



Hadleigh Infants and Nursery School

Newsletter No 21 - 1st March 2024

Message from Mrs Fynn

Today marks the meteorological start of Spring, so of course, the day started with what felt like gale force winds and torrential rain. I thank you all for your sympathy on the gate this morning. Thankfully the weather turned around and the children were able to get out and burn off some energy in playground at lunchtime.

This week you should have received your child's report to update you on the progress that they are making. We will be holding parent consultation meetings in the coming weeks and you will be invited to book a slot to meet with your child's teacher soon.

Over this half term we are introducing and an exciting new art and design and technology curriculum. Year 2 have persuaded the kitchen staff to collect yogurt pots for them, I wonder what they will be used for? Watch this space to find out more.

We are proud to have been asked by King John to host some of their work experience students next week so you may see them around the school. It really is a compliment to the staff and children of HINS to be asked to contribute to the career development of local young people. All of whom are ex pupils who were keen to return to the school.

We are consulting on the future of the newsletter and if you value this form of communication or would rather have information shared in bite sized chunks via Class Dojo. Many local schools have now moved away from the traditional newsletter and we'd like to seek your views on this. A Google Form will be sent out to Parents next week.



- Nursery - extinct
- Reception - sequence
- Year 1 - alternative
- Year 2 - traditional



WEEK 2 LUNCH MENU – WEEK COMMENCING 4th MARCH 2024

Monday - Cheese or Rainbow Pizza served with Seasoned Wedges, Carrot and Cucumber Slices followed by Fruit Platter

Tuesday - Chicken Nuggets or Crispy Dippers served with Croquettes, Peas and Carrots followed by Rainbow Jelly and Cream

Wednesday - Pork or Vegetarian Sausage Roll served with Creamy Mashed Potato and Spaghetti Loops followed by Frozen Mousse

Thursday - Cheese & Tomato Pasta Bake or Jacket Potato with Beans/Cheese/Tuna served with Crusty Bread followed by Flapjack

Friday - Fish Fingers or Omelette served with Chips and Baked Beans followed by School's Favourite Cake with Custard or Cream

Important Information

Dates for your Diary - please note that details for some diary items is not yet available and will be communicated in due course.

7th March - World Book Day

11-15th March - British Science Week

14th March - Parents Evening & Book Fair

11-22nd March - Nursery - Bring your Grown Up to Lunch

19th March - Parents Evening & Book Fair

21st March - National Poetry Day

28th March - PA Fundraising Non-Uniform Day

22nd April - Earth Day

23rd April - YEAR 1 & 2 ONLY - Team Rubicon Scooting & Skateboarding Event

Holiday Dates -

11-22nd March - Bring your Grown Up to Lunch - Nursery

28th March - Last Day of Term - School Closes at 1.30pm

29th March - Good Friday

30th March - Easter Monday

2nd-12th April - Easter Holiday

15th April - Welcome Back

Once upon a bookshop

Discover, explore, transform: your escape awaits...

Book Fair

We are excited to share that we have arranged a stock Book Fair with Keely from Once Upon a Bookshop on Thursday 14th March 3.30-5.30pm and Tuesday 19th March from 3.30-7pm in the main corridor. Keely will have her beautiful books for you to purchase and take home on the day.



World Book Day - Thursday 7th March

All children are invited to come to school dressed as a character from their favourite book

Parents Association

8th March - Mother or Other Gift Sale
Form and payment must be received by Tuesday 5th March

Sponsored Bounce-a-thon

Tuesday 5th March

Please send your child to school in sports wear or their PE Kit

Thursday 28th March

Fundraising Non-Uniform Day

Cash donations will be accepted in class for this event

SAVE THE DATE

8th June

Circus Pazaz Event



Bring your Grown up to Lunch 11th-22nd March

We are excited to be able to invite Nursery parents (or another family adult) to join their child for a school lunch between 11th and 22nd March 11.30-12pm.

The Kitchen is able to accommodate 1 adult per child for this event and dates will be allocated on a first come, first served basis.

