



# Hadleigh Infants and Nursery School

## Newsletter No 4 - 30 September 2022

### Holiday Dates -

**October Half Term** - Monday 24 October - Friday 28 October 2022

**Last Day of Autumn Term** - Tuesday 20th December 2022.

**School closes at 1:30pm**

**Return to School** - Thursday 5th January 2023

**February Half Term** - Monday 13th February - Friday 17th February 2023

### Dates for your Diary -

17th-21st October - Conservation/Recycle Week

19th October - TeachRex - Thomas the Gorilla visit

31st October - National Magic Day

3rd November - Open Evening for 2023/24 intake 3:45pm-6pm.

8th and 10th November - Parent/Teacher Meetings

9th November - extra Nursery Parent/Teacher Meetings

11th November - Remembrance Day

14th November - Odd Socks Day

18th November - Children in Need Non-Uniform Day

21st November - World Cup Starts

21st November - Flu Immunisations—Electronic consent forms will be sent nearer the time.

23rd November - PE Character Event

7th December - Bedtime Stories

12-16 December - Performances and Christmas Dinner Week

### PA News:

Thank you to everyone who entered the 2022 Sunflower Challenge. The winners this year are:

Ethan P- Astronauts

Finlay M - Moons

Amelia E - Asteroids

Penny C - Juniors

Katie B - Juniors

Sadie M - Juniors

### Achievers of the Week -

**Explorers: Tommy G**

**Stars: Ida**

**Moons: Ivy W**

**Rockets: Oliver**

**Planets: Holly**

**Astronauts: Isabella**

**Flying Saucers: Max**

**Galaxies: Jude**

**Asteroids: Billie**

**Satellites: Violet**

### Attendance Heroes -

**Planets: Rosella**

**Astronauts: George**

**Flying Saucers: Lincoln**

**Galaxies: Buster**

**Asteroids: Matilda**

**Satellites: Maggie**

### LUNCH MENU – WEEK COMMENCING 3rd OCTOBER 2022

Monday – Cheese Pizza and Pasta Salad or Jacket Potato with Tuna Mayo or Cheese with Mixed Berries.

Tuesday – Beef Burger or Veggie Burger in a Bun, Pasta with Pesto and Salad with Jelly.

Wednesday – Roast Chicken or Herby Quorn Fillet with Roast Potatoes, Yorkshire Pudding, Carrots, Broccoli & Gravy with Ice Cream.

Thursday – All Day Breakfast - Sausage and Bacon or Vegetarian Sausage and Quorn Bacon, Hash Brown and Baked Beans with Chocolate Cake and Custard

Friday – Fish Finger Wrap or Veggie Finger Wrap, Chips, Peas and Sweetcorn with Melon and Pineapple

### News ...

We were delighted with the children's response to the Evergreen Proposal music workshop which Year 1 and Year 2 classes attended last Friday. Gennie and Greg kept the children enthralled throughout the session and followed up with a staff debriefing to help inspire our teaching further.

Thank you to all those parents who attended any of the six Parent Curriculum Meetings over the last two weeks. We hope you found the sessions informative. I aim to have all of the presentations, videos and resources on the parent's section of our website by early next week for those parents who missed the meetings or want to have another look.

**Next Thursday is Census Day**, this is the day when the number of pupils having a school lunch is recorded and reported. The number reported determines the school's funding for the following year. We would ask that all parents encourage their children to choose to have a school dinner, rather than bringing in a packed lunch from home. Thursday will be all day breakfast with chocolate cake and custard for desert. I would like to thank parents in advance for their support with this matter.

We hope you are enjoying the reading books and sharing books your child has brought home this week.

Now we are in the 'Living with COVID-19' stage and there are less restrictions in place I would like to ask parents to please be respectful of others if you have or suspect you may have COVID. Try to keep your distance from others on the school premises if you can't avoid collecting or dropping off your child. I have added the latest school guidance below and I have shared this with all staff and also mentioned it in the Curriculum Meetings for parents.

## **LIVING WITH COVID 19**

### **Children and staff**

Mild symptoms – runny nose, sore throat, slight cough – continue to attend school

Unwell and a high temperature – stay at home, return when no longer have a high temperature and feel well enough to return. (There is no requirement for you to take a test.)

### **Adults who test positive**

Stay at home for 5 days after the day that tested positive.

Return to work after that if feel well enough.

Avoid contact / take precautions around vulnerable people for 5 more days.

### **Children who test positive**

Stay at home for 3 days after the day that tested positive.

Return to school after that if feel well enough and have no high temperature.

Testing children with symptoms is not recommended.

### **General precautions**

Get vaccinated

Let fresh air in

Remember the basics of good hygiene