



Hatfield Peverel St Andrew's Junior School

NEWSLETTER

27th January 2023



Dear Parents and Carers,

A very busy week here at St Andrew's- as always!

We are having a focus on neater and correctly formed handwriting in all year groups this half term. It has been wonderful to see so many children working so hard in order to improve and develop. The ability for children to write in a joined-up script, and to be able to do this automatically and without significant thought is really important as it allows their brains to then focus on their writing content and sentence structure. Reduction of cognitive load is key for supporting our wonderful writers!

We have also decided that PEN POINTS and PEN LICENCES are no more! All children in year three and four will have the option to whether they use black pen or pencil for their written work and all children in year five and six will automatically use black pens.



Have a lovely weekend.
Mrs Black and the St Andrew's team



YEAR 6 - HILLTOP

PAYMENT DUE TODAY: FRIDAY 27th JANUARY



Letters were sent home with your children last week outlining the current position with your payments for Hilltop and also a reminder that half the costs are due TODAY - 27th January. Thank you to those families who have already brought their payments up to date. To ensure the school is best placed financially to manage payments to Hilltop, can we please ask you to ensure that your payment is made by the due dates - we are very grateful for your assistance with this. If you remain unsure of the amount to pay, please contact the office.

YEAR 6 - LEAVERS HOODIES - A MESSAGE FROM MRS DAVIES

ONLINE STORE CLOSES 11pm SUNDAY 29th JANUARY

Please find attached the link to order your children's hoodies. In order to get the cheaper price, we are trying to get the order in before the deadline which ends on the 31st January 2023 so please make sure you get your order in before this time as once closed, we cannot make any further orders. You can order more than one hoodie if you or your child wants to. **Please check the spelling of your child's name on the hoodie** as once the order is submitted on the store closing date this cannot be changed. The company are aware of the duplication of names on the preview on the shop and are working on this. So please ignore this error when ordering as they are working to resolve this issue.

Your shop is now open here - <https://www.leavershoodies.com/hatfield-peverel-st-andrews-junior-school-2023-leavers>

After placing an order, each person will still have access to their order so that they can make any changes themselves, up until the store closes.



Spring Term 2023 - dates for your diary:-

Thursday 2nd February: Whole School Geography Day
Friday 3rd February: Grandparents Day 09:45 to 10:30am

Half term: 13th to 17th February

Wednesday 8th March: History Off The Page in-school visit (Year 5 - details to follow)

Tuesday 14th March: Visit to Warner Bros Studios (Year 6)

Wednesday 29th March: Year 5 Easter Performance (details to follow)

Easter holiday: 3rd to 14th April
Back to school: Monday 17th April

Year Group	Trip or Event	Deadline for response
All Years	WHOLE SCHOOL GEOGRAPHY DAY - Thursday 2 nd February GRANDPARENTS DAY - Friday 3 rd February 9:45 to 10:30am	
Year 3		
Year 4	Tuesday 31 st January - sewing helpers needed from 12:50 to 3pm Tuesday 21 st February - sewing helpers needed 9am to 12pm and/or 1pm to 3pm	Please email to: year4@hatfieldpeverel-jun.essex.sch.uk
Year 5	Sewing helpers - each Monday from 23 rd January 1:30-3:10pm	Please email to: year5@hatfieldpeverel-jun.essex.sch.uk
Year 6	Leavers Hoodies to order Trip to Harry Potter Warner Bros Studios Hilltop Letter	Sunday 29 th January Friday 10 th February First half payment required by 27 th January (£106.50) Final payment by Friday 28 th April (£106.50)

St Andrew's
TIDIEST BASE - ROWAN



Our wonderful, hard-working cleaners are choosing the base who has been the tidiest each week.

GRANDPARENTS DAY

We are holding a Grandparents morning next Friday 3rd February - we warmly invite your children's Grandparents or other special relative in to see the children in action and enjoy an inside look at their classwork and share a book. This wonderful sharing opportunity for Grandparents and Grandchildren is in class from 09:45 to 10:30am.

Re: Spring term parent consultation appointments

Dear Parents and Carers,

We are very pleased to be able to invite you into school for a parent consultation appointment this term. On Tuesday 7th February and Thursday 9th February, between 3.30pm and 6.30pm we will be holding consultation appointments.

We are planning to hold face-to -face appointments this term; these will be held in classrooms. If you are unable to attend in person, we will also be offering the option of a phone call.

We are allowing one appointment per child, so we ask that you liaise between yourselves if you and your child's other parent do not live together. In some situations we will provide an equivalent length phone call on another day- but requests for this are to be made to Mrs Black via email - admin@hatfieldpeverel-jun.essex.sch.uk

The arrangements are as follows:

- Please arrive via the main school reception, where you will be signed in and directed to your child's base.
 - You will have an opportunity to look through their books which will be on display in one of the year group bases.
 - The consultations will take place in the opposite base where appointments will be 8 minutes long. If it is clear a longer appointment is needed, the class teacher will invite you to continue the discussion at another time. Please allow time to get to any siblings appointments when booking.
- If your child is on the SEND register, One Plan meetings will be taking place during the week beginning 27th February and letters confirming your child's appointment will be sent out soon. An updated copy of your child's One Plan will be emailed out to you following the meeting.

