



Important dates

January

13th – Year R superhero day
14th – Year R phonics taster morning
20th - Whole school winter warmer

As a school we have a legal authority to request Penalty Notices to parents who do not ensure their child is attending school. You will be issued a fine for the following:

- Your child has unauthorised absence for 10 or more sessions (a session is a morning or afternoon) over the course of 8 weeks, these do not need to be consecutive days.
- You take your child on holiday during term time for 10 or more session.
- Your child arrives late after 9:15 on 10 occasions over an 8 week period.

Christian value of our fortnight

This week children have been learning about the Christian value of 'Knowledge' which is learning something new so you can be better at whatever you do.

We have been thinking about choices this week and how we get help to make the right choices. In the bible it says we can ask God for help if we have decisions to make!

This week's Lovely Hat winners

Blue Adventurer – Nma

Green Adventurer – Arabella

Explorer – Maya

Pioneer – Izabelle

Please remember everyone is welcome to attend our Lovely Hat celebration collective every Friday at 9am

INSET DAYS

1st June – School

20th July - School

We will be having a winter warmer on 20th January. More info to follow.



Adventurers will be having a superhero day on Monday 13th January to kick off their new topic. Please send your child dressed up as their favourite superhero on that day.



We have had a reported case of threadworms in school. Please see below a useful link.

<https://www.nhs.uk/conditions/threadworms/>

School Attendance Matters!



Week Beginning 16th December

Blue Adventurers 91.6%

Green Adventurers 94.5%

Explorers 95.4%

Pioneers 86.7%

Whole School 91.8%

Well Done Explorers!

Year R phonics taster morning 14th January 2020

We are excited to invite you to a stay and read phonics session with your child on Tuesday 14th January at 09.00am.

This will allow you to see how phonics is taught in school and will be a great opportunity for you to get more ideas about how to support your child at home.

The session will include a time in class from 9.00-9.30 and then coffee and a talk about Phonics from 9.30 – 10.00am. You will also receive some free resources to help you support your children with their Phonics learning.

We do hope you are able to join us for this extremely valuable session.

Last week there were 33 instances of lateness by 20 children and 7 hours and 52 minutes of learning time were lost due to lateness.

Please remember that you must inform us if your child is unwell and is unable to attend school. Please contact us before 9:15am. You can phone us 023 80 385122 or email us at

southampton@hopecommunityschool.org

Please remember good attendance and punctuality are really important!

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