



Hatfield Peverel St. Andrew's Junior School



NEWSLETTER

25th September 2026

Dear Parents,

What a very busy week this has been! I was incredibly proud of the children in Year Four who went to the Museum of Power on Thursday. We were pleased that they had better weather than their last trip when they all got very wet! The photographs went without a hitch today, more excellent behaviour, smart uniform and happy smiles!

Wishing you all a lovely weekend.



Mrs Black and the St Andrew's team.

👁️ ** Year 6 Families ** 👁️

As you may be aware, the new secondary school admission round opened on 12th September 2026, for parents of current Year 6 children to apply for a secondary school (Year 7) place for September 2027.

The statutory national closing date for applications is 31 October 2026.

Applications can be made online via www.essex.gov.uk/admissions. 99% of parents in Essex applied online last year.

SCHOOL MEAL PRE-ORDERING

By 30th September – for week beginning 5th October 2026

If you have any queries, please do contact the school office.

Autumn Term 2026 - Diary Dates

Monday 5th October: Y4 MTC Parent Meeting 3.10pm

Monday 5th and Tuesday 6th October: Y6 Bikeability Course 3

Monday 19th and Tuesday 20th October: Y6 Bikeability Course 4

Wednesday 21st October: JSA Film Night (details to follow)

Thursday 22nd October: Flu Vaccinations

Friday 23rd October: Harvest Festival 10am

Friday 23rd October: JSA Pumpkin Carving Competition (details to follow)

Wednesday 25th November: Y6 WW1 Day (details to follow)

Wednesday 2nd and Thursday 3rd December: Y4 Production to Parents (am - time TBC)

Friday 4th December: Christingle Service (in school hall)

Wednesday 9th December: JSA Christmas Fayre

Wednesday 16th December: JSA Christmas Disco (details to follow)

Friday 18th December: Christmas Service at St. Andrew's Church 11am (everyone welcome)

Friday 18th December: Last day of term (1pm finish)



Wishing a very **Happy Birthday** to those who celebrate their birthdays between:

21st to 27th September 2026

**Alice F (Cherry), Vaksleena V (Oak), Ezra W (Rowan),
Aliya M (Apple), Samuel T (Fir)**

Miss Prince

Absence reporting – a reminder that we do not use Studybugs in the Junior School for absence reporting. Please use the following to report your child absent (remembering to state clearly why). Thank you.

☎ 01245 380131 (Voicemail facility)

✉ office@hatfieldpeverel-jun.essex.sch.uk



Winner of House
Points for this week
is

BERWICKS

Berwicks	1ST
Greystones	3RD
Priory	2ND
Vinehurst	2ND



If you want to see more from
Charlie Mackesy please follow
<https://www.charliemackesy.com/>



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 – Euan
Birch – Daisy
Cherry – Myah
Fir – Jamal
Maple – Leo M
Oak – Clara
Rowan – Murphy
Sycamore – Hugo



Compassion Achievement Respect Enjoyment
Every child is loved and known.
Every child shines.



Sofia's family shared details of her amazing achievement over the summer:-

"We would like to share Sofia's fantastic achievement over the summer holidays. In July, Sofia completed an impressive 23km hike in the Tatra Mountains in Poland in just over seven hours. The challenging route included climbing a 1,653m high mountain, requiring determination, resilience and a strong pace throughout.

Sofia approached the challenge with a positive attitude, showed remarkable perseverance, and completed the hike without complaint. We are incredibly proud of her achievement and the resilience she demonstrated along the way."

What stunning photos and fantastic resilience to complete the hike – well done Sofia!





Some fantastic photos of Cameron and message from his family:

On Sunday Cameron took part in 'Sprint with the Stars' at the London Aquatics Centre. This involved a round of heats where Cameron got a PB which qualified him to take part in the finals. The Finals gave the children the opportunity to swim against the Pros. Cameron swam against Matt Richards who is a British Olympic and World Champion swimmer. It was a very special day, quite daunting swimming in a 50m pool for the first time at an epic venue, but Cameron was very brave and did brilliantly!





2026 Cycle and Scooters Permission Form

The form for permission to bring cycles or scooters to school is now ready for completion. Please complete the form, agreeing to the terms and conditions, and await a reply from us before allowing your child to bring their bike or scooter to school.

<https://forms.gle/KVcpxFywPXycNKhQ7>

PE DAYS AUTUMN TERM 2026 (children to wear PE kit on PE days)

Red PE top, black shorts/joggers, red sweatshirt or jumper (no black tops please) and trainers

Year 3	Monday Tuesday
Year 4	Wednesday Thursday
Year 5	Monday Tuesday
Year 6	Wednesday Thursday

Amazon Wish Lists

We are often asked how families can support the school to provide a wide-ranging curriculum and keep to our high standard of education.

A couple of items have been added to the Amazon wish lists for each year group. If you are able and willing to contribute please visit the links below for your child's year group. Items bought are sent directly to school within a few days and added to our resources.

We are so grateful for your continued support.

[Year 3](#)

[Year 4](#)

[Year 5](#)

[Year 6](#)

Year Group	Trip or Event	Deadline for response
All Years		
Year 3		
Year 4		
Year 5		
Year 6	Hilltop	Instalment plan to be kept up to date please!



Congratulations to the children below who have made it onto the TTRS leader board for this week!



Year 3 MOST PLAYED

1 st	Login	info
2 nd	coming	NEXT
3 rd	WEEK	!



