



Haytor View Community Primary School & Nursery

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

Weekly Newsletter – 19th July 2023

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

OFSTED March 2023

Chair of Governors: Robert Doets

LOOKING FORWARD TO '2023 - 2024' - CELEBRATIONS AND STAFF UPDATES

With less than a week to go before the summer term ends, it's easy to wonder where the year went - but even a quick look around the school at the growth and development of your children shows us it hasn't been wasted. There is so much for every child to be proud of this year - do take a moment to celebrate this with them as the term comes to a close.



In traditional fashion, as well as our normal weekly celebration assembly this Friday we will have an **assembly at 9.00am on the last day of term**, Tuesday 25th July, when we will be hearing from teachers about how their classes have made them feel proud.

At the end of this school year we will be saying a **fond farewell to Mrs Breakwell** who is leaving us to take a role with the NHS continuing her support of families and young children in the community. We wish her the very best and I am sure that you will join us in sending thanks with her for all that she has brought the children and families at Haytor View during her 6 years with us.

On the subject of staffing we were pleased to be able to share with you arrangements for staffing across the school in the **Transition Newsletters** that children brought home yesterday. We are excited to be able to welcome some newcomers to the staff team from September. We know that you will make Miss Dennis, Miss Evans and Ms Greca feel welcome as they support the provision for children in the Foundation Stage and Year 1 - we also look forward to continuing to work with Mrs Butterworth and Miss Poucher in the Autumn.

Do take a further look at the Transition Newsletter that your child brought home yesterday for more information concerning who will be supporting them. All transition newsletters will be available in electronic format on the School Gateway.

Finally, with transition in mind, don't forget **there is the opportunity to drop in and say hello to your child's new teacher, any time until 5.00pm after school today, Wednesday.**

SUMMER READING CHALLENGE

This year, we are taking part in an exciting Summer Reading Challenge provided by Purple Mash. Each child in the school can use their Purple Mash login and head into the Reading Area, they can then select Serial Mash and explore a range of fiction and non-fiction texts. There are texts for all levels of readers so you may wish to explore all areas, particularly if you are reading to your child as well as listening to them reading to you. Each child will have a reading journal which records their progress within the Purple Mash site. This scheme is free to all of our children and will allow them to read on their devices at home at a comfortable pace. If your child does not currently know their Purple Mash Login, please ask their class teacher.



Use this link to provide you with a 3-minute guide on how to support your child with Monster Phonics learning over the Summer Holidays. Your child's class teacher will be able to tell you which phase/sounds your child has been focussing on and can practice/apply over the 6 weeks break.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=AJsIpcXdl7Y>

FOODBANK SUPPORT

With the Summer Holidays approaching, we recognise the pressures many will be facing financially. T.H.A.T. Foodbank will be open throughout the holidays from 10 – 1pm Monday to Friday. You can request a food parcel by popping into the store or completing the 'contact us' section on their website. The team are amazing and generally respond within a few days, having a food parcel ready (and sometime gas and electricity top-ups too!) <https://www.thatfoodbank.com/contact>



LOST PROPERTY

There is a significant amount of lost property (particularly **school jumpers**) in the HUB! Please take a few minutes this week to look through and collect any jumpers your child/ren have left in their classes. Next week, on Monday and Tuesday we will place any remaining lost property on the tables in the HUB.



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: Mr Hampton, Miss Butler and Miss Shopland.



PLAYLEADER NOMINATIONS FOR POSITIVE PLAY

We are really pleased that our playleaders, who meet after school each Monday, and have been supporting play at dinnertimes have been keen to nominate children that they see demonstrating positive play behaviours.



The children that they have noticed this week who will be receiving certificates in assembly on Friday are: **Summer Tate, Tristan Lewis and Elijah Sims**. Congratulations to you all, and many thanks to our 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 'Relationships'. Children are currently spending time thinking about understanding and recognising the value of friendship, family and other relationships, as well communication and conflict resolution.

They will also be thinking about the British Value of Respectful Attitudes, developing and demonstrating our understanding of mutual respect, recognising that our behaviours have an effect on our rights and the rights of people around us.



This week teachers will be paying special consideration to those children who demonstrate the following:

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

- Mr Hampton has nominated Summer Tate
- Miss Butler has nominated George Burns and Casey Cottam
- Mrs Penn has nominated Jack Lewis and Evelyn Keaveney
- Mr Franklin has nominated Julian Doets
- Miss Hall has nominated Neo Dixon
- Miss Cameron has nominated Bonnie Walters
- Mrs Cousins has nominated Jaygo Burrett
- Mrs Brown has nominated Alice Hobbs and Freddie Walters
- Miss Shopland has nominated Katherine McMahon
- Miss Manley has nominated Phoebe Pike
- Mr Hankin has nominated Harrison Wilkinson and Hope Tate
- Mrs Russell has nominated Lucy Hewitt and Harry Manley

ATTENDANCE

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



OVERALL	Nursery B2 SJP	Reception B1 SB	Year 1 RH	Year 2 IF	Year 3 MC	Year 4 SB	Year 5 JM	Year 6 GH
94.4	86.9	88.5	95.5	96.3	95.9	95.9	98	95.4