The links to book your appointments are now live;

Apple Base; <https://forms.gle/oTvLP8Y3QipQDiUw5>

Birch Base; <https://forms.gle/L2ymSqTKb3fawYgx7>

Cherry Base; <https://forms.gle/smmCSAA3YZweoF4v5>

Fir Base; <https://forms.gle/JvBJJaxLToq64ybp8>

Maple Base; <https://forms.gle/29teJbqpHRUdRkTo9>

Oak Base; <https://forms.gle/ZqFrRQUAAGznycpf8>

Rowan Base; <https://forms.gle/rd7gs4MymbhF5mpR9>

Sycamore Base; <https://forms.gle/2qgDirePFjHNM86k8>

If you have an issue with booking your appointment please contact the school office. We look forward to seeing you at your consultation appointment!

The appointment slots will be closed at 3pm on Friday 3rd February so please book early.

Kind regards,

Becky Black Allison Dutaut
Headteacher Deputy Headteacher & SENCo

AUTUMN/WINTER TERM 2022 MENU Week 3 - week commencing 30th January 2023

Thank you for helping to support our school by choosing a school meal for your child/ren.
Meals are £2.30 daily and can be ordered by your child in class during registration each morning.
Our preferred payment method is via Pay360 Education Payments -
please contact the office if you have yet to register for this.

Week THREE Menu

Week beginning
9th January, 30th January

AUTUMN/WINTER 2022 - LUNCH MENU

Hatfield Peverel St. Andrew's Junior School



Monday

Butcher's Sausage

or

Quorn Sausage (v)

Chips

Baked Beans or Sweetcorn

Chocolate Sponge & Custard
(v)

Tuesday

Spanish Chicken

or

Spanish Style Tomato and Red
Pepper (v)

Savoury Rice
Roasted Vegetables

Healthy Fruit Day or Yogurt (v)

Wednesday

Pasta Bolognaise

or

Ratatouille Pasta Bake (v)

Crusty Bread
Broccoli

Carrot Cake (v)

Thursday

Roast Chicken

or

Seasoned Quorn Strips in a
Yorkshire Pudding (v)

Crispy Roast Potatoes
Seasonal Vegetables
Yorkshire Pudding
Gravy (optional)

Healthy Fruit Day or Yogurt
(v)

Friday

Breaded Fish Fillet

or

Breaded Quorn Strips (v)

Roasted Baby New Potatoes
Peas or Beans

Chocolate Shortbread (v)

Thank you for supporting us by having a school meal. Please be assured for your peace of mind - all allergens are catered for.

Good afternoon!

Year 4 are planning to work on their sewing skills and will be making purses/wallets in the coming few weeks.

We would love some help with sewing and we are asking for volunteers to help out on the following dates:

Tuesday 31st January in the afternoon (12.50 pm - 3 pm- learning stitches)

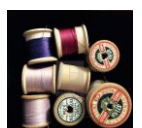
Tuesday 21st February - all day (am 9 - 12, pm 1-3 pm or whatever you can spare us! We'll be making our purses/wallets on this day)

Please could you email us on year4@hatfieldpeverel-jun.essex.sch.uk if you think you can offer some help and let us know when you can come in.

It doesn't have to be a parent; if you have a relative with great sewing skills, we'd love to have them in!

Thank you,

The Year 4 Team





Points for this week!

Berwicks	351
Greystones	514
Priory	488
Vinehurst	460



Wishing a very **Happy Birthday**
to those who have celebrated
their birthdays between:
23rd to 29th January 2023

**Gayathri, Timothy, Lily-Eve,
Brooke, Ada, Eliza**

Miss Coughlan,



MOST PLAYED

1st

Lucas B

116,589

2nd

Luke C

86,640

3rd

Eden M

66,285

Year 3 Maths resource request

If you are able to buy these Maths resources the year 3 team would be very grateful.

<https://amzn.eu/d/8u5xFo6>

More Amazon wish-list updates coming soon.

We really appreciate all purchases.



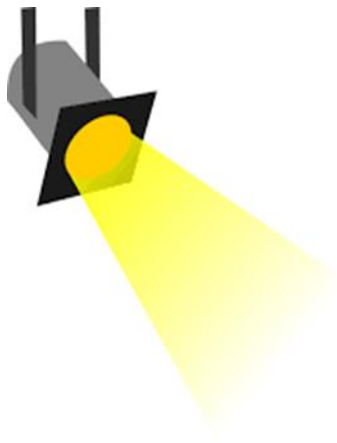
These are the children who have been spotted shining in school this week. We could have chosen so many children- the decisions were hard to make!

Well done for demonstrating our CARE values.

