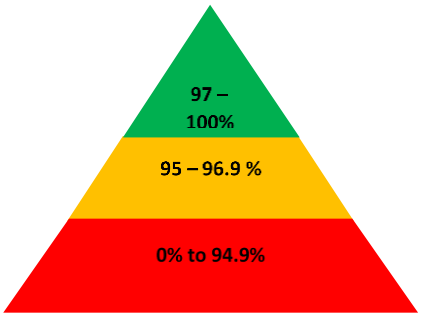
# HOPE COMMUNITY SCHOOL SOUTHAMPTON

# Newsletter

## 5th November 2021




### Important dates

**November**

15th – Year 4 to Fishbourne roman palace

11th and 15th- Year R school tour for prospective 2022 parents 4.00pm-5.00pm.

Tues 16th – Closing date for school photo orders

19th- Children in need

**December**

1st – Year 2 trip to the Seacity museum.

16th – Year R trip to Mayflower theatre

17th – Late day of term – school close early more details to follow

## Children in need

On Friday 19th November we are supporting Children in Need. Please can the children bring in a £1 donation and wear something yellow, spotty or both.

### 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 been thinking a lot about the environment due to the importance of the current Climate Change Conference in Glasgow. They have thought about the impact of Greta Thunberg, the young Swedish environmental activist, who has used her unique skills and passion to make a massive difference.

### This week's Lovely Hat winners

**Innovator – Jona and Aveya**
**Discoverer – Lex**
**Blue Adventurer – Kaele**
**Green Adventurer – Jude**
**Explorer – Ibrahim**
**Pioneer – Laith**

### INSET DAYS

**4th January**

**25th April**

**One Kind Word – Anti Bullying Week will take place 15 – 19 November**

**To highlight that we are all unique and different we will have Odd sock day Monday 15 November**

**A polite reminder to complete and return the permission forms for the school trips that are approaching and for the funds to be made payable by bank transfer**

# Starting school

If you have a child who was born between 1st September 2017 and 31st August 2018 they will be eligible to start school in the school year beginning September 2022.

We have two open evening for a school tour Thursday 11th and Monday 15th November 4.00pm-5.00pm, please come to the main glass door of central hall where you will be greeted.

We look forward to meeting our new families.

Just a gentle reminder that if your 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. Many thanks for your co-operation.

## School Attendance Matters!

**Week Beginning 18th October**

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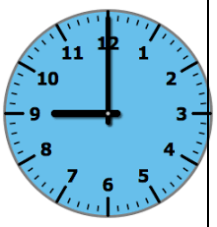
| **Innovators** | **89.0%** |
| **Discoverers** | **94.3%** |
| **Blue Adventurers** | **99.1%** |
| **Green Adventurers** | **85.0%** |
| **Explorers** | **91.2%** |
| **Pioneers** | **88.7%** |

Whole School 91.3 %

**Well Done Blue Adventurers!**

## Lateness



**Week Beginning 18th October**

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| **Innovators** | **2 children late** |
| **Discoverers** | **1 child late** |
| **Blue Adventurers** | **3 children late** |
| **Green Adventurers** | **3 children late** |
| **Explorers** | **3 children late** |
| **Pioneers** | **0 child late** |

**Last week there were 12 instances of lateness by 15 children and 3 hours and 42 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 southampton@hopecommunityschool.org

**Please remember good attendance and punctuality are really important!**

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