

HINS Newsletter No 2 - 12th September

Message from Mrs Fynn:

It's lovely having a full school now that Reception are with us all day, there are so many happy smiling faces in classrooms.

This week we have been learning about the Zones of Regulation. The Zones of Regulation is a simple way to help children understand and manage their feelings. It uses four coloured "zones" to show how we feel inside. The **Blue Zone** is for when we feel tired, sad, or unwell. The **Green Zone** is when we feel calm, happy, and ready to learn. The **Yellow Zone** is for feelings like worry, excitement, or frustration, when we might need help to stay in control. The **Red Zone** is for strong feelings like anger, panic or feeling out of control. Teaching children about the zones helps them recognise emotions and choose helpful ways to respond, you could try using this at home too. For example, "Oh, I'm in the yellow zone, I'm really excited but a bit nervous about the birthday party." This will help your children to understand how the zones work in different contexts.



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

25th September - Flu Immunisations

October - Black History Month

2nd October - Census Day

21st October - Reception Parents Phonics Workshop

22nd October - Individual Pupil Photographs

6th November - Outdoor Classroom Day

Week Commencing 10th November - Anti-Bullying Week

11th November - Remembrance Day

Reception 2025/2026 Intake Tours

Tues 14/10	9.30-10.30am	Tue 11/11	9.30-10.30am
Wed 15/10	1.30-2.30pm	Wed 12/11	9.30-10.30am
Mon 20/10	9.30-10.30am	Wed 19/11	1.30-2.30pm
Thu 23/10	1.30-2.30pm	Mon 24/11	9.30-10.30am
Mon 03/11	1.30-2.30pm	Wed 26/11	9.30-10.30am
Wed 05/11	9.30-10.30am		

If your child is due to start Reception Year in the September 2025 intake and you would like to join one of our School tours, please email your name, contact details and preferred tour dates to admin@hadleigh-inf.essex.sch.uk



Star of the Week:

Wales: Grace Greece: Ella Brazil: Everly

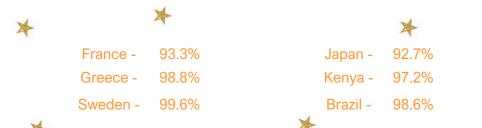
England: Rini Sweden: Freya Japan: Bobby

Scotland: Olivia France: Haven Kenya: Poppy

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Class Attendance Award:

The class with highest attendance this week was Sweden with 99.6%. Congratulations to them! Well done to the 4 classes that reached our 96% target. Our overall attendance was 96.6%









Week 1 Menu - Commencing 15th September

WEEK 1 **Meat Free Monday Homemade Cheese & Tomato Pizza** Served with Seasoned Wedges, Carrot and Cucumber Sticks Organic 100% Fruit Ice Lolly and Fresh Fruit **Picnic Tuesday** Ham, Cheese or Tuna Mayo Baguette Served with Mixed Pasta Salad **Homemade Shortbread and Fresh Fruit** Wednesday **Butchers Pork Sausage or Vegetarian Sausage** Served with Carrots and Creamy Mashed Potato Cook's Tasty Raspberry Muffins and Fresh Fruit **Thursday** Tomato & Chicken Pasta Bake or Quorn Chicken & Tomato Pasta Bake Served with Green Beans Seasonal Fresh Fruit Platter **Friday Fish Fingers or Fluffy Omelette** Served with Chips and Baked Beans Homemade Jammy Croissant

For detailed allergen information please follow this link to our website:

https://www.hadleigh-inf.essex.sch.uk/web/the hadleigh kitchen/318495

CENSUS DAY - 2ND OCTOBER 2025

Did you know that by ordering a School meal for your child on Census Day helps towards our funding?

Our fantastic Catering Team will provide a themed menu on this day so watch this space for the details.



Calling all Hadleigh Heroes

We are continuing to celebrate out of school achievements this year. If your child has done something amazing outside of School that you would like us to share in our weekly newsletter. Please send the information and a photo (if you wish) to admin@hadleigh-inf.essex.sch.uk.

