



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

Summer 1 2024 – Week 2

HANSLOPE PRIMARY SCHOOL HEADTEACHER'S WEEKLY NEWSLETTER

Foundation's Trip to Hill Farm

Last week Holly and Maple classes went to Hill Farm where the Paton family had lots of exciting things to do.

They showed us round the farm and we met the new calves and lambs - we learnt about the crops they grow. We then had a very exciting ride in a tractor and trailer up to the bluebell woods where we had a lovely picnic. After lunch we made clay art on the trees and hunted for eggs. When we got back to the farm, there were lots of interesting activities in the barn. We had a great day and said a big 'thank you' to the Paton family before we left. For a gallery of more photos, please see the school website!













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/38537006 0554710/











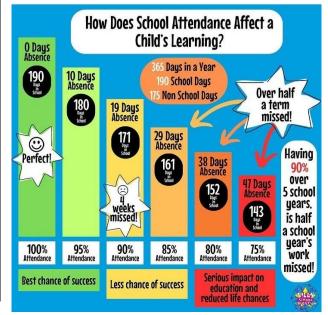




Weekly Attendance Figures

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	95
Larch	87.4
Laurel	98.9
Alder	91.3
Elm	97.1
Oak	94.4
Rowan	98.4
Cedar	92.3
Redwood	91.8
Blackthorn	97.5
Hawthorn	97.6
Lime	94.2
Poplar	91.1



School Total

94.8%

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!

Workshop for Parents/Carers of SEND children





Parent workshop with Occupational Therapy Team

Join our session for parents/carers of children and young people with SEND to hear some practical advice on how to support your child or young person with everyday activities.

The workshop will include information on:

- How to support your child/ young person, including their sensory system and the environment
- When and how to refer to Milton Keynes Occupational Therapy Team

When: Thursday 02 May 2024 1:00 - 2:30pm

Where: Hedgerows Children Centre

Who will deliver the session? Milton Keynes Occupational Therapy Team

To book your place email SENDsupport@milton-keynes.gov.uk



Come and 'Discover Sailing'



Come and experience sailing for free at the Haversham Sailing Club Open Day

Saturday 4th May 10am-4:30PM

24 High Street, Haversham
Milton Keynes MK19 7LD
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Hot and cold food served all day. Licensed Bar

https://www.havershamsc.org



Haversham Sailing Club is offering this incredible **FREE** opportunity. On Saturday 4th May, you will have a chance to go out on the lake and try sailing. Food and drink will also be available all day.

Come and try it for yourself!

School Photos

Class Photos will be taken on Monday 20th May. This will also be when Year 6 have their individual school photos taken. If your child[ren] have PE on this day, please can they wear their school uniform to school and bring their PE kit in to ensure they are in uniform for their photographs. Thank you!



Hanslope's Student Newsletter Editor



Our Student Spokesperson's Column this Week:

Last week was 'Bikeability' for the Year Fives. Most people participated in the enjoyable activity with the instructors. On Monday, everyone went around the playground to gain confidence and to play some fun activities. On Tuesday and Wednesday, we were able to cycle out on the roads! It was such an excellent course, although lots were tired and worn out afterwards. Now that everyone knows their cycling capabilities, some are cycling more around their village or homes! I am sure next year's Year 5's will have just as much fun.

Dates for your calendar



It is a long way off, but Hanslope Primary School are excited to say that this school year, we will be having a Summer fête extravaganza! Food, cream teas, games, stalls and activities will all be happening at the school on Saturday 13th July 2024. 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. More details to follow. We hope to see you and your families there.

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.

> Wednesday 1st May – Friday 3rd May – Year 4 Trip – Liddington Pioneers Monday 6th May - Bank Holiday W/B Monday 13th May - Year 6 SATS week **Tuesday 14th May** – Bridgebuilder Assembly Friday 17th May – MHST 'Challenging Behaviours' Parent Workshop **Monday 20**th **May** – Class Photos (and Year 6 individual photos) Friday 24th May – Term Ends



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