

# Hill View Primary School Reach For The Stars

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## Year 6 Update

In the last half term, Year 6 became budding Scientists in the project, Have a Heart. It was great to see the children enjoying learning about the circulatory system and the impact of diet, exercise, drugs and lifestyle on the way their bodies function. Using what they had learnt in Science, in groups, the children planned and led a warmup and sports activity for the Year 5 children. Children used their fantastic collaboration skills within these groups to communicate ideas and organise teams and equipment. We were very impressed with how confidently the Year 6 children offered encouragement and feedback to each other and were able to reflect on how the learning intention had been met.





In the past few weeks, we have investigated and explored Ancient Greece. The children have enjoyed sequencing key events and they have started to compare Modern Greece and Ancient Greece. It has been great to see Year 6 enjoying reading Greek Myths and designing their own Pandora's box too.

Miss Roots Year 6 Lead

## **Coming Up Next Week**

All Week: Whole School World Book Week
Tuesday 5<sup>th</sup> – Bring in a book and a breakfast

Wednesday 6<sup>th</sup> – Book Fair & Book Sale: Suggested £2 donation for a book Thursday 5<sup>th</sup> – World Book Day Dress up. Theme: Stories around the World

## **Reminders**

Whole School Science Project due in: Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March Click here for letter

Y2 Marwell Zoo Trip payment deadline: Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March £17.50 via WisePay

Y3 Kew Gardens Trip payment deadline: Monday 11<sup>th</sup> March £22 via WisePay

Y4 Residential (Hooke Court) next instalment due: Thursday 28<sup>th</sup> March £40 via WisePay

Y5 (Next year's Y6) Residential (Fort Purbrook 2025) £50 deposit due Monday 25<sup>th</sup> March

Y5 Winchester Science Centre Trip payment deadline: Friday 3<sup>rd</sup> May £21.50 via WisePay

Y6 Residential (Fort Purbrook) next instalment due: Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March £25.50 via WisePay

## **Hot School Meals (Forerunner)**

Hot school meals must be ordered by midnight on Mondays for the following week.

www.hotmealsonwheels.com

## **Pupil Absence**

If your child is going to be absent from school, please contact the school office:

Tel: 01202 514109

E-mail: office@hillview.bournemouth.sch.uk

If leaving a message or sending an e-mail, please give the following information:Child's name, Class/Year Group

Reason for Absence— We are required to record specific details rather than just "unwell". Please let us know your child's specific symptoms e.g. temperature, cold/flu symptoms, vomiting etc. Providing these details will prevent us calling you.

Please refer to the <u>NHS website</u> for advice regarding whether to keep your child away from school if they are unwell.

## World Book Week (Monday 4<sup>th</sup> – Friday 8<sup>th</sup> March)

Worlday	In class activity. Each child will design their own bookmark. Can this match our theme of Around the World?  Share a Story  Children will rotate within their year groups and enjoy listening to a story read by their teachers.  ERIC Time
Tuesday	Breakfast and a Book Children to bring in their own breakfast snack to have with a book as soon as they enter the classroom. Children are welcome to bring a book from home to share with their friends and teachers.  ERIC Time
Wednesday	Pre-loved Book Fair Suggested £2 donation (hand to teacher upon arrival at school).  ERIC Time Book Sale Weather permitting, there will be a book sale on the bottom playground at the end of the day – suggested £2 donation.
Thursday	Dress Up Day! Theme: Stories Around the World You could dress up as a character from a book set in a different place, an animal or represent a country in a different way. One child in each year group will win a prize for the most inventive costume, as judged by our fantastic Reading Ambassadors.  ERIC Time
Friday	Story Cube In class activity. Children will design and make their own story cube to inspire story-telling.  ERIC Time

## **Pre-loved Book Fair**

Make a Book Mark





The **Great Big Read** team will visit Hill View Primary on **Wednesday 6th March** during school hours.

Throughout the day, all pupils will visit the book fair to select a preloved title to keep at home!

We ask for a **suggested donation of £2 per child** towards school book fundraising.