Any emails received after 3pm on a Thursday will be celebrated in the following weeks newsletter.

Many thanks

PLEASE DO NOT PLAY ON EQUIPMENT

WE KINDLY ASK THAT,
DUE TO HEALTH AND
SAFETY REASONS, YOU
DO NOT ALLOW YOUR
CHILDREN TO PLAY ON
THE PLAYGROUND
EQUIPMENT BEFORE OR
AFTER SCHOOL
MANY THANKS



Hadleigh Heroes

Running in to the new academic year is Lyla A from Sweden Class - she was really proud to show us the wristband she had been given at the weekend when she completed her 21st 2km Park Run. That is a fabulous commitment Lyla, well done and keep up the hard work. Your family are super proud of you and so are we!



As you know, all children in Reception, Year 1 and Year 2 automatically qualify for free school meals.

But did you also know that HINS may be entitled to claim additional funding of £1300 for your child? This money is used to support children with additional equipment and resources.

Families would gain access to the local authority funding for holiday activity clubs and their food programme.

If you receive any of the following, please let us know and we can provide you with a form to help us obtain the funding via Essex County Council.

- ♦ Universal Credit with an annual net earned income of no more than £7,400 before benefits are taken in to account
- ♦ Income Support
- ♦ Income-based Jobseeker's Allowance
- Income-related Employment and Support Allowance
- Support under Part 6 of the Immigration and Asylum Act 1999
- ♦ The guarantee element of Pension Credit
- Working Tax Credit run-on (paid for the four weeks after you stop qualifying for Working Tax Credit)
- ♦ Child Tax Credit (with no working Tax Credit) with and annual income of no more than £16,160



As parking can be difficult during busy times we are able to offer Parking Permits times we are able to offer Parking Permits for use in the Rectory Road car park for specified times of the day. These can be collected from the School Office

Holiday Dates -

27th-31st October - Half Term Break

22nd December - 2nd January - Christmas Break

3rd November - Welcome Back!

5th January - Welcome Back!



Polite Request

We kindly ask that any outstanding balance on your School Money account for the last academic year are settled as a matter of importance.

Many thanks



LOST PROPERTY

Any lost property can be found in in the Foyer outside Mrs Reader's office. Please keep a regular check as some items may take a day or two to be located and find their

way down to lost property.

Parents Association ...

Hadleigh Infants and Nursery School and Hadleigh Juniors School Parents' Association Fireworks Display - 14th November 2025

Dear Parents/Carers,

So many of you have already kindly supported our events this calendar year, which we really appreciate and we are again asking for your valuable support.

After regrettably having to cancel last year's display, we are hoping to come back with a bang(!) but need your help. In order to adequately and safely host this year's fireworks event, we are seeking a **team of volunteers**. Friday 10th October 2025, after this date, the PA will assess the level of volunteers, as without sufficient help the event will be cancelled. We have a range of roles with some that require a commitment of as little as just 10 minutes, ranging to those supporting the whole event. Training will be provided for specific roles, such as fire marshal. As a thank you, volunteers will gain free access to the display.

If you are able to help please sign up by September 30th.

Some of the roles include:

Tickets and admission on gates (5-7pm)
Fire marshal (5-7pm)
Refreshments - drinks, sweets and hot food (5-7pm)
Setting up (1.30-3pm)

If you are able to help in any way please do let us know by filling in the online form:

Fireworks Volunteers 2025

Or contact the Hadleigh Junior school office on 01702 558619

*Please note that the volunteer ticket only applies to the volunteer themselves and not to their children or their families. We reserve the right to refuse admission if the ticket conditions are not adhered to.

Thank you, The Hadleigh Junior and Infant Schools Parent Associations



Meet our Safeguarding Team



Mrs Lucy Fynn

Designated Safeguarding Lead



David Turner
Safeguarding Governor



Mrs K Strickland



Miss KRyan



Miss L Selley



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.