



Haytor View Community Primary School & Nursery

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

Weekly Newsletter – 5th May 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

IT'S A SHORTER WEEK!

The bank holiday has brought a different flavour to this week, as children started their school week on a Tuesday. Everyone bounced in ready for the week ahead, but took a little while to remember that it was Tuesday and not Monday!



We would have hoped that the May Day would have brought some welcome sunshine, however that was not to be and looking to the rest of the week, the weather looks both wet and chilly. With this in mind as we seek to ensure children are getting as much fresh air and exercise as possible, please can children be supported in wearing a coat to school or having one packed in their school bag. With a coat, we can get outside whatever the weather throws at us!

We continue to recognise the significance of the last year, as well as the different restrictions and new experiences children are having as the 'road map' moves forward. Children are demonstrating both their comfort and discomfort often 'in the moment' at times which are 'unexpected.' Whilst on the face of it this can be challenging, what we can be confident over is that whatever children are sharing, showing, saying, it is all valuable, worthwhile and important as we support each child in rediscovering themselves, understanding the world they live in and how they fit within it.

As we go through this journey with each child, 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.

DIARY DATES

Summer Term 2021

- 31st May to 4th June inclusive - Half Term
- 7th June - Children back to school
- 8th July - Non Pupil day
- 23rd July - Last day of Summer Term



THANK YOU

Wow our attendance is strong this term – 97.4%! We really appreciate the measures you are all taking in keeping your school a safe place to be for our children and staff, as a result attendance is stronger than ever!



If you are unsure of whether to send your child to school, pick up the phone and have a chat with one of our admin team who will be happy to advise.

HEALTHY SNACK ARRANGEMENTS

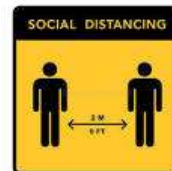
As we head into Summer we are keen to make everyone aware of our provision and expectations in relation to eating in school. Children can have 1 piece of fruit or vegetables to be provided by home or purchased at school. Alternatively children can have: breadsticks; crackers; toast; crumpets; malt loaf, to be provided by home or purchased at school. In order to support healthy and balanced approach to daily nutrition, children are not permitted to take alternative items from their packed lunch box for break time.



A REMINDER - SUPPORTING SOCIAL DISTANCING

Please can we remind parents of the following:

- Only one adult per child/family is allowed onto the school site at any time;
- Please don't come onto the school site before 8.35am;
- Please arrive on time to collect your child at 3.15pm;
- Please don't gather around classroom doors;



PHOTOGRAPHER IN SCHOOL

Our school photographer will be in school on **Wednesday 12th May** to take **class photographs**.



CONTACT DETAILS FOR PARENTS AND CARERS

Getting hold of parents quickly is really important, please can you make sure that 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!



ITEMS IN SCHOOL

Thank you to children and parents who have really taken time to think about what is leaving home each morning! Having as few items as possible travel between home and school really supports our risk assessment, which is focused on keeping our site a safe place to be.

If you have a question over your child bringing something to school, please get in touch and we will be happy to talk through.



WHAT'S BEEN HAPPENING AT HAYTOR VIEW THIS WEEK?

As the school springs back into action, we'll seek to keep you up to date with everything that has been happening:

- Mrs Louise has been engaged with updating her first aid qualification;
- Mrs Cousins has engaged with Music training;
- The school was visited by some surveyors as part of the Department for Education's review of school buildings;
- Children have been spending as much time as possible on the field!

This Week

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 'relationships'. 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 show that I understand how important rules, principles and laws are in my world and the part I have to play in supporting them.'

- Mrs Galling has nominated: Joseph Stuz
- Mr Hampton has nominated: Paige Wood
- Miss Butler has nominated: Eliza Lawful and Adam Hobbs
- Mrs Penn has nominated: Eris Topliss and Ruben Cooper
- Miss Hall has nominated: Kyla Mealand
- Mr Franklin has nominated: Freddie Walters
- Miss Cameron has nominated: Sana Abuali
- Mrs Brown has nominated: Lana Burns
- Mrs Cousins has nominated: Harrison Wilkinson
- Miss Shopland has nominated: Ellie Cramond
- Mr Hankin has nominated: Josh Dartnall



ATTENDANCE

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



OVERALL	Found B1 SB	Found B2 SJP	Year 1 RH	Year 2 IF	Year 3 JW / SB	Year 4 MC	Year 5 AS	Year 6 GH
96.5%	98.5%	97.9%	97.7%	95.9%	96%	95%	95.9%	95.4%