



Hiltingbury Highlights

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Message from Miss Loosemore

Dear Parents and Carers,

As part of our commitment in supporting our local community, when we were contacted by Eastleigh basics bank to ask for our help, we knew everyone would want to take part. On Tuesday we invited Dave, who is a volunteer at the charity, to lead our assembly, sharing with the children the difference the charity makes providing food to families. Dave did leave us with a challenge as a school to fill 15 crates with food – so far we are about half way there, but with plenty of room left so please do all continue to help. The crates are being collected next Friday so we have plenty of time.

I am sure many of our year 6 parents and siblings have been very envious this week of the year 6 trip to Harry Potter world! The children and staff really enjoyed this adventure and seeing an insight into how the costumes, make up and special effects have all been created. Thank you also to our governors who joined the children for the day. Mrs Hansford shared 'Another superbly organised visit to Harry Potter World with Year 6 today. The children were a credit to the school as always. Thank you to the staff involved and for inviting me to join in! A really good day!'

Next week we have our Welcome events for each year group and we hope as many of you are able to join us, either in person or remotely. If you are attending in person please make your way to gate2 from 8.50am where you can join us for a cup of tea or coffee after the drop off.

We have been so pleased with the number of children who have applied to become a member of one of our pupil voice groups. The children have shown enthusiasm, creativity and ambition in preparing and presenting their nominations. On Monday we have invited all of the new members to join us at break time to welcome and thank them in advance in their new roles.

We hope you all enjoy a great weekend full of family fun!

Best wishes,

Zoe Loosemore

Link to our school website calendar for dates and events

[Website Calendar Link](#)



We Care nominations:

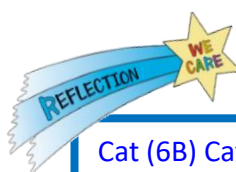


Grace M (6W) Throughout the week, Grace has shown an enthusiastic attitude to her learning, best exhibited on our trip to Warner Bros Studios on Tuesday. Grace was full of questions, showed a real appetite to deepen her knowledge and asked interesting questions. Keep it up, Grace.

Leo T (4S) Leo's explanations in maths this week have been brilliant. He has described the steps, his understanding and how he has reached his conclusion. In fact his enthusiasm and explanations have enlightened lots of the children in 4S - I wonder if I should be worried about my job! Well done Leo.

Mia W (4P) Since starting in Year 4, Mia has shown fantastic enthusiasm in all her lessons and the beaming smile on her face reflects her love of learning and well deserved pride in her achievements. Keep up the good work!

Tristan W (6C) My Harry Potter expert. Your enthusiasm was infectious and a joy to see. Your knowledge provided many with an insight into the wizarding world - thank you!



Cat (6B) Cat is such a fantastic reflective learner. Always with her hand up, she is consistently being 'active' in lessons by contributing and building upon what others have said and reflects on how she develops as a learner. Just brilliant!

Ethan (4DN) Ethan is such an enthusiastic learner who applies himself fully to all tasks set - but we are particularly proud of him for his ability to listen and respond to feedback, reflecting carefully and regularly, striving to make his work the best it can be! Well done Ethan :-)

Zak A-D (5MR) Zak has really stood out this week with his contributions and engagement in class discussions. In every lesson, Zak has impressed me with his knowledge and ability to reflect on previous learning and understanding and apply it to different contexts. A wonderful start to Year 5, well done!

Edward (5CR) - I think all of 5CR will agree that our science lessons are richer because Edward is a part of them. Knowledgeable, so keen to contribute and generally full of a thirst to find out more, it has been a pleasure to witness Edward's enquiring mind and contributions to science lessons. Keep this up across the curriculum Edward and we cannot wait to see all that you achieve this year!

Samuel W (5M) This week, Samuel has tried really hard to put his hand up more and get involved in class discussions. He particularly stood out in our reading and RE lessons when thinking outside the box and explaining his ideas.

Ramy (3BC) Since joining the juniors, Ramy has worked incredibly hard to make sure his hand is up and he is contributing in all lessons. He has helped us to build on our learning and provided some great insight and challenges to think about. Well done Ramy - keep it up (and your hand!)



Wali R (3D) - What an incredible week Wali has had! He has embodied the term 'ambition' and has really tried to challenge himself in his learning. What an excellent role model you are, Wali! I'm very proud of you!

Emilia K (3P) - What a super start to life in the Junior school you have made Emilia. You have impressed me with your hard working ethic, your positive attitude and your willingness to challenge yourself in your learning. Keep it up!



Year Group Highlights



Year 3

[Link to our weekly Highlights & Gallery](#)

Year 4

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Year 5

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Year 6

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Lost Property

Name All Items

Please Name all items brought into school so that they can be reunited with their owners.



Highlight Wellbeing

This week, a recipe to try with your child.

Shakes and smoothies are a fun, colourful, adaptable way to get nutrients into your body and give mental and physical health a boost. You will need a blender!

Everyone is different and will enjoy different flavours so experiment with the following ingredients to find your ideal mix - Obviously bear in mind any allergies or intolerances. You know your child!

Ingredients - whichever of these you like, and have at home!

Method - Experiment with amount to taste/thickness - Blitz it in the blender - add sprinkles - Immediately serve and enjoy together!



Base choose from the following -	Fruit mix it up and choose from -	Additional Bits and bobs -	Sprinkles for the Top choose from -
Oat milk Almond milk Coconut milk Soya milk Dairy milk	Fresh or frozen : Berries (I recommend frozen raspberries) Banana - this ingredient always makes the best shakes. Try chopping and freezing them first. Mango Spinach	Porridge oats - to thicken Peanut butter Yogurt -for creaminess Ice cubes honey or maple syrup to sweeten	Pumpkin seeds Sunflower seeds Chia seeds Goji berries Chocolate flakes Flaked almonds cinnamon

Extreme Reading Challenge

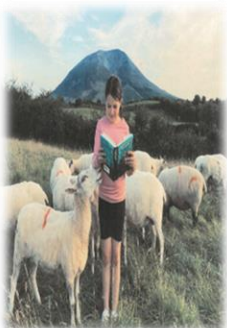
Well done to all the children who took part in Mrs Pollock's and Mrs Thomas' extreme reading challenge over the summer holidays. Wow! It was impressive to see how imaginative the children could be in finding places to read. A photo display will be coming soon, so please pop along on a Friday after school till 4pm to see some of the amazing photos, including the winning shots in the library.



Freddie B (4P) who managed to read whilst paddle boarding.

Annabelle B-E (4P) who managed to share a book with a chimpanzee!

These children have also been highly commended for their extreme reading



**Gracie W (3D), Izzy M (4P) Florence W (4S)
Eleanor T (5CR) Grace M (6W)**





The HSPTA will be holding a second-hand uniform sale after school on Wednesday 28th September. This is a fantastic opportunity to grab those bits you're still missing, or stock up on extra sizes, with the added bonus of all the money raised going to benefit the schools. We will be located in the main car park close to the main gates, the sale will start at 2:45pm and we will be able to accept cash or card payments.



The HSPTA Quiz & Pizza Night will be taking place in Hiltingbury Junior School Hall on Friday 21st October 2022 and will start at 7:30pm

Pre-order your teams' pizzas via our website or opt to bring your own food & drinks (alcohol is allowed) as long as you kindly tidy up after yourselves when you leave! Make a team of up to 8 people and buy a table at our quiz, priced at £40 per table. For tickets, and to pre-order pizzas, please go to our website

www.pta-events.co.uk/hspta

