

HOPE COMMUNITY SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

1st December 2023



IMPORTANT DATES

December 6th | Christmas performance **9.30am**

December 6th | School Christmas dinner

December 15th | School CLOSERS EARLY | Years

R, 1, 2 & 3 finish **12.30pm** | Years 4, 5 & 6 finish

1pm

Tuesday 2nd January | Inset Day - NO SCHOOL

Wednesday 3rd January 2024 | Children back to school

LOVELY HAT WINNERS!



CREATORS | **Victoria**

TRAILBLAZERS | **Sarah Z**

INNOVATORS | **Danah**

DISCOVERERS | **Manreet**

GREEN ADVENTURERS | **Bamise**

BLUE ADVENTURERS | **Nylah**

EXPLORERS | **Toby**

PIONEERS | **JJ**

Well done! to all of this weeks winners!

CHRISTIAN VALUE OF THE FORTNIGHT

The children have been thinking about the Christian value of 'Patience' this week, which is waiting until later for something we want now. In the season of Advent, Christians around the world prepare themselves for Christmas when they celebrate the birth of Jesus. This is a time of patience as we wait for the fun and excitement of the festivities. Children have been thinking about the importance of waiting for things and how most of the things we value most require some patient waiting! They have also considered what we can do while we wait. If we use the time to prepare ourselves it often means that not only will we enjoy what we are waiting for more when it arrives, we also find ourselves enjoying waiting!

CHRISTMAS PERFORMANCE!



The children and staff
are excited to invite you to our
Christmas Performance
on Wednesday 6th December
starting at **9.30am**



SAFEGUARDING CORNER

We have received reports of a YouTube cartoon series called 'Jeffy'. We encourage all those with children and young people in their care to read our Safeguarding Update to learn more about the risks of this content, and advice on how to help keep them safer! Available to read here:
<https://ineqe.com/2023/11/09/safeguarding-update-youtube-cartoon-jeffy>



SCHOOL CLUBS!

The after school clubs that are run by school will finish next week. However, Computer Explorers runs until the end of term.

!! IMPORTANT !!

PLEASE NOTE: School starts at the normal time on Fridays and ALL of the children need to be in class for the register at the beginning of the day.



SCHOOL ATTENDANCE MATTERS!

LATENESS

Week beginning 20th November 2023

Creators	90.0%	Creators children late	4
Trailblazers	95.7%	Trailblazers children late	0
Innovators	92.0%	Innovators children late	3
Discoverers	90.6%	Discoverers children late	2
Blue Adventurers	86.4%	Blue Adventurers late	5
Green Adventurers	99.6%	Green Adventurers late	1
Explorers	86.3%	Explorers children late	14
Pioneers	94.8%	Pioneers children late	0

Whole School 91.8% Last week there were 30 instances of lateness by 19 children. That means 10 hours and 25 minutes of learning time was lost.

Please remember to contact us before 9.15am if your child is unwell and is unable to attend school. You can use the ParentMail app, call 02380 385122 or email southampton@hopecommunityschool.org
 PLEASE REMEMBER THAT GOOD ATTENDANCE AND PUNCTUALITY ARE IMPORTANT



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