

Hundon Community Primary School Newsletter Friday 10th May, 2024



Laying the foundations for a bright future

Website link: <u>www.htpfederation.co.uk</u>

A little note from Mrs FitzGerald...

What a great job Oak Class did in their Celebration Presentation this afternoon, I am so glad lots of you were able to come along!

All the children were very engaged in their enhancing PSHEE (Personal, Social, Health & Economic Education.) sessions with Annie from OM Health Consultancy yesterday with Oak Class and Hawthorn Class also considering 'being safe' as well as resilience as part of their inputs.

Lots of you will have spotted the presence of our PCSO ~ Police Community Support Officer at the end of school this week. Suffolk Constabulary are receiving a high number of complaints regarding the driving and parking around our school. So, again I politely ask that those of you who drive to and from the school do so safely! Please avoid blocking driveways and dropped kerbs (these are fine-incurring infringements) and ensure the junction with Church Street is kept clear (stopping here is a driving offence and could lead to points as well as a fine.) As I have said before the school has always held a very positive position within the village, I am concerned these on-going problems are putting this at risk.

Like everyone I am hoping this sunshine sticks around ~ wishing you all a lovely weekend!

Warm regards, Mrs FitzGerald

DRIVING AND PARKING AROUND THE SCHOOL SITE

When dropping off and collecting your child/ren from school please parking safely.

Avoid parking in front of dropped kerbs or driveways and ensure there is clear and sufficient pedestrian access to support our children coming to and from our school.

Please do not park on the grass verges along North Street, do not stop on the school's yellow lines and avoid blocking the junction with Church Street.

Park a little further away and take the short walk to the school site to keep everyone safe.

Thank you for your help and support in this important matter.

	YEAR 2	
Key Stage One	Reading and Maths Assessments (Y2) Teacher Assessed Writing (Y2) Teacher Assessed Science (Y2)	ADMINISTERED IN MAY (OPTIONAL)
	YEAR 1	ADMINISTERED
	Phonics Check	Week beginning 10th June
Key Stage Tw o	YEAR 4	ADMINISTERED
	Multiplication Tables Check	Week beginning 10th June
	YEAR 6	
	KEY STAGE TWO ASSESSMENTS Monday 13th May ~ English Grammar, Punctuation & Spelling (GPS)	ADMINISTERED
	& Spelling Tuesday 14th May ~ English Reading Paper Wednesday 15th May ~ Maths Paper 1 (arithmetic) & Paper 2 (Reasoning)	Week beginning 13th May

We will be scheduling information sessions for parents as well as additional workshops / 'booster' sessions for the children in the coming weeks as necessary.

FREE SCHOOL MEALS ~ ARE YOU ELIGIBLE?

With the current economic climate and continuing rises in costs to living, we wanted to remind families about accessing free school meals.

We strongly urge you to check, especially if your circumstances have changed or change unexpectedly and remember they are not just available if you are unemployed. The process is completely confidential and pupils entitled to and claiming free school meals are not identified in any way.

You can be reassured your child has access to a healthy, nutritious and tasty meal at lunchtime and is well nourished for an afternoon of learning.

In addition, the number of pupils registered will positively impact on school funding; in these tricky financial times this will provide much needed extra financial support to the school so please check and register, whether or not your child wishes to eat a school meal regularly.

CHECK HERE: APPLY FOR FREE SCHOOL MEALS

OFSTED'S 'BIG LISTEN'

This initiative was launched earlier this month by Sir Martyn Oliver, the new Ofsted chief. He is seeking feedback on their work and they are keen to hear from parents, carers and learners.

The consultation is due to end on 31st May, if you wish to participate the consultation can be access via this link: https://www.gov.uk/government/consultations/ofsted-big-listen

FORTHCOMING EVENTS

Please check back regularly as additional dates added as and when activities / visits are confirmed!

SUMMER TERM 2024

Month of May ~ Year 2 National Curriculum Assessments

Monday 13th May to Thursday 16th May ~ Year 6 National Curriculum Assessments

Friday 17th May ~ Cherry Class Presentation at 2.30pm

Parents, carers and 'special others' of children in Cherry Class are invited to join us.

Monday 20th May ~ Renewable Farming Visitor ~ Hawthorn Class

Hawthorn Class, will be joined by a renewable farming expert to enhance their learning as part of their 'Sow, Grow & Farm' theme.

Friday 24th May ~ LAST DAY OF THE HALF-TERM Summer Half-Term ~ Monday 27th May to Friday 31st May

Monday 3rd June to Friday 7th June ~ ACTIVITIES WEEK ~ more details will follow

Monday 10th June May to Friday 14th June ~ Year 1 Phonics & Year 4 Multiplication Checks

Monday 10th June ~ Cambridge Botanic Gardens ~ Willow Class

Willow Class, along with their sister class at Thurlow, will be visiting the gardens linked to their 'The Scented Garden' theme.

Thursday 12th June ~ 'NO JOKE' Play at Haverhill Arts Centre ~ Hawthorn Class

Hawthorn Class, along with their sister class at Thurlow, will be visiting the Arts Centre to watch a performance of the play, 'NO JOKE'.

Friday 14 June ~ Willow Class Presentation at 2.30pm

Parents, carers and 'special others' of children in Willow Class are invited to join us

Monday 17th June to Thursday 20th June ~ BIKEABILITY for Hawthorn Class

Wednesday 26th June ~ HUNDON SPORTS AFTERNOON

Join us from lunchtime for a picnic lunch followed by our sports afternoon

Friday 28th June ~ Fitzwilliam Museum Visit ~ Oak Class

Oak Class, along with their sister class at Thurlow, will be visiting the museum linked to their 'Ancient Civilisations' theme.

Thursday 4th July ~ Year 6 Leaver's Trip to Pleasurewood Hills

Thursday 4th July ~ Years 3, 4 & 5 Inter-School Day

Inter-school activities with our sister school, Thurlow ~ more details to follow

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SUMMER TERM 2024 continued...

(Monday 8th July to Wednesday 10th July ~ Stour Valley Transition Days for Year 6)

Monday 8th July and Tuesday 9th July ~ 'MOVE UP' DAYS for all pupils

Friday 12th July ~ Annual School Reports distributed

FRIDAY 12TH JULY ~ YEAR 6 LEAVER'S PRESENTATION at 2.30pm

Year 6 Parents, carers and 'special others' are invited to this special celebration presentation

(Wednesday 17th July to Friday 19th July ~ Unity School Transition Days for Year 6)

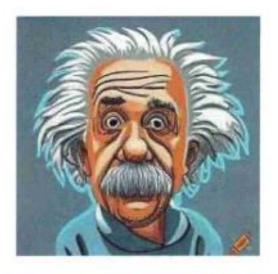
Friday 19th July ~ LAST DAY OF THE SUMMER TERM

Hundon Village Hall & Playing Field Charity.

Presents a Quiz Night at the Village Hall On Saturday 11th May, starting at 8pm

To Reserve a table for your team, Contact

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Your Compere for the Evening

"Ken Button"

£5 per player, payable on the night
Bar, Buffet & Raffle
Donated Raffle prizes would be Greatly Received

All proceeds going to a "Free Family Panto".