Year 4 MOST PLAYED

1 st	Theo C	9,184
2 nd	Reuben B-R	5,944
3 rd	Harrison J	3,472



Year 5 MOST PLAYED

1 st	James B	9,480
2 nd	Amelie S	2,570
3 rd	William B	2,190



Year 6 MOST PLAYED

1 st	Cameron G	14,751
2 nd	Lara P	5,918
3 rd	Olivia C	3,584

AUTUMN 2026 - SCHOOL MEAL MENUS

Please ensure you have PRE-ORDERED via ParentPay

Meals are £2.70 daily

Thank you for helping to support our school by choosing a school meal for your child/ren.



Week One Menu

Weeks beginning 31st Aug, 21st September & 12th October



AUTUMN/WINTER 2026 – LUNCH MENU

Hatfield Peverel St. Andrew's Junior School

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Tomato Pasta Bake (v) or Creamy Macaroni Cheese (v) Baguette Slice (v) Salad (ve) Smoothies (ve)	Sausages or Veggie Sausages (ve) Hash Browns (ve) Baked Beans (ve) Pancakes (v)	Spaghetti & Meatballs or Spaghetti & Veggie Balls (ve) Garlic Bread (v) Biscuit (ve)	Roast Gammon or Veggie Sausage (ve) Yorkshire Pud (v) Roast Potatoes (ve) Seasonal Vegetables (ve) Gravy (optional) (ve) Fruit Platter (ve)	Fish Fingers or Vegetable Fingers (ve) Chips (ve) Baked Beans (ve) School Cake (v)
JACKET POTATOES WITH CHEESE (v), BEANS (ve) OR TUNA SERVED WITH VEG AND DESSERT OF THE DAY or SCHOOL PACKED LUNCH: HAM, CHEESE (v) OR TUNA ROLL WITH CARROT AND CUCUMBER STICKS (ve), FRUIT (ve), JUICE CARTON (ve) AND DESSERT OF THE DAY				
Thank you for supporting us by having a school meal. Please be assured for your peace of mind – all allergens are catered for.				
v = vegetarian ve = vegan				



Week Two Menu

Weeks beginning 7th Sept, 28th Sept & 19th October



AUTUMN/WINTER 2026 – LUNCH MENU

Hatfield Peverel St. Andrew's Junior School

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Pepperoni Pizza or Margherita Pizza (v) Carrot & Cucumber Sticks (ve) Fruit Salad (ve)	Sausage or Veggie Sausage (ve) Herby Diced Potatoes (ve) Baked Beans (ve) Cake (v)	Meatballs & Tomato Pasta or Veggie Balls & Tomato Pasta (ve) Garlic Bread (v) Broccoli (ve) Yogurt (v)	Roast Turkey or Roasted Herby Fillet (ve) Roast Potatoes (ve) Yorkshire Pudding (v) Seasonal Vegetables (ve) Gravy (optional) (ve) Arctic Roll (v)	Harry Ramsden Fish or Crispy Dipper (ve) Chips (ve) Peas (ve) Chocolate Cake (v)
JACKET POTATOES WITH CHEESE (v), BEANS (ve) OR TUNA SERVED WITH VEG AND DESSERT OF THE DAY or SCHOOL PACKED LUNCH: HAM, CHEESE (v) OR TUNA ROLL WITH CARROT AND CUCUMBER STICKS (ve), FRUIT (ve), JUICE CARTON (ve) AND DESSERT OF THE DAY				
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Week Three Menu

Weeks beginning 14th September & 5th October



AUTUMN/WINTER 2026 – LUNCH MENU

Hatfield Peverel St. Andrew's Junior School

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
Spaghetti Bolognese	Sausage Roll	Creamy Bacon Carbonara	Roast Turkey	Fish Fingers
or	or	or	or	or
Spaghetti Veggie Bolognese (ve)	Veggie Roll (ve)	'No Bacon' Creamy Carbonara (v)	Baked Fillet (ve)	Veggie Fingers (ve)
Garlic Bread (v)	Mash (ve)	Fresh Bread (ve)	Roast Potatoes (ve)	Chips (ve)
Seasonal Vegetables (ve)	Baked Beans (ve)	Broccoli (ve)	Yorkshire Pudding (v)	Peas (ve)
			Seasonal Vegetables (ve)	
Yogurt (v)	Flapjack (ve)	Fruit Platter (ve)	Gravy (optional) (ve)	
			Vanilla Ice Cream (v)	School Cake with Icing & Sprinkles (v)
JACKET POTATOES WITH CHEESE (v), BEANS (ve) OR TUNA SERVED WITH VEG AND DESSERT OF THE DAY				
or				
SCHOOL PACKED LUNCH: HAM, CHEESE (v) OR TUNA ROLL WITH CARROT AND CUCUMBER STICKS (ve), FRUIT (ve), JUICE CARTON (ve) AND DESSERT OF THE DAY				
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Meals can be pre-ordered up to the October half term break and will only be charged to ParentPay once the meal has been taken.

FLU IMMUNISATIONS – in school Thursday 22nd October

The School Flu Immunisation Team will be in school on Thursday 22nd October to rollout this year's flu vaccinations. Vaccination UK are moving to a new **e-consent system** called **MAVIS (Manage Vaccinations in Schools)** and you will hear from them *directly* for consent. Schools are no longer required to send vaccination information to parents.

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SCHOOL FLU VACCINATION PROGRAMME

Protect Your Child at School

Flu spreads quickly in schools.
The nasal spray vaccine helps
keep your child healthy.

It's Free, Quick and Easy

- ✓ Just a nasal spray
- ✓ Takes seconds
- ✓ No needles
- ✓ Given at school

Protect Others Too

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- Babies too young to be vaccinated
- Grandparents and older relatives
- People with long-term health conditions



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