

Important dates

October 25th- 29th – HALF TERM November 1st - Pupil photos 15th – Year 4 to Fishbourne

It will be week 1 on the NEW lunch menu after half term





Christian value of our fortnight

This week children have been learning about the Christian value of 'uniqueness' which is discovering who you are meant to be, so you can make a difference.

The children have enjoyed celebrating Harvest this week. They have found out why Christians celebrate Harvest around the world, have learnt a Harvest song and have considered how important it is to be thankful for the food we eat and all of the people involved in producing it. Thank you so much to all of the families who have donated food for Basics Bank. It is all going to be collected today ready for distribution around the city.

This week's Lovely Hat winners

Innovator – Apeksha Discoverer – Lily Rose Blue Adventurer – Aysha Green Adventurer – Karolina Explorer – Seth Pioneer – Daniel

INSET DAYS

4th January

25th April

Free Trial Session and £40 discount at Perform

Popular children's drama and dance school Perform is offering a Free Trial Session and a **special introductory discount of £40 for members of Hope Community School** if you sign up by Tuesday 25th January. Please quote SDFL250122 when they book your free session by going to <u>perform.org.uk/try</u> or calling 020 7255 9120. For more details, see the attached flyer.



Next week school is closed for half term holiday. Children are back on 1st November.		child has Covid symptoms and you take them to get a PCR, you must inform the school and keep them off school until the results are known.
HAVE A SAFE AND HAP HALF TERM HOLDAY		
School Attendance Matters! Week Beginning 4 th C		Lateness Week Beginning 4 th October
Innovators	86.6%	
Discoverers	94.8%	Innovators 2 children late Discoverers 1 child late
Blue Adventurers	96.7%	Blue Adventurers 4 children late
Green Adventurers	95.5%	Green Adventurers 3 children late
Explorers	93.5%	Explorers 3 children late
Pioneers	86.2%	Pioneers 1 child late
Whole School 92.2 % Well Done Blue Adventurers!		Last week there were 24 instances of lateness by 15 children and 9 hours and 38 minutes of learning time were lost due to lateness. As you can see our lateness has impacted our overall attendance and this must improve.

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 <u>southampton@hopecommunityschool.org</u>

Please remember good attendance and punctuality are really important!

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