



Hillside Primary School and Nursery

“Achieving Greatness Together”



Friday 8th December, 2023

Dear Parents and Carers, I hope you are well.

Wow, our school trip on Saturday 2nd December was certainly an experience. We took approximately 40 children to watch the Ipswich v Coventry game, the atmosphere was incredible. The children were selected due to their above and beyond choices made this term. Thomas in Year 6 said, ‘ I really enjoyed watching Ipswich Football club and seeing 2 goals’. More photos on page 2 and 3. Thank you to Mrs Curry, Mrs Riches, Mrs Kapovic, Mr Laws and all the parent volunteers for their help!



Thank you for all your ongoing support with attendance. Every day really makes a difference! We want every child to be the most successful and success starts with attendance.

Happy Christmas Jumper Day! We are raising funds for Save the children. We are looking forward to our various christmas events and activities next week!

Best wishes,

Mrs Wass









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Diary dates

Monday 11th December - Christmas experience at a local church , 10.30am Nursery Christmas Nativity

Tuesday 12th December - 2.30pm KS1 Nativity

Wednesday 13th December - Year 3 and 5 Christmas Carol service at 9.30am, Year 2 Christmas experience at the church

Thursday 14th December - Year 4 and 6 Carol Service at 9.30am, 2.30pm KS1 Nativity , Choir Christmas performance

Tuesday 19th December - Reception Christmas play at 9.30am

Wednesday 20th December - End of Term. Christmas afternoon parties in class.

Tuesday 3rd January 2023- Non pupil Day

Wednesday 4th January - Return to school



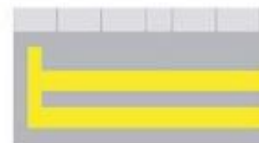
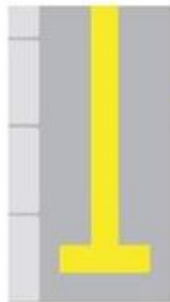


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before you
park**

**POOR AND INCONSIDERATE PARKING CLOSE TO
SCHOOLS CAN PLACE CHILDREN AT RISK**



**DO NOT PARK ON
THE FOLLOWING**



To report problem parking, scan the QR code

Failure to follow these rules may result in a
Penalty Charge Notice being issued.

Please park safely and be considerate of others.



#thinkb4upark



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HILLSIDE PRIMARY SCHOOL'S

CHRISTMAS TREE DECORATION COMPETITION

1. MAKE YOUR OWN TREE DECORATION AT HOME.
2. BRING INTO SCHOOL AND HAND IT TO YOUR TEACHER TO PUT ON THE SCHOOL'S CHRISTMAS TREE.
3. WAIT UNTIL **FRIDAY 15TH DECEMBER** FOR RESULTS!

PRIZES FOR 1ST, 2ND AND 3RD PLACE DECORATIONS!



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Working with the community - Girl Guides

Spaces are available!
Rainbows 4yrs to 7yrs
Brownies 7yrs to 10yrs
Guides 10 yrs to 14yrs.
More details : www.girlguiding.org.uk

Weekly attendance

We want every single one of our children to be an Attendance Hero:

Here
Everyday
Ready
On time



Overall attendance is **90.4** %. Target 96%.

Every day counts!

Yr 3 Badger 96.4% Yr 5 Dolphin 95.9%_Yr Yr 6 Kestrel 95.7% , Yr 4
Kishfisher 95.3%,
Yr 5 Seal 95.5%, Yr 3 Deer 94.4%
Yr 6 Osprey 94 %, Yr 2 Robin 92.2 %, Yr 4 Puffin 89.7 %,
Yr Hedgehog 89.7 %,
Yr 3 Fox 89.1% %, Yr 1 Squirrel 85.2 %, Yr R Butterfly 84.3 %,
Yr 2 Wren 80% %
, R Ladybird 71 %

Well done to Badger!!!!



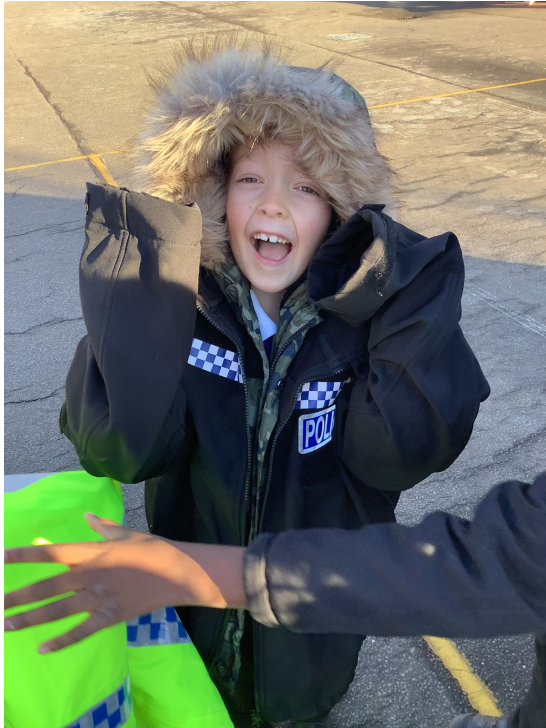


Christmas dinner 2023





Visit from PC Emmings



Choir performance @ Stoke library





Train to Teach Roadshow January 2024

- Find out how you can start a new career this year!
- Meet our friendly staff and discover our local schools.
- Whatever your qualifications or experience we have a route into teaching available to you.

4th January, 2.00pm-4.00pm
Gusford Primary School, Ipswich

5th January, 2.00pm-4.00pm
Hillside Primary School, Ipswich

8th January, 2.00pm-4.00pm
Sidegate Primary School, Ipswich



Email:
michaela.attlesey@activelearningtrust.org
to book your space today!

www.activelearningtrust.org/att



Family craft afternoon!

Tuesday 19th December

2.15pm

Come and enjoy a festive craft activity with your child(ren)!





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Apply now!

**We are welcoming applications
now for children starting Reception
in September 2024**



**Funded places are also available in our
nursery for children aged 3+**



**Visit us for a tour and find
out more:
Call 01473 601402 or email
office@hillsideprimary.co.uk**

www.hillsideprimary.co.uk



Children born between 1/9/2019 and 31/8/2020 can start school in September 2024. Details of how to apply for a school place can be found on the [Suffolk County Council website](https://www.suffolk.gov.uk).



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Maths class awards

Well done to:

Foxes, Kingfishers, Dolphins and Kestrels, Kylo (Year 3), Issac (Year 4) Oliver (Year 5) and Nhyria (Year 6)



Weekly Award Winners

Well done to: Aoife, Finley, Andrei, Oliver, Osafame, Evie, Tae'Veah, Adalyn, Avraam, Nicole, Jandra, Patrick, Ewa, Malik, Milena, Aurika, Grace, Sebastian, Elina, Ionatan, Sara, Isaac, Hayden, Violet, Aisha, Alsyssa, David, Ruben, Denis, Ionut, Meer, Ronnie, Brooklyn, Beatrice, Taymur, Julia, Kieran, Mason, Neale

It's great to be gold!

