



HLA News

Friday 18th June 2021



Dear Families

I hope you have been enjoying the lovely weather recently? As always please ensure that your child comes to school with a named hat, sun cream and water bottle.

Students have been enjoying lots of outdoor learning in the last week. Puffins and Swallows completed their first Forest Schools session of the year. There was lots of positive engagement and lots of safe use of tools within the session. Take a look at the pictures on the last page as you will see what the students got up to.

Some of our S5 students have embarked on more work experience this week. I am very proud to report how mature and responsible they were in carrying out their placements.

Upstairs students have been doing some great creative work with tie dye. They have been applying lots of techniques and I am really looking forward to seeing the end results.

We are excited to announce that we have been able to arrange funding in order to have an outdoor sunken trampoline installed on the big playground. This will be installed in the Summer holidays and we are looking forward to seeing the students use this new resource.

Best wishes

Yvonne Skillern
Head of School

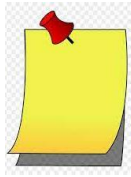


**Golden Book
Stars of the Week**

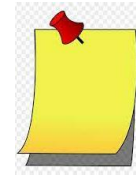


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| Puffins Student | Recognising when a friend in the classroom needed help. For listening to instructions given to him by an adult and being calm and considerate to that person |
| Puffins Student | Fantastic PE. Callum has enjoyed and taken part in our class rounders with enthusiasm and great pride |
| Eagles Student | Making progress in all subjects and carefully thinking about his behaviour |
| S5 Student | Coping well under extremely challenging circumstances |
| Sparrows Student | Doing so well at remembering new vocabulary and using it in conversations |
| Sparrows Student | Being so enthusiastic in our water games lesson this week |
| S2 Student | Recalling two facts in Geography |
| S2 Student | Initiating play independently on the outside playground with his peers |
| Wrens Student | Initiating and enjoying intensive interaction with both peers and adults |

Well done everyone!



Important Information



- **Week commencing 5th July** we will be generating end of year progress information and reports on Evidence for Learning. These will be available to view via your personal login on your laptop or mobile device. If you wish to discuss these reports we will be holding **telephone parent consultations at your request on Wednesday 14th July between 3.30pm and 6pm**. Teachers will be sending letters out to arrange appointments at the end of June.
- This year we have taken the difficult decision not to hold a sports day. We have conducted extensive risk assessments and due to Covid we do not feel it is appropriate at this time. We will be creating some slide shows to share with parents to show the great sports activities we have been doing inside school.
- This year our leavers assembly will be virtual due to Covid restrictions. Cheryl from S5 will be circulating more information soon.
- Can I remind everyone that we are **nut free school**. If students bring products in containing nuts it will be necessary to confiscate them for the health and safety of all our learners.
- Secondary aged students please don't forget to test twice weekly and report results to covid@highfieldlittleport.org as well as the government website.

Online Safety Tip of the Week

Keep Safe!

Be safe by being careful not to give out personal information when chatting or posting online. Personal information includes your email address, phone number and password.



Student Focus

In some yellow pathway classes students are beginning to contribute some of their own learning on to our Evidence for Learning platform.

We would love to see some more evidence added from home too. Make sure you capture all of those great learning moments we love to see them!

Loving learning at HLA



Developing independent skills in cooking.



Lots of sport activities!



Learning about capacity in the lovely weather.



Sequencing stories.



Fabulous Forest Schools!

