



Hadleigh Infants and Nursery School

No 22- 1st March 2019

Holiday Dates -

Last Day of Term - Friday 5th April - School closing at 1.30pm

First Day Back - Tuesday 23rd April

Attendance -

The best class for attendance, week ending the 1st March 2019 was Turtles Class with 100% attendance. Well done to them!

Congratulations to:

Turtles	100%
Pandas	99.3%
Starfish	98.4%
Meerkats	97.9%

Unfortunately 2 classes did not reach our 96% target:

Koalas	95.0%
Dolphins	94.1%

Overall attendance was 97.4% which is above our 96% target.

Dates for your Diary -

4th March - Bags2School. PA Clothes & Textiles collection.

7th March - World Book Day

15th March - Comic Relief Red Nose Day

26th March - PA Mother's Day Gift

28th March - Sports for Schools visitor

29th March - Visit from Rebecca Harris MP

29th March - PA Easter Themed Bake-off competition

30th March - PA Easter Event and Egg Hunt

1st April - PA Reception and Year 1 Disco

2nd April - PA Year 1 & Year 2 Disco

This Week's Attendance Heroes -

Starfish: Edward L

Meerkats: Tabitha N

Dolphins: Dulcie H

Koalas: Adam H

Turtles: Isla B

Pandas: Dolcie C

Achievers of the Week -

Bumblebees: Holly T

Starfish: Lenny W

Meerkats: Thomas S

Butterflies: Annerley M

Dolphins: George W

Koalas: Aria R

Grasshoppers: Zachary P

Turtles: Aaron H

Pandas: Albert K

Menu Week - 2 - Please note change to Thursday's Menu

Monday: Meat Free Monday - Macaroni Cheese or Tomato Pasta.

Tuesday: Chicken or Quorn Pie with Mashed potato, Broccoli, Peas & Gravy.

Wednesday: Roast Pork or Roasted Quorn Fillet with Yorkshire Pudding, Roast Potatoes, Carrots, Cauliflower & Gravy.

Thursday: World Book Day Lunch - Maurice's Magical Pizza, Beastburger or Gaston's Mighty Veggie Burger, Mrs Potts Pommes Noisettes, & Lumiere's Golden Sweetcorn. Cogsworth's Apple Juice or Le Fou's Orange Juice. Little Chips Cupcakes or Belle's Rose Red Strawberries with Cream

Friday: Harry Ramsden Fish or Omelette with Chips & Sweetcorn.



This Week's News:

I would like to take this opportunity to thank the staff for embracing our new approaches to teaching the curriculum. In recent months the school has further developed our curriculum ensuring that the children take an active lead in what topics they cover. We have seen a huge increase in engagement and the quality of work has also improved. It is our mission to ensure that children are provided with high quality teaching whilst completing an engaging, creative and well-balanced curriculum offer. This is just the start of our curriculum revolution and we have many more ideas and concepts that we plan to introduce over the next half of the year to improve the overall offer for the children. I would also like to thank Miss Johnston for taking on the role of communicating our new curriculum offer on our Facebook page. Miss Johnston will continue to upload information about the curriculum on Facebook to ensure you, as parents and carers, are fully updated about the exciting things we are doing.

World book day - On Thursday 7th March, the school will be celebrating World Book Day. As part of this celebration, all of the children are invited to come to school on Thursday 7th March dressed as their favourite character. There will be no charge for this event. As a school, we will be holding a sponsored read/listen event during next week running from Monday 4th March until Sunday 10th March. Children can raise money through sponsorship forms that will be sent out on Monday after a special assembly that will inform the children about the event. The money raised will be invested in books for the school. A letter about this event will be attached to this newsletter. To ensure that all children have at least one donation I have decided to sponsor every child 50p. This will hopefully allow everyone to feel part of this event even if they are unable to raise any further sponsorship. I will inform parents of the total amount of money that we have collectively raised from the event as soon as possible. Our catering team will be providing a Beauty and the Beast themed lunch on Thursday 7th March, this does not need to be pre-ordered, children can make their choices on the day in the usual way.

Open evening - Open evening will take place on Wednesday 27th March 2019. This event will run from 3:30pm - 5:30pm. Parents/carers are invited to visit their child's class with their child to review the work that they have completed so far this year. Class teachers will be present during the event so if you would like to speak to them about the progress your child has made this would be a perfect opportunity. We look forward to seeing lots of parents at this event.

Internet safety issue - We have had a few children who have been worried about stories they have heard linked to the Momo Challenge. Any children who have discussed this with the adults within their class have been reassured and supported. All of the children have had a general reminder of our Internet Safety talk/guidance which sets out what children can do if they see or hear upsetting things whilst using technology. If you have any concerns, please do not hesitate to talk to your child's class teacher.