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Hilltop Junior School

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Weekly Newsletter

Friday 18 May 2018
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Attendance w/beg: 14 May 2018
Whole School: 96.44%

Classes of the week: 4PD & 5RF with 100%
Well done!!

3F: 96.67%	3L: 91.07%	3RL: 99.66%
4P: 94.83%	4PD: 100.00%	4S: 89.66%
5H: 90.00%	5LM: 98.28%	5RF: 100.00%
6B: 99.26%	6K: 98.85%	6MT: 98.97%

Letters Home This Week

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School Email

Following our text message on Tuesday, unfortunately our email system has been down due to circumstances out of our control. Our hosting provider has been working on this and it has now returned to normal. However, we have not received any emails sent while the service was down. We are sorry for any inconvenience.

Royal Wedding—non uniform

It was lovely to see the children dressed in red, white and blue today in celebration of the Royal Wedding and we hope they all enjoyed their afternoon tea in class this afternoon.

Year 6 SATs

I would like to congratulate all our Year 6 pupils who have worked diligently throughout this week for their SATs. Thank you - we are extremely proud of you all!

I would like to express my thanks to all the staff who have taken on additional duties in school since Christmas. I am particularly grateful to Mrs Waite who has been teaching and leading pupil meetings since January as well as working as Head of School.

Mrs K Mackenzie
Executive Headteacher
Hilltop Infant and Junior Schools

Week Beginning: 21 May 2018

School Dinners
Week 3



Upcoming Diary Dates

May

- 21 Assessment Week (years 3-5)
- 22 6.00 pm Trust Parent Forum
- 24 Last day of term

June

- 4 Pupils return to school
- 7 3.30 pm Year 6 Liddington meeting
- 12 1.30 pm Bromfords to visit Year 6 transition pupils
- 13 Primary Athletics Day
- 14 Lower school Father's Day Sale (HJSA)
- 15 Upper school Father's Day Sale (HJSA)
- 15 Non uniform in support of HJSA Fete
- 18 2.15 pm Beauchamps to visit Year 6 transition pupils
- 18 3.15 pm Beauchamps to talk to Year 6 transition pupils and parents.
- 21 7.00 pm Yr 2 New Intake Meeting
- 25 Assessment Week (years 3-5)
- 26 9.30—11.30 am School Open morning and Book Fair
- 26-28 3.15 pm to 3.45 pm Book Fair
- 29 Summer Fete

July

- 2 Sports morning (am) and family picnic
- 2 Upper school production dress rehearsal (pm)
- 3 Year 5 Taster Day Bromfords
- 4 1.30 pm Upper School Production
- 5 10.00 am & 1.30 pm Upper School Production
- 6 Transition Day
- 6 Disco (Years 2—5)
- 9 Year 6 Residential (PGL Liddington)
- 9 Year 5 (2 classes) Road Safety
- 10 Year 5 Taster Day Beauchamps
- 12 Thank you Tea
- 13 Year 5 (1 class) Road Safety (am)
- 16 1.30 pm Year 6 Graduation
- 16 Year 6 Disco
- 17 End of term

SCHOOL UNIFORM

We are concerned that the school uniform has been slipping and would ask that you please ensure your child wears the correct uniform to school, including shoes and socks and that hair bands are also appropriate for school. From next Monday we will be notifying parents individually if a child is not in the correct uniform.

The wearing of school uniform is an integral part of school life. The Governors of the school consider that this promotes positive attitudes, good standards and a suitable image in the eyes of the community. Children are therefore expected to wear school uniform. We try to keep it as simple and inexpensive as possible. Consideration is given to meeting the needs of an individual's cultural heritage on request to the Head of School. Please note that our school uniform does not allow head and face coverings for pupils, therefore, the hijab for girls is not part of the uniform code.

The main colour is red which is complemented by grey and white. Thank you for your co-operation.

WINTER

SHIRT OR BLOUSE	White (with collar)
SKIRT	Grey
PINAFORE DRESS	Grey
TROUSERS	Grey (tailored)
SWEATSHIRTS	Red with logo
JUMPER	Red
CARDIGAN	Red
SOCKS	White, grey or black (plain, no logos or patterns)
TIGHTS	Red or grey
SHOES	Plain black (low heel and no boots)

Long hair must be tied back at all times, with a hairband, small red scrunchie or plain Alice band (no ears or flowers).

SUMMER

DRESS	Red and white
SHIRT OR BLOUSE	White or red short sleeved, with a collar (aertex)
SKIRT	Grey
TROUSERS/SHORTS	Grey (tailored)
SOCKS	White, grey or black (plain, no logos or patterns)
SHOES	Plain black (low heel and no boots)

Book Fair

We will be holding a "Travelling Books" book fair during our school open morning, and after school on the 26th, 27th and 28th June until 3.45 pm each day. Children will be able to purchase three books for the price of two and the commission we receive will help us purchase much needed books in school.

A parent from another school has reported that children in our uniform were unkind to her child in the park and were taking photos of her on their phone. Please remind children about the acceptable use of phones if they have been given one, and that they represent the school whilst wearing our uniform.

GDPR

Please help our school office by returning the parental consent form sent home last week, as soon as possible. Thank you.

Parent Forum

There are still one or two places left on the Parent's Forum for Hilltop parents on Tuesday. The meeting on Tuesday 22nd May at 6pm at Hearts House, 2 Mount Road, Wickford, SS11 8HE is an opportunity to hear all about the operational and strategic direction of the Trust. We do have space limitations but hope to have four representatives from each school. Please pre-book a place by emailing admin@heartsacademy.uk, giving your name and which school you represent.