



The Hollybrook Headlines

18th November 2020



Year R

The Year R bubble will be closed tomorrow, Thursday 19th November, due to staff shortages. No Year R children should be in school tomorrow.

Face Masks and One-Way System

Please could we remind all parents that face masks or coverings must be worn at all times when on the school site, unless you are exempt.

Also a reminder of the recent change to the one-way system. Year 4 and 6N will need to enter from the playground end and exit by Little Berries to rejoin the one-way system through the playground to exit the school site on to Lordswood Road.

INSET Days

A reminder that Friday 20th November and Monday 23rd November are INSET Days, so children will not be in school.

Home Reading

Mrs Clifford and Mrs Alderslade have been really impressed with all the home reading that the children have been doing. We have been giving out lots of certificates in assembly.

Some children in the Juniors have read 60 times and made it all the way to the USA, and at least one child in the Infants has made it to 75. In the Infants, children have been travelling all over the UK with their home reading. We have really enjoyed learning lots of new facts about the places you have visited in your reading passport.

Well done to all those children who have started their reading journey. If your child hasn't started yet there is still time for them to start collecting stamps in their passport and receive a reading certificate.

PTA Christmas Deadline Reminder

Just a reminder that the deadline for returning the Christmas Shopping Day forms, or for entering the virtual raffle, is Monday 7th December.

For more information please email: pta@hollybrookschoools.co.uk

Uniform and Water Bottles

Please could we remind all parents that children are required to wear full school uniform, which includes sensible school shoes. Children should not come in to school wearing trainers. Please could parents also ensure that children have their water bottle in school every day.

Attendance

Infant School

Our target school attendance figure is... **97%**

Our current figure is.... **97.1%**

Our class of the week is.... **Rabbits** with **98.6%**

Junior School

Our target school attendance figure is ... **97%**

Our current figure is.... **97.3%**

Our class of the week is.... **3K** and **5B** with **99.7%**



If your child did not receive the flu vaccination in school, and you would still like your child to receive the vaccine, please bring your child to a community clinic.

The clinics dates are:

04/11/2020	Pickles Coppice (Windermere Avenue, SO16 9QX) 3pm - 4.30pm
11/11/2020	Clovelly Road Sure Start (Clovelly Road, SO14 0AU) 3pm - 4.30pm
14/11/2020	Thornhill Centre for Healthy Living (Pepys Avenue, SO19 6PJ) – 10am-3:30pm
19/11/2020	Thornhill Centre for Healthy Living (Pepys Avenue, SO19 6PJ) 3pm-4.30pm
28/11/2020	Thornhill Centre for Healthy Living (Pepys Avenue, SO19 6PJ) – 10am-3:30pm
03/12/2020	Pickles Coppice (Windermere Avenue, SO16 9QX) 3pm-4.30pm
05/12/2020	Thornhill Centre for Healthy Living (Pepys Avenue, SO19 6PJ) 10am – 3:30pm
09/12/2020	Clovelly Road Sure Start (Clovelly Road, SO14 0AU) 3pm-4.30pm
12/12/2020	Thornhill Centre for Healthy Living (Pepys Avenue, SO19 6PJ) 10am – 3:30pm
16/12/2020	Thornhill Centre for Healthy Living (Pepys Avenue, SO19 6PJ) 3pm-4.30pm
07/01/2020	Thornhill Centre for Healthy Living (Pepys Avenue, SO19 6PJ) 3pm-4.30pm

Do not attend if you or anyone within your household has symptoms of Covid 19 which include high temperature, new or persistent cough, a loss of, or change to, your sense of smell or taste.

Please be aware as these will be drop-in clinics you may have to wait to see a nurse, social distancing measures will be in place and face masks must be worn. Please dress warmly as you may have to wait outside.