

Community Resilience
Respect Learning Integrity Potential Creativity

To prepare our children to reach their full potential in a modern, evolving and diverse world.

Summer 2 2024 – Week 3

HANSLOPE PRIMARY SCHOOL HEADTEACHER'S WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Hanslope School's Summer Fair



Saturday 13th July from 11am-3pm

**Hanslope School's
Summer Fair is BACK
for 2024!**

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*Food, games, stalls and
activities will all be
happening at the school on
Saturday 13th July 2024.*

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*We have not been able to
have a summer fête in a
long time due to the
pandemic so this year we
will be going all in.*

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***We hope to see you
and your families
there.***

Want a chance to share your wares at the [Hanslope Primary School](#) Summer Fair from 11-3pm on **Saturday 13th July**? We have some space for you! **All you have to do is bring a rug and anything you want to sell!** **Email:** pta@hanslope.milton-keynes.sch to book your pitch. It's £15 to buy your space, and all the profits you make, will go to you!

We need YOUR HELP!

We would LOVE if we could once again have your support for some donations to school for our **Summer Fair BONANZA** - with all the profits raised going back into school for a Trim Trail!

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We were hoping to include a sale of pre-loved soft toys, puzzles other toys and books. We will also have a 'bottle tombola' so would love if you had any unopened bottles to donate, such as: toiletries, alcohol, soft drinks, condiments, or anything else you deem appropriate! If you have any of these things going spare, please bring them into school the week beginning 1st July.



We also would be incredibly grateful for any donations to the raffle we will be having at the **Summer Fair**. Do you: run a business that you're happy to donate a voucher for in order to promote? Have any gifts that you're happy to contribute? We would absolutely love anything you deem to be a worthy raffle prize! If so, please bring them into school the week beginning 1st July.

Hanslope School's Official Facebook Group

Please join our [Facebook group](#) where we post about upcoming events. It's the best way to keep posted! To join, scan the QR code, or follow the link below!

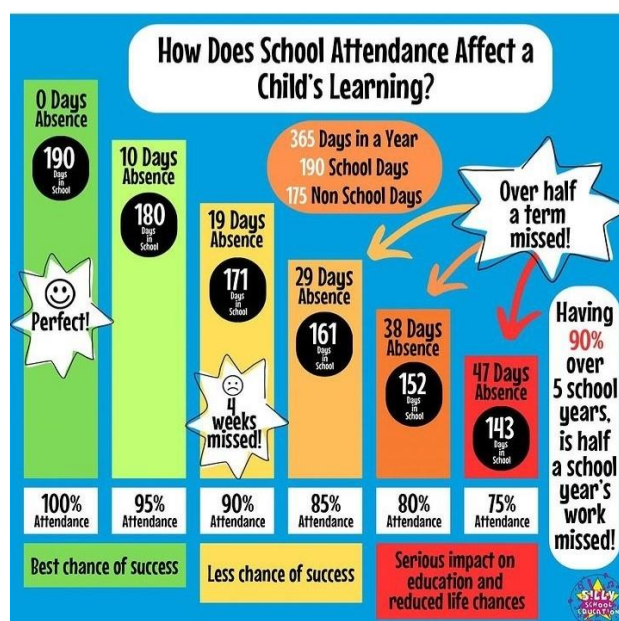
<https://www.facebook.com/groups/385370060554710/>



Weekly Attendance Figures

Our whole school attendance target is 95% or more for the end of this academic year. Below is a breakdown of each class's attendance **from last week**. Well done to **Holly** Class for having the highest attendance rate!

Holly	100%
Maple	96.3%
Larch	89.5%
Laurel	98.9%
Alder	94.7%
Elm	81.2%
Oak	94.4%
Rowan	92.9%
Cedar	99.1%
Redwood	93.6%
Blackthorn	95.8%
Hawthorn	91.6%
Lime	87.1%
Poplar	92.8%
School Total	93.4%



Did you know...

If your child finishes the year with **95% attendance** they will still have missed 10 school days, which equates to around **55 hours of learning time**?

In fact, if your child misses just one day in the week it equates to them missing **20%**, with their weekly attendance sitting at just **80%**.

Remember: every day counts!