Week beginning 11th March is Week 1 menu and week beginning 18th March is Week 2 menu (shown below)

If you would like to join your child for lunch, please complete this Google Form:

[Nursery Parents Lunch](#)

Once you have been allocated a date you will receive a payment request for £3 from School Money which must be paid by **Wednesday 6th March**



Did you know?

Only 1 in 2 (52.4%) of children aged 5 to 8 said that they read daily

1 in 13 (7.7%) of children say they never read at all

More girls than boys said they read daily (56.9% vs 48.2%)



Reading Award badges have been presented to:

Wales:	Reign (B)	Riley (B)	Isabella (B)	Nathan (B)	Ronnie (B)
	Parker (B)				
England:	Hallie (B)				
Greece:	Zizo (G)				
Sweden:	Ivy (B)	Zachary (S)	Harriet (S)		
France:	Rose (B)				
Japan:	Ethan S (B)				

Well done, we are proud of your achievement!

Reading Award boundaries: (B) Bronze - 50 reads, (S) Silver - 100 reads, (G) Gold - 150 reads, (P) Platinum - 200 reads



WELL DONE!



Certificate of Achievement:

Explorers: Noah

England: Max

Wales: Mia

Scotland: Lola

Greece: Maizie

Sweden: Rudy

France: Emily

Brazil: Martin

Japan: Mia

Kenya: Billy

Attendance Heroes:

Greece: Noah

Sweden: Evie

France: Jack

Brazil: Ranya

Japan: Erin

Kenya: Ronnie

Star of the Week:

Explorers: Roddy

England: Logan

Scotland: Luca

Wales: Agnes

Greece: Arthur-Jason

Sweden: Harriet

France: Blossom

Brazil: Leo M

Japan: Logan

Kenya: Pippa

Class Attendance Award:

The best class for attendance this week was France with 97.3% attendance. Well done to them!

Unfortunately, 3 classes did not reach our 96% target. Our overall attendance was 94.2%

Greece - 88.3%

Sweden - 91.9%

France - 97.3%

Brazil - 97%

Japan - 94%

Kenya - 96.7%



MOTHERS & OTHERS POT PLANT GIFT

On Friday 8th March (and throughout the week for the Nursery) your child will choose from an assortment of flowers and personalised pots to be brought home. The cost will be £3.50 per a Gift, please complete this form if you wish for your child to take part in the Mothers Days Gift sale.

<https://forms.gle/fDn3RrBKSmj1RmBA6>

Bank Transfer

£3.50 per gift via Bank transfer quoting your child's full name as the reference to:
Account name – Hadleigh Infants and Nursery Parents Association
Account number – 21464960
Sort code- 30 13 51

Cash

This can be done by sending £3.50 per gift (exact money only as no change can be given) in a sealed envelope with the following information clearly
Childs Name – Class - Payment amount

For your child to take part payment & online form will need to be completed no later than TUESDAY 5TH MARCH.





SAVE THE DATE

8th JUNE 2024
SHOW TIMES 11AM / 1PM / 3PM

The Circus is coming to
Hadleigh School Field!
Further information and
tickets will be available after
Easter Half term





Meet our Safeguarding Team



Mrs Lucy Fynn
Designated Safeguarding Lead



David Turner
Safeguarding Governor



Mrs K Strickland



Miss K Ryan



Miss M Hoath

Deputy Designated Safeguarding Leads

Are you concerned about a child?

- ◆ Make a note of your concern including the date & time
- ◆ Contact the school and speak to someone in our Safeguarding Team, you can also raise concerns anonymously by contacting the hub.
- ◆ Always share your concerns



Children & Families Hub For members of the public:

- If a child or young person is in immediate danger, call 999.
- If you're worried that a child is being abused or neglected, call the Children and Families Hub on **0345 603 7627**. This phone line is open Monday to Thursday 9am to 5:30pm, and Fridays 9am to 4:30pm.
- Out of hours or bank holidays, call the emergency duty team on 0345 606 1212.