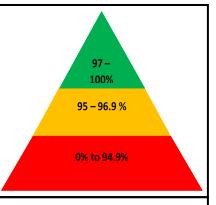


# NEWSLETTER 11th November 2022



### **IMPORTANT DATES**

### November

14th—Odd sock day to mark anti-bullying week

18th - Children in need wear something spotty, yellow or both and £1 donation.

22nd—Closing Date for school photographs

#### December

1st—Christmas post boxes, Please write names/classes clearly on envelopes

8th—Year 2 school trip to Sea city museum

12th—Year R,1 and 2 teddy bear concert

19th—4th Jan 2023 School Break for Christmas

Week 3 for school lunches

# Children in need

On Friday 18<sup>h</sup> November we are supporting Children in Need. Please can the children bring in a £1 donation and wear something yellow, spotty or both.



# **Congratulations**

We would like to congratulate Miss Robinson on the safe arrival or her little boy Brenton born 2nd November 2022. Mum and baby are doing well.

### **Christian value of our fortnight**

This week children have been thinking of the value of "**Generosity**" which is making someone's day by giving something away. They have thought about different ways of being generous and linked it to how people have been generous enough in the past to give their lives for others. We then thought about the meaning of Poppy Day.

## **School Photographs**

School photographs were sent home on Tuesday 8th November. We can take cash orders in the school office or orders can be made online using the code on the proof card.

The closing date for order is 22nd November.

## This week's Lovely Hat Winners

Trailblazers	Ilya
Innovators	Olivia
Discoverers	Rand
Green Adv	Karolina
Blue Adv	Jolie
Explorers	Toby
Pioneers	Talea

## **SAFEGUARDING CORNER**

This week we wanted to further promote online safety for the children.

Many of them are discussing "You Tube" clips that they have watched

The YouTube site says that it is for children aged 13 up. However, there is a "YouTube Kids platform that provides enhanced parental controls:

#### https://www.youtubekids.com/

Children need to be supervised when watching these videos as they can easily move from something educational and appropriate to something totally inappropriate with adult content within seconds.

In particular, we wanted to warn parents about videos and games connected to a horror game character from "Poppy Playtime" called <u>Huggy Wuggy</u>.

WARNING: This contains images and details some people may find disturbing. This **should not be shared with young children**.

# Starting School September 2023

School Applications are open to apply to Hope Community School for children born between 1st September 2018 and 31 August 2019 to start school in the beginning September 2023.

This is important for parents who already have children attending Hope Community School to apply for their siblings place. Please use the link to apply-

School Applications close 15<sup>th</sup> January 2023

https://www.southampton.gov.uk/schools-learning/find-school/apply-school/

### School Attendance Matters!

### Week Beginning 31st October 2022

Trailblazers	95.5%
Innovators	97.7%
Discoverers	92.1%
<b>Blue Adventurers</b>	92.0%
<b>Green Adventurers</b>	<b>95.8%</b>
Explorers	90.4%
Pioneers	93.8%

Whole School 93.9%

Well Done Blue Adventurers

### Lateness

#### Week Beginning 31st October 2022

Trailblazers	2 children late
Innovators	0 children late
Discoverers	2 children late
<b>Blue Adventurers</b>	l child late
<b>Green Adventurers</b>	4 children late
Explorers	2 children late
Pioneers	O children late



Last week there were 11 instances of lateness by 11 children and 1 hours and 56 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, use the ParentMail app or email us at

southampton@hopecommunityschool.org

Please remember good attendance and punctuality are really important!

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