



# Hadleigh Infants and Nursery School

## No 10 22nd November 2019

### Holiday Dates -

**Last Day of Term** - Friday 20th December. 1.30pm finish.

**First Day of Term** - Monday 6th January.

**Half Term** - Monday 17th February - Friday 21st February

### Attendance -

The best class for attendance, week ending the 22nd November 2019 was Starfish with 99.2% attendance. Well done to them!

Congratulations to:

Starfish 99.2%

Unfortunately 5 classes did not reach our 96% target:

Turtles 95.2%

Koalas 94.2%

Dolphins 93.4%

Pandas 92.2%

Meerkats 91.9%

Overall attendance was 94.3% which is below our 96% target.

### Dates for your Diary -

26th November - Flu Immunisations

30th November - PA Christmas Event 11am - 3pm

2nd December - Year 1 Christmas Parent Workshop @ 2.30pm.

4th December - Reception Parents Phonics Meeting @ 9am. (School Hall)

4th December - Nursery Bed Time Stories Event 5pm - 6pm

4th December - Bed Time Stories Event 6pm - 7pm

5th December - Year 2 Christmas Parent Workshop @ 2.30pm.

9th December - PA Disco

12th December - Reception Christmas Parent Workshop @ 8.45am.

16th December - PA Disco

17th December - Nursery Christmas Parent Workshop @ 8.30am.



### **3PR Weekly Winner -**

**Grasshoppers**

### **This Week's Attendance Heroes -**

**Starfish: Jessica B**

**Meerkats: Maximus W**

**Dolphins: Lola-Rae B**

**Koalas: Kayden N**

**Turtles: Myles H**

**Pandas: Ruby F**

### **Achievers of the Week -**

**Bumblebees: Katie B**

**Starfish: Adam M**

**Meerkats: Buddy C**

**Butterflies: George M**

**Dolphins: Keira E**

**Koalas: Leon C**

**Grasshoppers: Ben H**

**Turtles: Sophie N**

**Pandas: Jonathan S**

### **New Autumn Menu - Week 1**

**Monday:** Meat Free Monday - Pizza & Garlic Bread.

**Tuesday:** Chicken or Quorn with Potatoes & Mixed Veg.

**Wednesday:** Roast Pork or Quorn Fillet with Yorkshire Pudding, New Potatoes, Carrots, Green Beans & Gravy.

**Thursday:** Pasta or Quorn Bolognese Bake.

**Friday:** Fish Fingers or Fluffy Omelette with Chips & Beans.

### Question of the week:

If you could sing a song all day, what song would it be?

### This Week's News:

Flu Immunisation - We would be very grateful if you could ensure that consent for your child's flu immunisation is submitted by 4pm on the day before their vaccination is due. If this isn't possible, please contact your immunisation team on **01702 220181** or alternatively complete a paper consent at the school office.

We have decided to hold the '**Bedtime Stories**' event again this year, on **Wednesday 4th December 2019**. The event will run from **6pm until 7pm**. To take part in this event, the children will be invited to bring a teddy [optional!] and attend in their pyjamas and dressing gown with the option to bring slippers to change into. If you would like your child/children to attend our 'Bedtime Stories' event, please complete the slip found at the bottom of the letter sent home with your child today and return to your child's class teacher by Monday 2nd December 2019. In addition to the main event, we have also decided to complete a **Nursery Bedtime Stories** event. This will take place on the same day (**Wednesday 4th December**) but at the slightly earlier time of **5pm until 6pm**.

On Thursday, the children in Year 1 and 2 completed a session with a performer from the West End in School's company. During the sessions, the children acted and danced to music linked to either story of Flat Stanley or Where the Wild Things Are. This was a fantastic experience which I know the children and staff really enjoyed. The school definitely has some budding performers in the making. After seeing the excitement of the children, I am already looking forward to the Christmas Performances.

As set out in the letter regarding the Christmas performances, families have the opportunity to apply for up to 2 tickets. This is to ensure that every family has the opportunity to attend the performances and allowing the school to still comply with health and safety requirements. I fully understand that some families would love to have more tickets than the two available but unless tickets are remaining unallocated before the performance the school will be unable to meet any families requests. I have decided that if any families would like to request an additional ticket they can be placed on a year group waiting list at the main office. If tickets are remaining the day before the performances, they will be allocated according to the waiting list.

E-safety - Each week we will be providing some information, from the NSPCC, regarding apps and games that children may access. After suggestions from parents, we will now supply parents with more information about popular apps that children may have access to. Hopefully the additional information will provide parents with a better understanding of apps before downloading.

#### Expert view of the risks...

**App Name:** Harry Potter: Wizards Unite

**Official age rating:** 13yrs +

**App information:** Harry Potter: Wizards Unite is a free smartphone game where users explore the world of Harry Potter using augmented reality (AR). In a similar way to Pokémon Go, users travel around the real world to find and capture items and creatures. Players work together to overcome wizarding foes and complete assignments.



For further information on and other games please follow the link: <https://www.net-aware.org.uk/networks/?order=title>

Or alternatively you can find further guidance and support on the school's website: <https://www.hadleigh-inf.essex.sch.uk/web/esafety/318492>