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Haytor View Community Primary School & Nursery

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

Weekly Newsletter – 19th November 2025

'Leaders ensure that all pupils receive the help they need to be ready to learn.'

OFSTED March 2023

Chair of Governors: Robert Doets

Young Play Leaders – Impact Day

Haytor View's first Impact Day of the year focused on introducing the new Year 5 Playleaders to their roles. Fourteen pupils took part in a morning of training that helped them get to know one another, understand the responsibilities of being a Playleader, and identify the skills needed to support positive play across the school. The Courtyard Crew, who will be working with Key Stage 1, spent time observing existing play activities and helping to develop simple rules to keep playtimes fair and safe. They also learned a range of physical games—such as Dragon's Treasure, Time-Out, Clap or Catch, and Cat & Mouse—and had the opportunity to practise these before leading them with younger pupils.

The group explored a variety of individual and team challenges, including target throwing, skipping, racket skills, and games like Noughts and Crosses and Protect the Tower. They discussed how to explain activities clearly, organise teams, and make games inclusive using the STEP process.

After lunch, the Playleaders set up activities for the lunchtime session and showed great enthusiasm and adaptability, encouraging others to join in and adjusting games to meet pupils' needs. They demonstrated excellent teamwork and leadership, and the school is delighted with their positive start in their new roles.

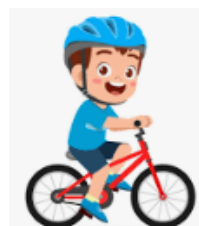


Amazing work and dedication shown by our Young Play Leaders!

Bikeability Celebrations

The Year 6 children who represented our school at recent Bikeability training will be receiving their certificates and badges at this week's assembly. Those children who achieved management of turning and stopping as well as basic maintenance will receive Level 1 accreditation, while those who used these skills appropriately on the public highway will receive level 2.

We look forward to seeing you there to celebrate your child's achievement.



Children in Need – Thanks

Many thanks to everyone who donated 50p for a delicious Pudsey biscuit baked by our Chef Fiona on Children in Need day on Friday. We raised a fabulous total of £74.30!



SCHOOL PHOTOS

Your child will have brought home a proof of their individual and sibling photos which we hope you will be pleased to receive. If you would like to order any photographs, please follow the instructions on the proof card. Orders can be placed online at orderphotos.co.uk or via telephone 01202 692433 quoting the proof card ID. All orders are to be placed by **Friday 21st November 2025**. Photos will be delivered to the school for distribution before the end of the autumn term. Orders placed after the 21st November will incur a post and packaging charge of £4 as orders will have to be sent to home addresses. If you have any queries, please let us know.



PANTO AND POPCORN

Our annual Pantomime, this year Snow White (with popcorn being served by the Coffee & Cake team) is taking place on **Thursday 27th November**. The pantomime takes place within the school day, with children watching the pantomime alongside their class in our school hall. Please pay your £6.00 contribution (to cover the panto and popcorn) via the Arbor app by **Friday 21st November**.



KEY DATES AT HAYTOR VIEW

Thursday 27th November at 1:45pm - Snow White Pantomime
Friday 5th December - Christmas Jumper Day
Friday 5th December at 2pm - Christmas Fayre
Monday 8th December at 1:30pm – St Luke Christmas Church Service
Tuesday 9th December at 9:00am – 9:15am - Foundation Stage Christmas Production
Wednesday 10th December - Christmas Dinner
Wednesday 10th December – Newton Abbot Lantern Parade
Thursday 11th December at 2:30pm – 3:00pm – Year 1 Christmas Production
Thursday 11th December – Christmas Disco
Foundation Stage and Key Stage 1: 4:15pm – 5:15pm
Key Stage 2: 5:30pm – 6:30pm
Wednesday 17th December - Christmas Craft Afternoon
Foundation Stage: 2:30pm – 3:00pm
Key Stage 1 and 2: 2:00pm – 3:00pm
Wednesday 17th December at 5pm – Singing Around the Christmas Tree



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 'Children will collaborate with others in all contexts'. This week's class assembly focus was based around: Celebrating Differences. As always, the children shared fantastic thoughts and reflections about themselves which also included consideration about their interactions on line. These assemblies and discussions sit firmly within the **British values of Mutual Tolerance** - demonstrating and understanding of the importance of tolerance as well as an awareness of prejudice and prejudices-based bullying - I know how to be a good citizen in a culturally diverse community.

The following children will be celebrated in assembly on Friday 21st November with a focus upon:

'I can demonstrate who I am as a person.'

- Miss Butler has nominated Alfie Harry and Lenny Richmond
- Mrs Cousins has nominated Levi Bush
- Miss Shopland has nominated Ernest Trenfield
- Miss Drennan has nominated Tommy Grant
- Mrs Penn has nominated Eddie Measures
- Miss Jacob has nominated Kush Patel
- Miss Dennis has nominated Mia Bradley and Alfie Sahin
- Mrs Brown has nominated Theo Bush
- Miss Cameron has nominated Jayden Farrell
- Mrs Peatt has nominated Evelyn Andrew
- Mrs Russell has nominated Reece Fox
- Miss Manley has nominated Jenson Bond-Waite and Eleanor Pintus-May
- Mr Hankin has nominated Phoebe Manley



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 FS 1 CD & SJP	Reception FS 2 LJ	Year 1 CD	Year 2 SB	Year 3 VC	Year 4 DR & MC	Year 5 JM	Year 6 GH
91.2	98.8	75.2	93.8	92.5	93.1	91.2	95.3	89.6