



Weekly Newsletter 2025/26



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SCHOOL GAMES GOLD

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Homework

Years 5 & 6 have been set online homework.

Years 3 & 4 Scode spelling, times table frenzy.

All children should be reading daily at home.

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Happy New Year!

Welcome back! I hope you all had a wonderful and restful Christmas break with your families. As we start this new term, we are excited and ready to provide a great learning experience for your children. This term will be full of fun learning activities and opportunity for growth. We look forward to working with you to support your child's development. Thank you for your continued support. Let's make this term a fantastic one!

Attendance

Thank you for your support with attendance.

Class	Attendance	Lates
Anning	96.5%	3
Hawking	98.8%	3
Nightingale	95.8%	2
Jenner	97.5%	2
Peake	99.1%	3
Darwin	98.7%	0
Franklin	92.8%	1
Potter	95.2%	4

Please ensure the children are in school every day and ready to learn. They can enter their classroom from 8.30am for 8:45am.

Year 6 Trip to Fort Nelson

This week, our Year 6 children enjoyed an exciting visit to Fort Nelson, where they took part in immersive workshops about World War Two. They trained and performed drill exercises with a member of the Home Guard, practised aircraft recognition, and learned how to respond to incendiary and butterfly bombs. The children also explored the fort's Second World War features and viewed impressive contemporary artillery pieces from the collection. It was a fantastic day filled with learning and discovery!

Have an amazing time at Stubbington Outdoor Centre, Year 5!

We want to wish our Year 5 children the very best as they head off on their residential trip next week! Have fun, make lots of memories, and enjoy every moment of this exciting adventure. We'll look forward to hearing all about it!

Next Thursday is **School Census Day** and we want to encourage our children who are eligible for **Free School Meals** to enjoy a hot meal from the kitchen. To support this, we will be **swapping our Thursday and Friday menus** this week:

- **Thursday:** Fish Fingers
- **Friday:** Cheesy Chicken

Please order on the Cleverchefs app as normal. Thank you for your support.

Kind regards
Charlotte Faithfull, Headteacher

What's going on in The Hub – Thursdays 8:45-10:15

- **15th January – MHST in Group**
- **22nd January – Card Making**
- **29th January – Craft Activity**

Letters Home

Please see the following correspondence attached to the covering email:

- After School Clubs – Spring 1
- Year 4 DT Cooking and Tasting
- Sports Hall Athletics – selected children
- Young Voices at The O2 – selected children
- Runway's End Kit List

Upcoming Dates

Every Thursday morning 8:45am

Joint HPIS & HPJS Coffee Morning @ the Family Hub in the Junior School

Year 5 Residential Trip to Stubbington	Mon 12 th Jan – Fri 16 th Jan
Year 6 Residential Trip - Runway's End	Mon 26 th Jan – Wed 28 th Jan
Young Voices visit to The O2	Monday 23 rd February
Last Day of Spring Term 1	Thursday 12th February
Inset Day	Friday 13th February

The National Year of Reading 2026!

Everyone knows reading expands worlds, sharpens minds, and fuels creativity. But fewer of us are making time for it. **It's time for the nation to Go All In.**

At Hart Plain we are committed to supporting children in reading for pleasure as we know how many doors it opens for our children in the future! We are starting the National Year of Reading by nominating 'Reading Champions' for each class. They will initially be working with Mrs Jones to develop some additional reading spaces around the school for all to enjoy!

Our first school challenge this week is to read somewhere new!

Please send in photos of you and/or your child reading somewhere "new" this week. We would love to share and enjoy these with the children!



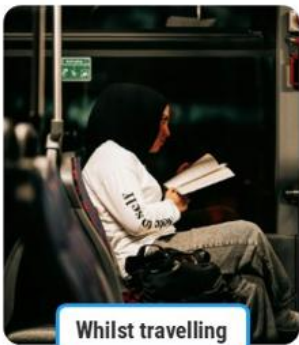
Try reading in a new place this week.
Where will you choose?



Home



Outside



Whilst travelling



School



At the library

Pick, Predict, Wonder!

Pick a place you like.

Predict what kind of story you might enjoy reading there.

Wonder how reading in that place could change how the story feels!

