



Keep Hatch Primary School



Headteacher's Newsletter – 15 July 2024

Calendar of Events

Mon 15th July - Yr 6's invited to wear their leaver's hoodies until the end of term.

Tues 16th July - Yr 1 - Beach Day

Tues 16th July - Yr 6 Evening Production 6:30pm

Wed 17th July - Yr 6 Matinee Production 1:30pm

Thurs 18th July - Yr 6 Evening Production 6:30pm

Mon 22nd July - Yr 6 Leavers Party - 5:30pm - 8:00pm

Tues 23rd July - Yr 6 Leavers Assembly 9:30am

Tues 23rd July - Yr R - Animal party

Tues 23rd July - End of Term - Finish at 1.30pm

End of Year Reports:

Please complete the online ParentMail Form to confirm receipt.

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Attendance this year: 94.5%



EYFS Beale Park Trip

Last Friday, the Puffins and Sparrows went on their first school trip to Beale Park. We all had a fantastic time and we were so impressed by the children's super behaviour and listening. A big thank you to all of the parent helpers who accompanied us on the trip; we hope you had as much fun as we did!

Year 3 River and Rowing Museum Visit

The children had an amazing time at the River and Rowing Museum, where they delved into the rich history and journey of the River Thames through a series of engaging activities. They learned how rivers shape our world and the vital role they play in our environment.

The afternoon was spent exploring the captivating Wind in the Willows exhibition, where the creativity and artwork on display were truly astounding - definitely a highlight of the visit and highly recommended for everyone.

Transition Morning and Open Classrooms

The children had a fantastic time on Wednesday, visiting their new classes for September and getting to know their new teachers and teaching assistants. I would like to thank all parents and families who took the time to come and meet their children's new teachers after school. We believe these meetings are crucial for building strong relationships from early on to ensure a smooth transition into the new academic year.

End of Year Reports

The children's end of year reports have been sent home with the children today - please find these inside your child(ren)'s book bags. Results of statutory assessments are included: EYFS Good Level of Development, Year 1 and 2 Phonics Screening, Year 4 Multiplication Tables Check and Year 6 End of Key Stage SATs as well as teacher assessments. There is no statutory end of Key Stage 1 data this year. These reports and results reflect the hard work, dedication, and progress your children have made throughout this academic year. We encourage you to take this opportunity to celebrate their successes together this weekend! Thank you for your ongoing support, and well done to all children. Please complete the online ParentMail Form to confirm receipt of your child's report.

Caterlink Debts

We ask parents to please check their Caterlink accounts over the weekend to ensure that it is in credit and that there are sufficient funds for any meals ordered until the end of term. We must clear all debts with Caterlink before the end of the school year, so we would appreciate your prompt attention to this, so we don't have to spend a lot of time chasing payments next week. Thank you.

Year 2 Reptile Visit

Year 2 had a really exciting time with Berkshire Reptile Encounters this morning! The children learnt so many facts about the reptiles and were able to hold snakes, bearded dragons, a blue-tongued skink and a tortoise. One snake was so big it needed 6 children to hold it! The visit was so inspiring, it led to the children doing some beautiful reptile sketches in their art lesson during the afternoon!

Public Consultation on Wokingham's SEND & Inclusion Strategy and All-Age Autism Strategy

Following a comprehensive co-production process, including contributions from many schools, we can announce that Wokingham Borough Council has launched two public consultations to shape strategies and services to help local children and young people to learn, develop and thrive. Please see attached flyer.

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Puffins	Grayson and Teddy for super explanations about pattern in maths this week.
Sparrows	Yasmin for her excellent contributions to class discussions about animals this week. Well done, Yasmin! Zak for some superb mathematical thinking this week. Well done, Zak!
Blackbirds	Jim and Zwena for writing some lovely independent sentences and for contributing a lot more in Maths!
Robins	Kaia for being an all-round superstar! Always a wonderful role model for the other children.
Kingfishers	Zoe for carrying on her learning at home and writing a superb fact file about lions. Joseph, for sharing a beautiful poem about kindness. Well done!
Skylarks	Eden, for impressing all the teachers with his great listening during transition morning. Well done, Eden! Jackson, for making great progress with his reading. Well done, Jackson!
Cedar	Doris and Charlotte for extending themselves in Maths. Well done girls!
Rowan	Donnie for his brilliant behaviour and superb River knowledge during our school trip.
Hazel	Eleanor and Heidi for being kind and helpful, showing excellent learning behaviour and trying really hard in every lesson. Great effort, well done!
Sycamore	Bella for showing amazing perseverance and resilience when making her torch!
Laurel	Rebecca for a super effort for Maths investigations this week. Well done!
Maple	Sienna H for being so helpful. She is always on the ball to update our attendance list and carry out any other little jobs to help.
Mulberry	Ellie for an amazing work ethic. You always work hard and try your best. Well done.
Oak	Jacob and Jayden for really grasping the triple jump technique in PE this week.
Willow	Jude for his amazing art skills and contributing ideas for the Olivia set.
Headteacher's Award	Megan Z (Y6) for being such a kind friend when a member of her class was upset. Freya L (Y4) for exemplary manners.

This week's top Times Table Rock Stars are:



Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
Kingfishers - James W Skylarks - Ruben	Cedar - Grace Rowan - Owen	Hazel - Ollie T Sycamore - Cassidy	Laurel - Jolie Maple - Lacie-Anne	Mulberry - Oak - Willow -



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