









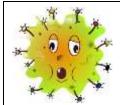
Haytor View Community Primary School & Nursery

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

Weekly Newsletter – 23rd September 2020

"....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



We confirm we have complied with the government's guidance on managing the risk of COVID-19

PARENTS ARE ASKED TO:

- **Keep moving**;
- Be aware of your surroundings;
- Keep a safe social distance:
- Keep children close;



IT'S NOW WEEK 3!

Time really is moving on a pace at Haytor View, we are incredibly respectful of the support both children and parents have provided during what has been a very different start to the school year!

Your support has enabled us to have a smooth, safe and swift return to school, the environments is incredibly positive and busy as children go about their day to day routines.

We are always 'looking forward' to what's next at Haytor View, school leaders are constantly reviewing all aspects of school in order to ensure that provision is not unnecessarily compromised in these COVID-19 times.

We will keep you updated on any plans moving forward, however in the meantime to give you 'taste' of what has been happening at Haytor View:

- 1. The Governing Board have met remotely to review the arrangements for the return to school including Risk Assessment;
- 2. Our new Reception children have been warmly welcomed into the school;
- 3. Miss Butler has ran a Forest Session for children and parents from the Nursery, this will followed by a Sherborne Movement session on Thursday:
- 4. Mrs Galling has attended Safeguarding Refresher training, which was postponed from last term;
- 5. 'Bubble Assemblies' are taking place in each of the school bubbles;
- 6. We have welcomed Mr Edwards into Key Stage 2, who is supporting release cover this term;
- 7. Mrs Galling has remotely with the Speech and Language Therapist to discuss how Speech and Language support can be provided this year, in line with both the school's Risk Assessment as well as the risk assessment process of the Speech and Language team;

We would wish to remind you of our core aims as shared last week: That you children feel that:-

- they are our main focus
- they are welcome, safe and can trust us
- they are back in **their** school again
- their relationships with others, children and adults, are still there
- while everything is not quite normal we will manage things for them and keep them safe Please speak to us if you feel that for any reason your child is not feeling as we, and you, would wish. You know where we are and how to get in touch.

IF YOU OR YOUR CHILD IS FEELING UNWELL

Following on from the newsletter last week, thank-you so much for all the support you are providing on ensuring that we can all maintain a 'healthy environment' in school. This really does support us in monitoring the well being of our children and following up any concerns swiftly.



You are all ensuring that your child's environment is a safe place for them to spend time with their friends, whilst they go about their learning, dining and play.

We'd ask that we all continue to support our 'healthy environment':

- If your child is feeling unwell they need to stay at home from school;
- Contact the school office by telephone who will be able to advise you of how long your child may need to be absent from school;
- If you or a family member are unwell please stay away from school;

If you are in any doubt, please do not send your child to school.

If you are <u>not</u> concerned that your child has displayed symptoms of Coronavirus we would be keen for them to return to school as soon as they are healthy and avoid the need to arrange for testing.

a high temperature

Remember the main signs of Coronavirus are:-

a new, continuous cough a loss or change to your sense of smell or taste

CELEBRATING SUCCESS – 'NEW BEGINNINGS'

'I am keen to talk about my learning'

- Mrs Galling has nominated: Cole Price
- Miss Butler has nominated: Benjamin Chapman
- Mrs Penn has nominated: Lewi Little
- Miss Hall has nominated: Kyron Donald
- Mr Franklin has nominated: Phoebe Pike
- Miss Cameron has nominated: Louie Satterley-Bowden
- Mr Whitty has nominated: Josh Harry
- Mrs Russell has nominated: Jaymie-Jo McCarthy
- Miss Shopland has nominated: Daniel Oldbury
- Mr Hankin has nominated: Joshua Teague



THAT FOODBANK SUPPORT

Feel free to contact them direct (01626 437310) or speak contact the school if you would like an introduction to the service – please don't wait until you are going short – having food provided can ease pressure in other areas of household costs too.



CONTACT DETAILS FOR PARENTS AND CARERS

Geeting hold of parents quickly has never been more important, please can you make sure that if the school have your most recent contact numbers, in the event of an emergency. Please contact the school office if you would like to check whether we have your up to date numbers or if you wish to change your contact details. Thank you!



ARE YOU ENTITLED TO FREE SCHOOL MEAL SUPPORT?

We are continuing to have families who have just discovered that they are entitled to free school meals and we have been able to assist them in accessing this support.

Are you wondering whether recent changes mean that you may now be entitled to free school meals? Please contact us on 01626 203040 if you want support to explore whether you are eligible.



ATTENDANCE

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



Reception	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Mr Whitty Years 4 & 5	Mrs Russell Years 4 & 5	Year 6
96.3%	89.3%	89.6%	84%	93.2%	89.3%	91.7%