This event is **fully inclusive** and donations are **optional** - all children will join in the fun! You are welcome to contribute a higher amount to this initiative should you wish to do so. Donations can made via;

- Cash on the day (mark envelope to 'Great Big Read')
- PayPal at this link: <a href="https://bit.ly/3oE87VN">https://bit.ly/3oE87VN</a> (select 'Hill View Primary' from drop down)

**100% of children** receive a book to keep at home! **100% donations** benefit Hill View Primary with extra books!



## **Spring 2 Home Learning Reminders**

#### Year R

'All Around the World'
Click for child or parent leaflets

Week 1: Can you find North America on a world map or a globe?



**Around the World Dress up Party:** Thursday 21<sup>st</sup> March

#### Year 1

'Three Bears in a Fix'
Click for <u>child</u> or <u>parent</u> leaflets

Design and make a new bed for Baby Bear to sleep in.



Due: Monday 25th March

#### Year 2

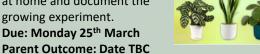
'Seven Wonders of the World'
Click for child or parent leaflets
Create a book or presentation
about your 'wonders of the world'.



Due: Monday 25th March

#### Year 3

'Trust me, I'm a botanist'
Click for child or parent leaflets
Grow some things of your own
at home and document the
growing experiment.



#### Year 4

'Fun at the Fair'
Click for child or parent leafle
Research fairgrounds and
present your findings on a
poster, leaflet or fact file.



Due: Monday 25th March

#### Year 5

'My Many Coloured Days'
Click for child or parent leaflets
Research an abstract artist and
and create a piece of art in the
style of your chosen artist.



Due: Monday 25<sup>th</sup> March

Parent Outcome: Wednesday 27th March 3:30pm

#### Year 6

'How Civilised'

Click for child or parent leaflets

Produce a visual aid or an artefact to support your presentation at the History Convention in class.



Due: Monday 25<sup>th</sup> March



It takes a village to raise a child, and it takes a community to keep children safe

## NSPCC Listen Up, Speak up Campaign

Keeping children safe is everyone's responsibility. That's why the NSPCC launched their new campaign, <u>Listen up</u>, <u>Speak up</u>. They are asking the public to take free, 10-minute digital training and learn how to **listen up** and **speak up** for children. The NSPCC is offering free 10-minute digital training and learn what to do if you're ever worried about a child or their family.

Listen up, Speak up will show you:

- some signs a child might be at risk, and steps you can take to help
- how to approach difficult conversations to help keep children safe
- who you can contact if you're ever concerned about a child or their family.

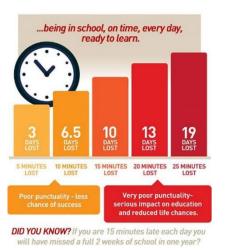
Encourage people you know to sign up today!

#### Attendance - Lates

Did you know that the school gates close at 8:50 in the morning? This is also when the register is taken, so if your child arrives later, then they will receive a Late mark on the register.

If your child arrives after 9:20 a.m. then this will be marked as an unauthorised absence on the register.

We begin learning straight away in the classroom; if late, children could be missing an intervention specifically for them, or some time to practice a skill such as phonics, spellings or times tables, or a whole class input on the learning they will be doing that morning.



## Parentkind.org







Health Support Team in Schools



HOW DO I FIND OUT MORE?

Give us a ring: 01202 129150

(f) X (0)

@DORSETMHST

Send us an email: dhc.mhsteam.bcp@nhs.net





# ParentLine 5-19

Confidential text messaging advice service for parents and carers of children aged 5-19.

Message us for confidential advice on

07312 263131
to chat with a member of the School Nursing team



## **PTFA Update**

It's been a great start to the week with our Disco's and Magic Shows. All the children were polite and excellently behaved, it was great seeing them having so much fun!

Thank you to all our helpers.

Our profit made will be announced soon.







## Rainbow Hamper Raffle (click here to view letter)

#### Raffle Tickets

Raffle tickets are available to buy from Classlist and sheets of 10 raffle tickets will be in the office for those that wish to purchase them using cash. Each ticket is £1.00.



Deadline for purchasing tickets either by Classlist or Cash will be Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> March at 3pm.

