th May. Booking and payment information will be sent out next week.





<u>Dates for your Diary -</u> please note that details for some dates is not yet available and will be added to the Newsletter in due course. 28th April - PA Coffee Morning

4th May - Don Sheppard Charity Day

5th May - King Charles III Coronation Celebrations - Non-uniform day - wear red, white and blue

11th May - Spring Fling Disco

12th May - Class Photos

26th May - Sports Day and Picnic lunch

9th June - PA Quiz Night

16th June - Summer Fayre

19th June - Zoo Event

5th July - Summer Games

10th July - HINS Local Charity Day

19th & 20th July - Leavers Assembly

21st July - Commendation Assembly

Coronation Celebrations - we are currently in the process of planning the joint HINS and HJS Coronation celebrations that will take place in School on Friday 5th May. A special picnic lunch, games, red, white & blue themed nonuniform day and the best home made crown competition are just a few of the exciting things arranged for the day. To help us prepare to make this a day to remember for all the children at HINS. we will be making decorations at school, however, would be really grateful if you have any Royal or Coronation decorations that you would like to donate to the School. These can be given to staff on the gate, class teachers or handed to Mrs Reader in the Office.

Holiday Dates -

May Day Bank Holiday - 1st May

Coronation Bank Holiday - 8th May

May Half Term - 29th May-2nd June 23rd & 26th June - Non-pupil Day

End of Summer Term - 21st July - School closes at 1.30pm



Achievers of the Week:

Explorers: Lewis

Stars: Charlie

Moons: Louie

Rockets: Louie M

Planets: Ruben

Astronauts: Ronnie

Flying Saucers: Phoenix

Galaxies: Eli

Asteroids: Gracie

Satellites: Joshua B

Attendance Heroes:

Planets: Jesse

Astronauts: Leo S

Flying Saucers: Billy

Galaxies: Leo C

Asteroids: Penelope

Satellites: Alexa

Class Attendance Award:

The best class for attendance this week was **Flying Saucers** with **97.5%** attendance. Well done to them! Unfortunately, 2 classes did not reach our 96% target:

Astronauts - 96.6%

Flying Saucers - 97.5%

Planets - 91.7%

Galaxies - 96.9%

Asteroids - 95.7%

Satellites - 96%

Our overall attendance was 95.7%

