









Haytor View Community Primary School & Nursery

Learning together - enjoying success - aiming high - celebrating difference – enriching community

Weekly Newsletter –11th September 2024

'Pupils, staff, parents and carers agree that Haytor View School is a happy place to learn.'
OFSTED March 2023

Chair of Governors: Robert Doets

START OF THE YEAR THANKS

As we find ourselves in the middle of our first full week of the school year, we'd like to pass on our thanks to you, parents, carers, relatives and friends who have helped to make the children's return such a success. Your efforts in ensuring that your children look great in school uniform and are on time each day have really supported them in feeling an important part of our school community. It also helps them to develop a fast-growing connection with their new classes and teachers. And hey, we know that



early and busy mornings means that these things are not always easy - so thanks again for all of your efforts! The school year is properly underway now:-

- We are seeing lots of discussions between parents and teachers or members of the school team we really value these so let's keep talking.
- Premier Education after-school clubs start next week Watch out for letters coming your way about these.
- Celebration assemblies which take place **every Friday at 9.00am** are underway remember you are always welcome to join us for these.
- Year 5 and Year 6 residentials are on the horizon and taking place over the coming weeks.

As your child's school year continues to move forward keep an eye on this newsletter for things that are happening, and of course feel free to talk to your child's teacher or any member of the school team with any questions or concerns that you might have.

ANNUAL FLU VACCINATION

The Annual Nasal Flu Vaccination Clinic will be coming to Haytor View for children in our Reception class through to Year 6 on Monday 7th October 2024.

Please ensure you complete the electronic parental consent by clicking the link on the letter you have received via the Gateway App or by visiting:



PLEASE ENSURE YOU ENTER THE FULL UNIQUE SCHOOL REFERENCE CODE. The code for your child's school is: DV133893 by midday on Wednesday 2nd October 2024

Only children with consent will be able to have the vaccination at our school clinic. We look forward to supporting Kernow Health help you to keep your children fit and healthy over the winter months.

SECONDARY SCHOOL ADMISSION APPLICATIONS FOR SEPTEMBER 2025 ARE NOW OPEN!

If your child has just started Year 6 you can apply now for their place at secondary school for September 2025.



Once you've chosen a school(s), <u>use the Devon County Council online application</u> form to express your preference(s).

Applications must be made before the national closing date of **Thursday 31st October 2024**. If you apply after this date, the application will be considered late and may be at a disadvantage.



If you would like any support in completing your application for a secondary school place, please pop into the school office where we will be very happy to help you.



BUCKLAND HUB AND COMMUNITY CENTRE – WHAT DO YOU THINK?

We are delighted that Emily Farrell and Sue Wroe will be spending time on the courtyard after school on Thursday 12^{th} and Wednesday 18^{th} September speaking with parents. Emily and Sue belong to the team that delivers services to Buckland through the Community Centre and beyond. Their relationship with the school goes back a long way now.



The team are keen to hear the thoughts of community members around how the community centre works for them, what else they might like to see happening there, and broader thoughts on Buckland and how it is to live here. As well as speaking to parents during their visit there is an online survey that they would love parents to complete - it doesn't take long and will really help them shape their offer moving forward. You can find the survey at: http://bit.ly/3XyucpX - just click on this link to access it.

Thanks in advance for making Emily and Sue feel welcome during their visit. They will also be working with the school council as they seek to gain thoughts and views of children too.

PREMIER EDUCATION CLUBS

All Premier Education After School Sports clubs will start next week. These clubs are run by members of the Premier Education Team, from 3:15 – 4:30pm. This will see:



Mondays – Year 1 and 2 Tag Rugby

Tuesdays – Year 5 and 6 Tag Rugby

Wednesdays - Year 3 and 4 Tag Rugby

If you wish for your child to attend, please complete the reply slip that your child will bring home with them this week and return it to their class teacher. We will notify you via the Gateway App to confirm if your child has a place in the club. Please note: Places are limited and will be allocated on a 'first come first served' basis. We will be in touch shortly about our school-led clubs, such as Home Learning Club and Playleaders.

CELEBRATING SUCCESS – 'EVERY CHILD HAS COMFORT WITH WHO THEY ARE'

This week we are encouraging children to celebrate the way in which they engage with the school's Core Offer, particularly how they are connecting with those around them as part of our focus upon 'New Beginnings'. Children are currently spending time thinking about and developing an understanding of their place within their class, their school and the global community.

This sits firmly within the British values of understanding of the value of rules, principles and laws as well as an understanding of responsibility.

The following children will be **celebrated in assembly on Friday 13th September** with a focus upon:

'I can collaborate with others and share tasks.'

- Mr Hampton has nominated Lola Pickford
- Miss Butler has nominated Olina Macfarlane and Sienna Ferris
- Mrs Penn has nominated William Cloke and Mia Grant
- Miss Jacob has nominated Henry Thompson
- Mrs Brown has nominated Javden Farrell
- Miss Hall has nominated Merida Sheffield-McHugh
- Miss Cameron has nominated Imani Clifford
- Mrs Cousins has nominated Eliza Lawfull
- Miss Shopland has nominated Miley Field
- Miss Manley has nominated Oliver Lock
- Mr Franklin has nominated Aron Ajin
- Mr Hankin has nominated Jacob Robson and Jasmine Brooks
- Mrs Russell has nominated Rowan Cole and Lucy Hewitt

All parents, relatives and wider community members are encouraged to join us for this weekly celebration – it's a great way to round off the week, whether you are connected to nominated children or not. We look forward to seeing you.

ATTENDANCE

Please find below the attendance information for each class last week, great effort. Well done!



OVERALL	Nursery	Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
	SB & SJP	LJ	RH	SB	MC	JM	IF	GH
95	94.8	93.9	95.6	96.6	90.8	100	92.9	95