Totally RAD – Music Service

Autumn 2024- Key Stage Two

Piano/ Keyboard/ Guitar

RAD believe that whatever the skill level or budget, all children deserve access to exceptional music tuition. Our highly skilled network of professional musicians provide next-level tuition for the next generation of talent, no matter the location, budget or capability. Provided on-site, within school hours and at a highly-competitive rate; with **RAD**, students can experience expert music tuition that helps them sharpen skills, express creativity, and dream **BIG**, with no disruption or stress - all from the very best in the business. For more information, and to sign-up your child to **RAD** lessons, just use the following link; we'll do the rest.

If you are already receiving RAD Tuition you do not need to sign up again.



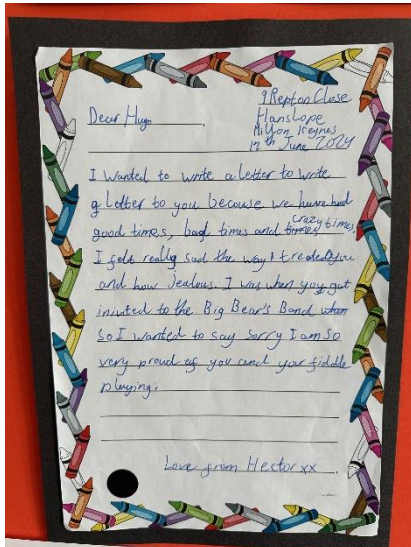
[Sign me up](#)

Please sign up by: **Friday 12th July 2024**

Some amazing work from Mrs Thomson's Writers

In English, Mrs Thomson's group have been reading "The Bear and the Piano, the Dog and the Fiddle." Hector, who was mean and jealous of Hugo, wrote a letter to say sorry - which the boys innovated, and created artwork to match. As Mr Brown was so impressed with their letters, they were given a special star worth 3 House Points. Well done to **Harley, Yevhen, Rayyan and Hamza** (Year 5).

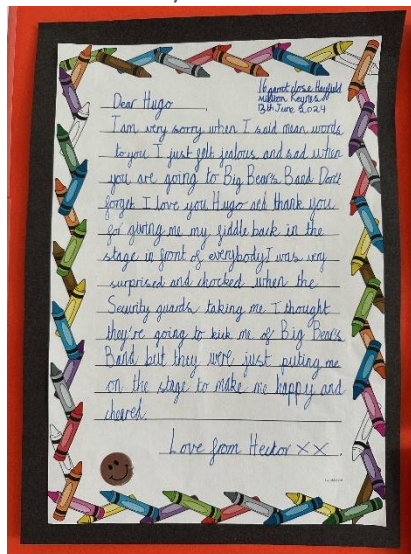
By Jevhen



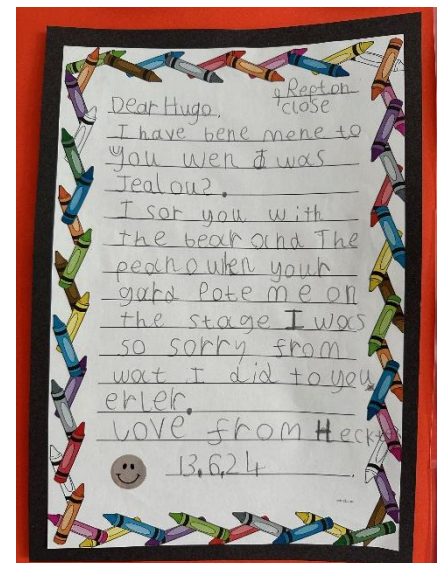
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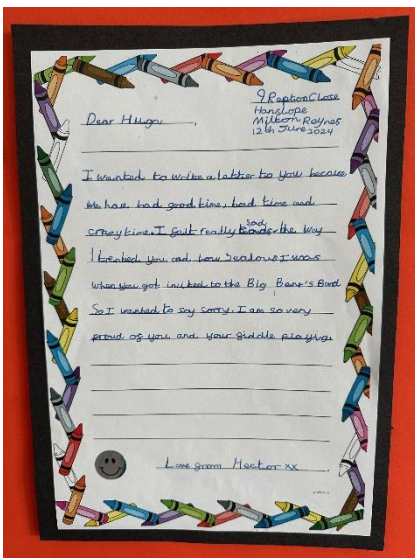
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By Rayyan



By Harley



Swimming Sessions for KS2

Swimming At Hanslope - in Partnership with [Sporty Scholars](#)

We are very excited to be able to announce that, for the 2nd year running, we are offering every Key Stage 2 child swimming lessons on site from 4th June. Please remember swimming kits (see letter sent out last term for reference). Please note, due to timings of lessons, staffing and administrative constraints, we will be unable to chase up forgotten kit. It's going to be a busy, but fun term! 🌊🌊