Apple - Max
Birch - Lola W
Cherry - Emelia
Fir - Henry W
Maple - Eli
Oak - Ava
Rowan - George
Sycamore - Leo

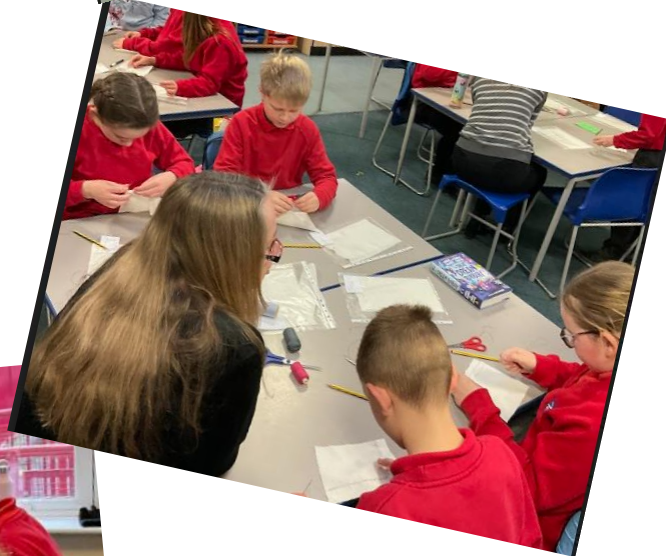
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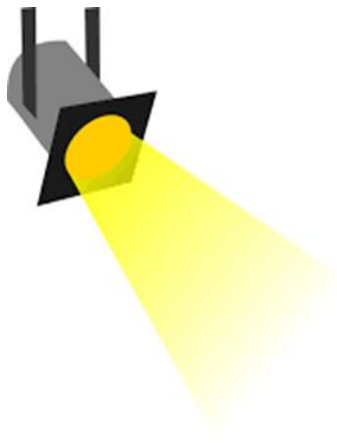
Every child is loved and known.
Every child shines.



Spotlight on Year 5

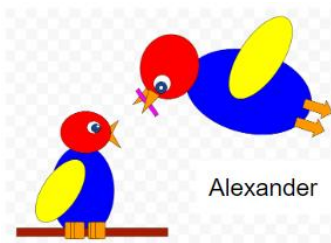
Year 5 have been taking part in lots of exciting activities this week! In Art, we have been looking at landscapes and textile design. As part of our Viking topic, we are going to be creating a landscape out of fabric using our sewing skills! This week, we learnt and practised some basic sewing skills. We were very lucky to have some sewing experts (Mums, Grandparents and an Aunty!) to help us.





Spotlight on Year 5

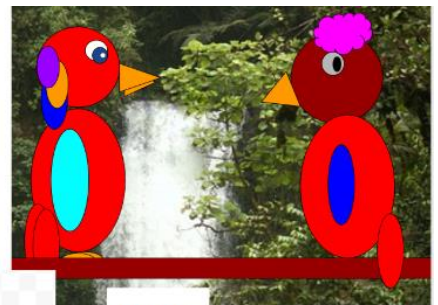
In computing, we have been learning how to draw vectors. A vector is a computer generated image using lines and shapes. As you can see, they can now create quite complex designs using copying and ordering of different shapes. It is all saved on their Google Drive so please ask to have a look!



Alexander



Krystelle



Evelyn



Sophia



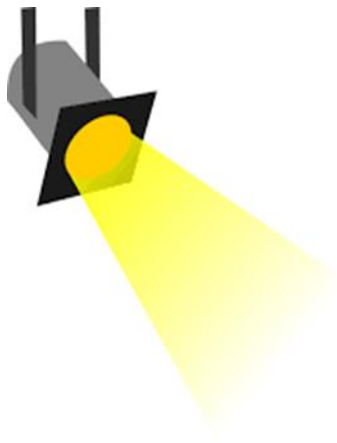
Toby



Dylan



Lily



Spotlight on Year 5

As part of our RE topic: Places of Worship, we went to St Andrew's Church to explore the features of an Anglican church.



Father Stephen spoke to us about the building and we were lucky enough to see the mechanism that works the church bells!



Last term Amelia and her sister undertook their PAA exam in Performing Arts gaining a merit. They performed pieces from Enchanto to the judges along with a technical dance routine. Their family are so pleased with how hard they worked learning their lines, the songs and the various routines. Congratulations Amelia (and Olivia) – huge well done to you both!!



Hatfield Peverel Infant & Nursery School and Hatfield Peverel St. Andrew's Junior School



Term and Holiday Dates: Academic Year 2023-24

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	= Schooldays		= School holidays		= Bank holidays		= Weekends		= Non-pupil Days
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In addition, schools allocate five non-pupil days out of the school days indicated, or the equivalent in disaggregated twilight sessions.

Autumn Term:	Monday 4 September 2023 – Wednesday 20 December 2023 <i>Half Term 23 October – 27 October</i>	73 days
Spring Term:	Thursday 4 January 2024 – Thursday 28 March 2024 <i>Half Term 19 February – 23 February</i>	56 days
Summer Term:	Monday 15 April 2024 – Tuesday 23 July 2024 <i>Half Term 27 May – 31 May, and May Bank Holiday – 6 May</i>	66 days
		<u>195 days</u>

Please note:

The above dates may vary for individual schools, especially Foundation, Voluntary Aided schools and Academies. You are strongly advised to check with your child's school before making any holiday or other commitments.