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Dear Parents and Carers,

Remembrance Day

Remembrance Day was a little different this year as we were unable to take all of the children to St Mary's Church. Instead we observed the two minute silence on the school playground where we clearly heard the 'last post' being broadcast from the church. Mrs Beales took two representatives from Year Six to the service at the War Memorial where they laid wreaths and gave recitals in remembrance.

Drop off and collection of children

Thank you for remembering to socially distance and also for wearing face coverings whilst on school premises. Please remember to use appropriate language whilst on school premises and also not to park outside the school gates when dropping off and collecting children – we need to ensure our children are safe at all times. Thank you.

RAF Glider Challenge Virtual STEM day

On Monday Woodpeckers, Swallows and Herons joined schools from around the country to take part in a virtual STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering and Mathematics) day to design, build and test model gliders. The event run by the Smallpiece organisation in alliance with the RAF provided the children with real life experience of the cycle of planning, creating, testing and improving. It was great to see them collaborating together to problem solve.

Reports

Today we will email a brief report on your child's progress so far this term. Should you wish to have a further discussion with your child's class teacher please contact the school office: office@hemsby.norfolk.sch.uk by Friday 20th November and we can arrange to do this virtually using Microsoft Teams (we would send a link to your email address) or by telephone.

Children in Need

Thank you for your support of Children in Need today. The children have enjoyed a range of activities today including PE with Joe Wicks and learning the Strictly Children in Need dance.

I hope you all have a good weekend.

Kind regards,

Sian Harmer
Headteacher