Many thanks, Miss Goodwin

Swimming Timetable for WEEK 4

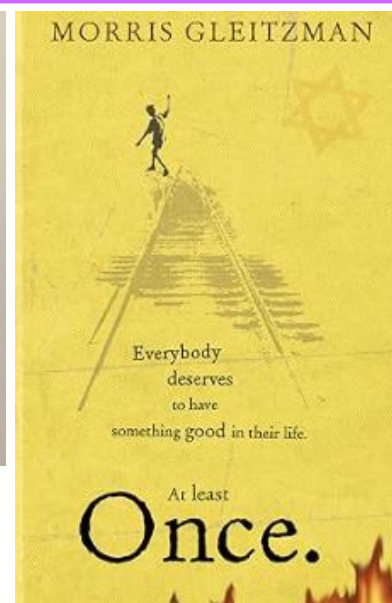
Please see the swimming timetable for next week below:

Day	9:00-9:30	9:30 - 10	10:00 -10:30	10:30 - 11	11:00 - 11:30	11:30 - 12	1:00 - 1:30	1:30 - 2	2:00 - 2:30	2:30 - 3	3:00 - 3:15
M	Assembly 9 - 9:30	Target individuals	Y4 group A	Y4 group B	Y5 group A	Y5 group B	Y3 Rowan Group A	Y3 Rowan Group B	Y3 Oak Group C	Y3 Oak Group D	
T	Target individuals	Y4 group 1	Y4 group 2	Y6 group 1	Y6 group 2	Y6 group 3	Y5 group 1	Y5 group 2	Y5 group 3	Y5 group 4	
W	Y3 Rowan Group A	Y3 Rowan Group B	Y3 Oak Group C	Y3 Oak Group D	Y6 Group A	Y6 Group B	Y5 Group A	Y5 Group B	Y4 Group A	Y4 Group B	
T	Target individuals	Y5 group 1	Y5 group 2	Y5 group 3	Y5 group 4	Y4 group 1	Y4 group 2	Y6 group 1	Y6 group 2	Y6 group 3	
F	Assembly 9-9:30	Target individuals	Y3 Rowan Group A	Y3 Rowan Group B	Y3 Oak Group C	Y3 Oak Group D	Y4 Group A	Y4 Group B	Y5 Group A	Y5 Group B	

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Our Student Newsletter Editor's Column

My name is Ivy and I'm a student at Hanslope Primary School. I love reading and writing, especially when I get to free-write a story. I am going to be writing a small paragraph in the Newsletter. Hopefully, it will give a taster of Hanslope School from the perspective of a student!



Book Review - Once

'Once' is an amazing book about the relationship between Jews and Nazi's during World War II. It was beautifully written from the perspective of a Jewish child, who lived a fearful, scared life. It's a heartfelt story, filled to the brim with happiness, sadness and much more. It shares hope, kindness and to never give up on what you believe in. I would recommend this book for confident Upper Key Stage Two readers, and beyond - as long as you like a good cry!

Once I escaped from an orphanage to find Mum and Dad.

Once I saved a girl called Zelda from a burning house.

Once I made a Nazi with toothache laugh.

Dates for your calendar

Remember, it is possible to sync the school calendar on our website onto your phone by following this link: <https://www.hanslopeschool.co.uk/calendar-help>

Here is a reminder of the upcoming diary dates for you to plan ahead. Please note that all the dates and times shown here are accurate at the time of publication - alterations to the information listed below may happen due to unforeseen circumstances; if this does occur, we will endeavour to let you know as quickly as possible.

Tuesday 4th – Friday 28th June – Swimming at Hanslope for KS2
Wednesday 19th June – Sports Day
Tuesday 25th and Wednesday 26th June – School Play
Monday 1st July – Friday 5th July – Year 5/6 Residential
Tuesday 2nd July – Bridgebuilder Assembly
Monday 8th July – Year 6 Careers Information Day
Wednesday 10th July – KS1 Sporting Event Day – led by Year 6
Thursday 11th July – Year 6 Enterprise
Friday 12th July – Year 6 Public Speaking Competition
Saturday 13th July – Summer Fete
Monday 15th July – Transition Afternoon
Tuesday 16th July – Transition Morning
Tuesday 16th July – ‘Meet the Teacher’ from 3.30pm-5pm
Thursday 18th July – Year 6 Leaver’s Assembly (am) and Party (pm)
Friday 19th July – Term Ends



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