



Hartest Church of England Primary School


Weekly Update – Friday 18th November

Upcoming Dates

Monday 21st	Mr Rowe's Music Lesson (Years 4,5 & 6) Board Games Club
Tuesday 22nd	Mr Potter's Music Lessons Swimming for Squirrels and Kestrels
Wednesday 23rd	Squirrel Class visit to Colchester Castle
Thursday 24th	Multisport Club
Friday 25th	World Cup – Change of School Dinner Menu
Monday 28th	Mr Rowe's Music Lesson (Years 4,5 & 6) Board Games Club
Tuesday 29th	Mr Potter's Music Lessons Swimming for Squirrels and Kestrels – This is the last swimming session.
Thursday 1st	Multisport Club
Friday 2nd	Forest School for Squirrel Class
Monday 5th	Mr Rowe's Music Lesson (Years 4,5 & 6) Board Games Club
Tuesday 6th	Mr Potter's Music Lessons
Thursday 8th	1.30pm Hedgehog Class Nativity. More information regarding tickets to follow. Multisport Club
Monday 12th	Squirrel Class: Roman Banquet Day More information to follow.
Tuesday 13 th	Whole School Pantomime Trip to the Theatre Royal, Bury St Edmunds.
Wednesday 14th	Christmas Jumper Day Christmas Dinner Day
Friday 16th	Carol Service in Hartest Church – this will take place in the morning. Parents and Grandparents are welcome to join us. Coffee will be served in the school hall before the service. More information to follow. Friends of Hartest Disco – 4.30 – 6.30pm Break up for Christmas Holiday.
Tuesday 3 rd January 2023	Staff and children return to school.

Weekly Attendance

to 18/11/2022

Hedgehog Class	95%
Squirrel Class	95%
Kestrel Class	96% 

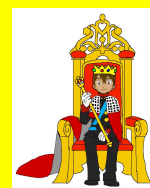
If your child is ill or has a medical appointment, please ring or email the school office, or log an absence in your Parentmail App. Thank you.

Bank Holiday – Monday 8th May 2023

It was recently announced that we will have an extra Bank Holiday on Monday 8th May, due to King Charles' Coronation.

Please note: KS2 SATS were Monday 8th to Thursday 11th May, but will move to Tuesday 9th to Friday 12th May.

May is a statutory assessment period for Year 2 and Year 6. I have had a leave of absence request for this period, please note that I am unable to authorise holiday leave of absence for any child in Year 2 or Year 6 during May.



Our Christian Value is:

Hope



Vertas Eats have published two new menus to celebrate England taking part in the World Cup 2022.

Dear Parents and Carers,

My apologies for the missing Newsletters for the past few weeks – running two schools and teaching has been rather time consuming!

Remembrance Day

We were so proud of all our children on Remembrance Day; Kestrel Class read the Roll of Honour followed by a reading of Flanders Field. Squirrel Class read their own poems, written this week. Hedgehog Class joined in with the song 'We will Remember'. The whole school had made poppies on crosses that were laid at the War Memorial.

It was lovely to have the local community coming together remembering our fallen servicemen.



Children In Need

We had a fun day on Wednesday, dressing in pyjamas or spots. We raised just under £42 for Children In Need. Many thanks to everyone for taking part.



Drama Club

On Friday, Mrs Miller emailed all parents with the offer of a drama club. The Theatre Royal, Bury St Edmunds are offering an after school drama club. There will be a charge of £50 per term for anyone who wishes to attend. Please email Mrs Miller by the end of Tuesday 22nd November if you are interested.

Parking

We have been asked to pass thanks to you from the people carrying out the roadworks on The Row. Despite the rain, people were parking at The Institute and on The Green. They appreciate your help. We have been told that the work is on schedule to finish before Christmas.

Forest School – Hedgehogs

On Friday, during our Open Afternoon for new parents, Hedgehogs were at Forest School. Thank you to all the children in Squirrels for sharing their learning with me.



Please can you help?

Squirrel Class are looking for some Parents, Grandparents or Carers who would be willing to come into school and hear children read for an hour or so each week. If you are able to help, please contact

Mrs Temple-Nidd via her email

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Kind regards

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