



Huntington Community Primary School Newsletter

December 17th, 2020

Diary Dates

December

19th Christmas break

January

4th INSET (pupils not in)

5th School re-opens

20th School photos

February

9th Safer Internet Day

12th Chinese New Year

13th Half-term break

22nd School re-opens

March

2nd Keystings Music

4th World Book Day

19th Comic Relief

April

1st INSET (pupils not in)

2nd Good Friday

3rd Spring break

12th Ramadan starts

19th School re-opens

May

3rd Bank Holiday

10th Y6 SATs week

19th-21st Y4 residential

24th Young Voices

29th Half-term break

June

7th School re-opens

Y1 phonics week

9th Class photos

14-18th Y6 residential

15th Y5 Maya expert

July

21st INSET (pupils not in)

22nd Summer break

Christmas contact-tracing: PLEASE READ

Schools have been asked to assist with pupil/staff contact-tracing over the start of the Christmas break, since the contact period extends back 48 hours before a person develops symptoms. In practice, this means that your child could still be asked to self-isolate if we receive news of a child developing symptoms up to 3:40pm on Sunday, December 20th (6pm if they attend S4YC), who then goes on to test positive.

Please note the following very carefully:

- **Until 6pm on Sunday, December 20th** If your child develops Coronavirus symptoms, please **inform the school as soon as you can**, using the head's email address (head@huntington.cheshire.sch.uk) and book a test immediately. Please then **let us know the result of the test**, using the same email address (to be monitored between 5-6pm each day).
- We may need to contact year groups and ask them to self-isolate for 10 days in the event of a positive test. If no reports of children with symptoms are received by 6pm on Sunday, and all testing already initiated has been completed, we will send out a text informing you of that (so that everyone can relax).
- **After 6pm on Sunday, December 20th:** do not contact the school if your child develops Coronavirus symptoms, but book a test as normal and follow any instructions from Test & Trace that you may receive.
- **From Sunday, January 3rd:** please follow the normal guidance – do not attend school if your child or anyone in your household or support bubble has symptoms of Coronavirus, and let us know of this as soon as possible (over weekends via the head's email address).

Obviously we hope not to need to contact anyone regarding self-isolation, but if this is necessary we trust that families will continue to follow the guidance as you have been doing – your support for the national and school measures has been crucial so far.

Outstanding Behaviour The winners of the KS2 individual behaviour prizes are as below - and well done to the other children whose behaviour has been exemplary.

Y3 Birch: Ollie McMillan

Y3 Hazel: Ella Peers

Y4 Hawthorn: Harriet Buckley

Y4 Lime: John High

Y5 Larch: Cody Mercer

Y5 Rowan: Charlotte Demkova-Edwards

Y6 Alder: Ava Chalmers

Y6 Sycamore: Louise Wentel

School Clubs

Unless more stringent restrictions are reintroduced, school clubs will begin again as follows in the New Year:

Week 1 (Jan 4): Multiskills - Y3 Hazel (Tues); Football - Y4 (Wed), Y6 (Thurs), Y5 (Fri); Netball – Y5 (Thurs)

Week 2 (Jan 11): Multiskills - Y2 Elm (Mon), Y1 Maple (Tues)

(the Multiskills clubs will be for those children who previously expressed an interest)

Junior Residential Visits

While we still hope to take the Y3 children to Burwardsley in 2021, the date of the visit has been put back to the summer term, on advice from the local authority (under national guidance). We will let you know the dates as soon as they are confirmed.

Christmas Videos

Links for our Christmas videos are below: we hope you enjoy them.

Children: [Christmas 2020](#)

Staff: [The Huntington Christmas Mystery](#)



*A very Merry Christmas and a Happy New Year
from all the staff and governors*