## Non-Uniform Day

On Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> March, it will be a non-uniform day in exchange for a gift in the colour specified below for your child's year group. This can be anything non-perishable from food/drink/toiletries etc. We will then make up hampers with all your gifts and these will be raffled

off.

Year R: Red Year 1: Green Year 2: Orange Year 3: Purple Year 4: Blue Year 5: Pink

Year 6: Yellow



Please take all donations to your child's classroom.

Thank you so much for your continued support.

## **General Meeting**

Our next General Meeting will be held on Wednesday 20 March, 7:45pm at The Crown Pub in Northbourne. It would be lovely to see more people there. New faces and ideas are always welcome ©

Rachel, Sam, Alistair, Michelle, Lorraine, Jen, Jo & Nickie PTFA Committee Members



## **Uniform Preloved & NEW!**

We have a wide range of stock available of new Uniform to purchase from us. We can now send you a link for electronic payment with easy collection from the school office! Please see our <u>Uniform Price list</u> for more information.



We continue to have stock in the main office for pre-loved items and an honesty box is at the reception desk. We only accept cash for pre-loved. If you have any clean, good quality items for donating, please leave in a bag under the existing clothes rail. All donations are greatly received.

#### Thank you.

## How to reach us:

Facebook: www.facebook.com/hillview.primaryptfa/

Email: Hillview.ptfa@hotmail.co.uk

Classlist: https://classlist.page.link/6d9FBeD11FcyAUrC7









Red Nose Day will be taking place on Friday 15th March 2024. The School Council have come up with some ways that we can raise money for this amazing charity.

#### 1) Wear Red

We are inviting our school community to come into school dressed in 'red to toe' on Friday 15th March 2024 so dust off your ruby slippers, pop on your lobster suit or simply don some scarlet sockshow far you take it is up to you!

In return, please donate £1 which will be donated to Comic Relief.

#### 2) Do Something funny

Do something funny- During the week, tell a joke, put on a puppet show or entertain your classmates! One act to be picked from each class to show in the assembly on the Friday. 20p per entry for Comic Relief and a prize will be awarded for the best comedy act to be chosen by the School Council.

## 3) Art Competition

Only using the colour red and a pencil, what can you create? Competition entries to be handed in by Wednesday 13th March. Please include your child's name, class and a **50p donation to Comic** Relief. Winners will be awarded in the assembly on Friday 15th March 2024.

With the help of our school community, we can help children and young people all over the world who need it most.

We look forward to seeing all the children looking fabulous!

## Dogs on the premises

Please can we remind parents and carers that dogs are not allowed on the school premises. This is due to the health, safety and welfare of children and adults.

Thank you.

## Recommended Read Book of the week (Y6)

#### The Hobbit – J.R.R. Tolkien



A timeless classic.

Bilbo Baggins enjoys a quiet and contented life, with no desire to travel far from the comforts of home; then one day the wizard Gandalf and a band of dwarves arrive unexpectedly and enlist his services – as a burglar – on a dangerous expedition to raid the treasurehoard of Smaug the dragon. Bilbo's life is never to be the same again.

## **WIZARDS** 01 March 2024



YR - Elsie M-S

YR - Dylan C

YR - True B

Y1 – Arthur C

Y1 - Darcev F

Y1 - George H

Y2 – Noah B

Y2 - Emils M

Y2 – Eliott R

Y3 - Gyuney Y

Y3 - Esmae L-B

Y3 - Anais H

Y4 - Skyler C

Y4 - Myles H

Y4 - Sophia B

Y5 - Roxanne B

Y5 - Thea A-P

Y5 – Waleed S

Y6 - Arthur J-C

Y6 – Henry C

Y6 - Noah P





# **Awards/Badges**



Y2 – Eliott R – ADDER Badge

Y3 - Macy B - ADDER Badge

Y3 – Maci W – ADDER Badge

Y3 – Brooke G – ADDER Badge

Y4 - Sophie R - SMILE Badge

Y4 – Freya P – SMILE Badge

Y4 – Mackenzie M – SMILE Badge

Y6 - Percy M - SMILE Badge

## Well done!





## Never give up

on something you really want. It's difficult to wait,

but it's more difficult



