

Newsletter HWIS 15th May 2026



Message from Mrs Boorman

What a fun week we have had this week despite the unpredictable weather!!

School Census Day

On Thursday 21st May, the menu is altering.

It will be:

Red – Fish fingers and chips

Green – Cheese and bean pasty

Blue - Jacket potato

Yellow – School packed lunch with a ham wrap

Outdoor learning day

This is also taking place on Thursday 21st May. Please ensure they come to school in old clothes as they are likely to messy having so much fun outside.

Lunchtime

The Year R children have been able to join the Year 1 and 2 children on the lower playground and field this week. It has been lovely to see them all interacting together and with our MAGNA lunchtime support.

Children's safety

A reminder that we are a pea, nut and shellfish free school. Please do not use Nutella spread as this contains nuts. Please ensure these products are not sent in your child's packed lunches as we have children and staff with severe allergies. Thank you for your support.

Please ensure that your child comes to school with their water bottle, sun hat and sun cream. We request that children bring in a rollable sun cream or wipes but appreciate that this can be costly. If your child is able to apply sun cream carefully themselves then we will allow them to use a lotion. Due to HCC policy, we are not permitted to apply sun cream on to the children.

With the warmer weather, many more children are scooting or cycling to school. Please ask your child to dismount as they enter the footpaths and playgrounds as we don't want any accidents.

Have a lovely, relaxing weekend, hopefully in the sunshine.

Year R

We received a letter from Andy who works at the national history museum to say that he needed our help to create some dinosaur fact files. The children were experts and were able to think of so many interesting sentences to write about the different dinosaurs. The children continued to look at number stories this week and practiced taking a small number away from a larger number. Butterfly class enjoyed their tasty waffles this week and Ladybirds will be taking part in their cooking on outdoor learning day. Please look on the classroom bulletin board for next week's updates as there are a few exciting things happening such as our parent event, charter treats and outdoor learning day.

Year 1

Squirrels and the other half of Otters had a lovely walk to Asda; unfortunately the rain stopped us from visiting the park so we hope to be able to take the children to the park another time. In Maths we have finished looking at halving and have moved onto looking at quarters of shapes and amounts. The children have started rewriting their own versions of Jack and the Beanstalk and have come up with their own amazing ideas. A reminder that on Wednesday the children

will be making their own lunch - school is providing everything they will need but if you think your child is unlikely to eat the lunch they have made then please send them with a packed lunch this day. Have a lovely weekend.

Year 2

The children have had another fantastic week and have written amazing stories! They were excited to share these with each other and some children even got golden sticker from Mrs Boorman for their efforts. In maths, the children have been solving missing number problems, which can sometimes be tricky as they have to use their previous knowledge to work out the inverse. They have worked really hard to problem solve. Next week the children will be making their own park of out straws. They have also created designs and we are looking forward to seeing the finished products next week!

School Lunch - Thursday 21st May

Thursday 21st May is school Census day. There is a change in lunch options they will be:

RED- Fish fingers and chips

GREEN - Cheese and bean pasty with chips

BLUE - Jacket Potato

YELLOW - School packed lunch - Ham wrap

Bag for School Monday 8th June



The children are coming home with a Bag for school. Please fill with any good quality clothes you no longer want. Please return any filled bags to school on Monday 8th June by 9am to the school carpark. Thank you

Letters home

Letters Home (<https://www.hwis.hants.sch.uk/letters-home/>):

Whole School:

No specific mailing

Year R:

Ladybird class charter treat letter

Bumblebee class charter treat letter

Butterfly class charter treat letter

Year 1:

Year 1 Phonics Newsletter week 5

Year 2:

No specific mailing

Diary Dates



19.5.26 1:30pm Year R only Dinosaur Parent event

20.5.26 Ladybird, Bumblebee and Butterfly class charter treat

21.5.26 Outdoor Learning Day - Please can all children wear old clothes as they will be outside all day

22.5.26 Inset Day - School closed to all children

17.6.26 Year 1 Farm Trip (payment open on Arbor and more details to follow)

26.6.26 Sports Day

6.7.26 Inset Day - School closed to all children

8.7.26 Year 2 Beach Trip (payment open on Arbor and more details to follow nearer the time)

Inset Days



Inset Days for 2025-2026

22nd May 2026

6th July 2026

Inset Days for 2026-2027

1st September 2026

2nd November 2026

12th February 2027

28th May 2027

5th July 2027

General Reminders



- **Allergies - Please remember we are a nut and shellfish free school. Please ensure items containing these are not sent in to school in your child's lunchbox.**
- **Punctuality** - A reminder that the classroom doors open between 8.45 – 9am to enable a staggered drop off. We have noticed an increase in lateness in some children. This impacts hugely on their learning so please ensure your child is in school on time. If punctuality continues to be a concern, schools have a responsibility to follow this up with possible legal action.
- Please do not play or kick balls or ride scooters on the playground during school drop off or pick up.
- *If your child has a medical appointment and is going to be late in to school you will need to order their lunch in advance. Please let the office know which lunch option they would like at the same time you advise of the appointment (or check with the office the lunch options that day if you need to).*
- *The play equipment **must not** be used before or after school – our insurance is not valid. **Children have been told that if they are caught using the play equipment before or after school, they will lose dojo points.***
- We are looking for some volunteers that may be able to commit to helping in school on a regular basis. This may be to get experience of working in school before completing childcare training or just because you have some spare time on your hands and would like to be involved in school life. You could help with the library, gardening, run small groups or help hear those children that don't read at home. If you are interested in this,

please email parent.mail@hwis.hants.sch.uk¹. We would need to initiate a DBS (safeguarding check).

¹<mailto:parent.mail@hwis.hants.sch.uk>