









Haytor View Community Primary School & Nursery

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

Weekly Newsletter - 14th July 2021

'....commitment to ensuring that all pupils are afforded the best opportunity to achieve is at the centre of every decision.....' OFSTED July 2017

Chair of Governors: Niema Bohrayba

THANK-YOU!

It was lovely seeing so many of you last week on our non-pupil day dedicated to meeting families for a much-missed catch up. It provided a valuable opportunity to discuss your child's learning, development, well being and next steps. If you didn't have the opportunity to come in last week, please contact the school office as they'll be happy to assist you in booking a time with your child's class teacher.

Thank-you as well to families across the school for how you have supported us in managing the sad closure of the Key Stage 1 bubble this week. We have watched carefully over the last few weeks as schools around us have been impacted by COVID and our one wish for the term was that we could make it to the end of the school year without interruption. Very sadly it was not to be. Our next wish is to avoid any further closures if possible, though of course in the face of this, all guidance will continue to be followed to minimise risk to all.

If you have any concerns about your child's health or how to respond to circumstances relating to COVID, please feel free to talk to us. While we cannot advise on what are sometimes personal decisions, we can share with you what we know from guidance issued to us.

Mr Franklin and the Key Stage 1 team are already communicating with children and families and will continue to do so until their return to us on Friday 23^{rd} July – we so look forward to having everyone back for our final day together.

Fortunately children in Key Stage 1 have already had opportunities to meet their new teacher over recent times so we are hopeful that their transition will not be compromised. If you have any questions regarding transition, please arrange to speak with your child's class teacher.

As always please be confident in sharing with us any questions you have, successes or challenges you are experiencing – we will always try to make any approach you make to us worth your while. You know how to get in touch:

- School Gateway;
- School email address admin@haytorview.devon.sch.uk;
- Speaking with school staff via telephone 01626 203040.

HAYTOR VIEW SPORTS DAY ARRANGEMENTS

Tomorrow is sports day at Haytor View, as explained on recent newsletters these are smaller events managed in attending bubbles, sadly not engaging parents due to the current arrangements. However, we are confident that the children will be having a really enjoyable day, which will be filled with laughter and smiles. The weather forecast is sunny and warm - to support your child in enjoying their day safely please can you provide your child with a:

- Drink
- Sun cream
- Sun hat



TERM DATES 2021 – 22

AUTUMN TERM

6th September Non Pupil Day 7th September first day of school term 21st and 22nd October Non pupil days 25th – 29th October inclusive Half Term 17th December Last day of Autumn Term



SPRING TERM

4th January First day of term for children 18th February Non Pupil Day 21st – 25th February inclusive Half Term 8th April Last day of Spring Term

SUMMER TERM

25th April First day of term for children 2nd May Bank Holiday 30th May – 3rd June inclusive Half Term 6th June Non-Pupil Day 26th July Last day of Summer Term

NEWTON ABBOT LIBRARY - SUMMER READING CHALLENGE

This summer Devon and Torbay Libraries are running the Wild World Heroes Summer Reading Challenge. Running from 10th July – 10th September the challenge is designed to encourage readers through sharing rewards and learning about our planet. There are even certificates and medals available for children completing the challenge. You can find out more about the challenge by visiting www.devonlibraries.org.uk or popping into your local library. Have fun!

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 on 'good to be me'. We will be celebrating achievements in Bubble Celebration Assemblies throughout Friday morning. We look forward to a time when parents can join us again for these get-togethers.

I know how important it is to treat everyone in my world respectfully and show this in what I do and say.

- Mrs Galling has nominated: Gracie Coombes
- Mr Hampton has nominated: Jamie Milton
- Miss Butler has nominated: Remy-Louise Chilcott and Lemmy Rogers
- Mrs Penn has nominated: Sam Dartnall and Tristan Topliss
- Miss Hall has nominated: Lily Ferris
- Mr Franklin has nominated: Tyler Anderson
- Miss Cameron has nominated: Alehsa Adams
- Mrs Brown has nominated: Nevaeh Teague
- Mrs Russell has nominated: Lavla Owen
- Mrs Cousins has nominated: Bailey Mortimore and Hope Tate
- Miss Shopland has nominated: Lilly Geary
- Mr Hankin has nominated: Scarlette Smith



ATTENDANCE

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



OVERALL	Found B1	Found B2	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
	SB	SJP	RH	IF	SB	MC	AS	GH
90.7%	84.1%	80.1%	85.4%	97.7%	97%	92.9%	95.3%	88.5%

SAFEGUARDING – EVERYONE'S RESPONSIBILITY

If you are concerned about a child or if you need help parenting your child you can call 0345 155 1071 or email mashsecure@devon.gcsx.gov.uk. Out of hours please call 0845 6000 388. If it is an emergency dial 999. Should you have any safeguarding concerns the Designated Safeguarding Leads at the school are: Mrs Galling, Mr Hampton and Mrs Tancock.



HAVE YOUR CIRCUMSTANCES CHANGED?

We continue to be keen to support as many families as possible to access free school meal provision. If you think that you may be entitled to access this provision or just want to double check, we can easily assist with this. There is no effort required on your part, other than picking up the phone and speaking with one of our Admin team or our Parent Worker who will be only too happy to assist. So if in doubt, please get in touch – you know how!

