



Autumn Term 2021, 9th December 2021



Hampton Junior School

A MESSAGE FROM THE HEAD OF SCHOOL

The Carol Concert on Tuesday was a wonderful event. I felt hugely proud of our children watching them perform songs and readings which they had practised for many weeks. It was a very festive occasion and one I was very privileged to be part of. Well done to all of the teachers, especially Mrs Gale, Madame Branch and Judy Morrison for preparing the singers and orchestra so well.

Unfortunately, children will not be allowed to bring in trading cards to school to play with. We are finding that they are leading to disagreements and causing distress among some children. I appreciate your support on this matter.

Finally, as we approach the final week of the term, I would like to wish all of you a Merry Christmas. The children have worked incredibly hard and deserve their rest. Please note that next Friday, school will finish at 1.30.

I wish you a happy holiday.

Mr Tidd



HJS PRINCIPLES



Each month the school will focus on a different principle. This month is:



STARS OF THE WEEK

3E— Thomas Matthews
3M— Junior Doyle-Vaughan
3H— Dylan Juniper
3S— Scarlett Stickland
4M— Ella Collier
4W— Emi Chan

4G— Yannick Malundama
4B - Samaira Prakash
5N— Amber Walls
5P— Amelia Grace
5B— Sam Jenkerson

5H— Amelie Meare
6S— Luca Castellari
6GK— Toby Durham
6C— Yasin Ali

PARTNERSHIP CERTIFICATES

The following children were presented with a special “Partnership” certificate by Mr Tidd last week:

3E – Leon Seferi
3H – Maja Linford
3M – Sofia Morar
3S – Simona Ivanova
4B – Matthew Ormerod
4G – Edward Parsons

4M –Laiba Foiz
4W – Sebastian Aviso
5B – Samuel Parr
5H – Zaki Tahir
5N – Gergo Fordos

5P – Eva Kirk
6C – Grace Vaughan
6GK – Siani Elfick
6S – Violet Mckenna

MESSAGES FROM THE OFFICE

REMINDER—GOVERNOR HAMPER



We invite parents to submit via email sealed bids for the hamper via the office. The hamper contains both red and white wine, prosecco, chocolates, glass charms, panettone, jam, biscuits for cheese and crackers. Ms Lockey will announce the winner with the highest bid next week.

This term we set a competition to update our Office display. We are pleased to say we have selected four children's photos and made them into a beautiful front office montage. Well done to Struan Fisher (6C), Ella McLachlan (6GK), William Biesty (5P) and Alistair Taylor (4M).



School Council Behaviour Award

The school council behaviour award is given to one child in each year group by a member of the school council for their outstanding behaviour and positive attitude towards learning. This weeks winners are:

Year 3— Alex Wright

Year 5— Roman Bibby

Year 4— Wren Clinton

Year 6— Emilie Rivera Taylor



Christmas Cards

Our School Post Box is up in the office for children to use. Please bring in your Christmas cards and throughout the week our HJS elves will collect the mail and ensure this is distributed to the children.

Envelopes need to be addressed with child's first and last name and class to ensure delivery

We have had some cards without second names or classes and unfortunately it is just not possible to forward these on.





6GK loved their Victorian day! We enjoyed having a live session with our home learners for the quiz. We also enjoyed exploring Victorian Toys and being involved in a Victorian Classroom.





A great successful Year 6 Christmas market after the Carol Concert. Thanks so much for the funding for the market as we raised an impressive £1585.00. This money will go towards our end of year leavers' celebrations and our leavers' books. A huge thank you to all the Year 6 parents/carers that have supported the children with stock and their creations. We could not have run this without you.











HJS School Carol Concert





Over 350 of the HJS Community streamed this live. We are so glad to be able to share the magic of this concert with out families and internationally.



Happy Voices



Come and join our Choir!

Wednesdays from 3.15pm till 4.15pm

*Sign up for the Spring term
Starting on 12th January
In Hampton Junior School's Upper Hall
All year groups welcome*

*There is nothing like a good sing song to
finish the school day on a high note!*



*For more details contact Marie Branch on
branch_marie@hotmail.com*

*OR to sign up straight away, fill in the form on the link below:
<https://forms.gle/8rHEQ4bxVZBQMgZT6>*



HPP Guide to COVID

Does your child have one of these three symptoms?

A persistent cough OR high temperature OR loss of taste or smell

YES



NO

Government advice is for you to book a PCR test. Stay at home and isolate until the results arrive. Do not use a lateral flow test for a child with any of the symptoms above.

Positive result

Negative result



- Inform School Office of result.
- Child needs to stay at home for ten days from first day of symptoms or date of PCR. This will be confirmed by Test & Trace

- Inform school of result before child returns to school.
- Child may return to school if well.

Child is well

Child is unwell



Child can come to school

Child to stay at home until better

Other Advice



- Lateral flow tests are only meant to be used for asymptomatic testing.
- If your child has a positive lateral flow, you must follow up with a PCR test.
- If a member of your family has had a positive PCR result but the child is well there is no obligation for the family to test unless they are showing symptoms and therefore they should attend school.
- If a member of the family is unable to bring the child into school due to being unwell with Covid, please speak to the office who will be able to help with possible pick up/drop off arrangements.
- Children are not required to self-isolate if they live in the same household as someone with COVID-19, or are a close contact of someone with COVID-19. Instead, they will be contacted by NHS Test and Trace, informed they have been in close contact with a positive case and advised to take a PCR test. Children should continue to attend school as normal while waiting for their PCR test result, unless they develop symptoms.

- Day 1 Home Learning will be set by the office followed by Day 2 Home Learning on Google Classroom set by the class teacher.
- Work should only be completed if the child is well.



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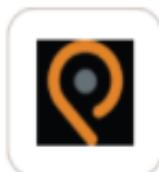


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Instructions for Parents



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