

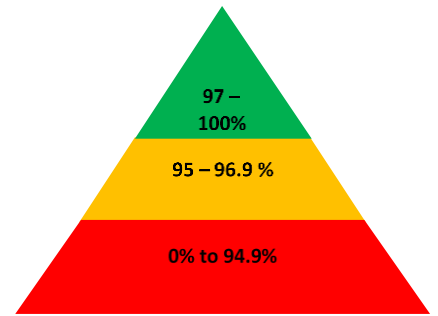


HOPE

COMMUNITY SCHOOL
SOUTHAMPTON

Newsletter

27th November 2020



Important dates

December

10th – Inset day. Children not in school
 11th – Christmas Jumper day and Christmas dinner
 18th – School closes at 13:30. Christmas non-school uniform day.

19th – 3rd Jan – Christmas holidays

January

4th – Inset day children not in school
 5th – Children back to school

Next week is week 2 on the lunch menu.

Important reminders

We use ParentMail as our main form of communication from the school office to yourself. Therefore it is vital that if you haven't been receiving messages from us that you email us at

southampton@hopecommunityschool.org so we can talk you through why you haven't been getting messages (it may be your email address has changed, or you need help to log in etc). ParentMail is a fantastic tool, but it does not show when people aren't getting messages once that initial registration has taken place. **We want to make sure you are not missing any important information.**

Christian value of our fortnight

This week children have been learning about the Christian value of 'Curiosity'. This is asking good questions to keep on learning.

The children have been thinking about curiosity this week. We have discussed what makes a good question and how curiosity is one thing that really helps us to learn. Children are also thinking about emotions as part of our effort to help teach children about mental health. The emotion of the week was happiness and the children thought about what makes them happy

This week's Lovely Hat winners

Discoverer – Toshiro

Red Adventurer – Alexander

Yellow Adventurer – Scarlett

Explorer – Shanaya

Pioneer – Freya

INSET DAYS

10th December 2020

4th January 2021

19th April 2021

The Phonics information session via Zoom on Tuesday 24th November hosted by Miss Hill and Miss Pollard was very successful. Thank you to all the parents/carers who joined. They hope to run another session in January 2020.

Phonics

We are recording a promotional video for new families and children starting Hope community school in September 2021, as at this time we are unable to invite parents in to visit the school. If you **do not want your child** to take part in the promotional video, please let the school office know by emailing southampton@hopecommunityschool.org by **Monday 30th November.**



Reminders and Requests

Symptoms of COVID-19

New continuous cough



High temperature



Loss of, or change in, sense of taste or smell



If you have any of these symptoms, get tested

Please do not send your child into school if they are or anyone in your household displays any COVID-19 Symptoms. The symptomatic household member must book a test nhs.uk/coronavirus or call 119. Please inform the school of the child's absence.

School Attendance Matters!



Week Beginning 16th November

Discoverers 95.5%

Red Adventurers 98.4%

Yellow Adventurers 96.3%

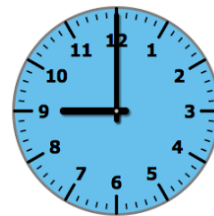
Explorers 97.6%

Pioneers 94.6%

Whole School 96.5%

Well Done Red Adventurers!

Lateness



Week Beginning 16th November

Discoverers 2 children late

Red Adventurers 4 children late

Yellow Adventurers 0 children late

Explorers 3 children late

Pioneers 2 children late

Last week there were 16 instances of lateness by 13 children and of 5 hours 16 minutes 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, use the ParentMail app or email us at southampton@hopecommunityschool.org

Please remember good attendance and punctuality are really important!

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