After School Computing Club

Thursdays, 3.15-4.15
£4.50 per session

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Signposting

Please note from time to time we signpost families to local activities and clubs. Whilst we are selective in what we send out, this should not be seen as a recommendation or endorsement. We do not carry out the same checks for signposted activities as we would for those activities hosted with the school and parents should therefore satisfy themselves that they are happy with the organisation and their activity.



Ready for Junior School?

Apply now for a Year 3 place for September 2026

The Application deadline is approaching. Applications must be submitted by: Midnight on Thursday 15 January 2026

Applying on time gives your child the best chance of getting a place at one of your chosen schools.

Late applications are only considered after all on-time ones have been processed – meaning places may already be filled.

Apply Online - Quick & Simple! Visit: www.hants.gov.uk/admissions Apply in minutes from any device.

You'll receive an email confirming your application has been submitted – easy!

? Need Help?

If you're having trouble applying online, the Admissions Team is ready to assist. Email: admissions.team@hants.gov.uk

✓ Already Applied?

If you've sent in your application recently - thank you!

Let's Get Ready for an Amazing Year 3 Journey! Secure your child's place today and give them the best start to their junior school adventure.



YOU ARE NOT ALONE

You are the expert of your child

You Are Not Alone - Every 1st Tuesday of the month - 7.00pm - 8.30pm

Next one: 3rd February

A free monthly online drop-in for parents & carers

The You Are Not Alone community is a friendly and safe space run by Erik & Sally Wagter where you can come and learn about autism & PDA, ask questions, connect with like-minded people or simply listen and learn from other people's conversations.



In this community we talk about all sorts of things such as:

- helping your child regulate their emotions & feelings (meltdowns etc)
- understanding autism and PDA
- navigating school and EHCPs
- Supporting your child with friendships
- understanding and managing challenging behaviour
- managing sensory needs
- developing a positive relationship with your child (family dynamics)
- exploring EOTAS or home education
- looking after your wellbeing
- and so much more



Here's what parents have said:

'My husband Jamie was saying that in the last few sessions, he has learned so much more about autism and PDA than he has over the past year - Jo (parent)

'Thank you so much for the group this evening. I can't tell you how grateful I feel and I really do feel less alone and more validated. My hope is back' - Louise (parent)

'Thank you so much for your support. I nearly chicken out in speaking but I'm glad I did. These sessions have been really helpful and I don't feel so alone'

Emma (parent)

If you would like to join the next drop-in on Tuesday 3rd February, please send an email to sallywagter@gmail and we will send you the Zoom link.



InSync

YOUNG PEOPLE | CHILDREN | FAMILIES | TEENS

JOIN US FOR Drop In Sessions!

MONDAYS at The Clanfield Centre
2 Endal Way, Waterlooville, PO8 0YF

Promoting positive wellbeing, confidence building and an opportunity to socialise with others in the same position

Every Monday from the 15th Sept 2025

£4 per young person*

3 Slots for different groups, drop in at a time that suits you best!

InSync

2.15pm - 3.15pm

For those who will not be in the classroom at this time

InSync Family Drop In

3.30pm - 4.45pm

KS1 and KS2 family drop in session

Teen Tea & Talk

5pm - 6pm

Support and activities for teenagers *teens go free



Scan to see our website and learn more about what we do at InSync

Price includes games, arts and crafts, messy play and each session you will be provided with a sensory activity or strategy your child will make or learn to use and take home.

Plus, resources for the family and specialist advice and support for parents and carers.

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WHO ARE WE?



InSync offers support for young people as well as parents or carers who are looking for a safe space to grow, have fun and access advice. We specialise in adapting our sessions to suit all needs and abilities. We help young people and families to understand emotions and offer activities to provide positive outlets as well offering practical solutions and support.

Everyone that works or volunteers for InSync has first hand experience of navigating the challenges faced and looks to empower young people and families to access the services and advice they deserve.



COMMUNITY

Services created based on community needs.



INCLUSIVITY

Using innovative tools and interventions to engage even the busiest of brains.



AWARENESS

Sharing knowledge in an accessible way.



DEDICATION

Never settling for second best.



BRIDGE BUILDING

Breaking down the barriers within communities and advocating for families.

" All of you really helped Olivia and me. The knowledge you all have is amazing. Would highly recommend you. Thank you "

" My daughter is now more positive as she feels more supported and has ways of overcoming anxiety. "

" This course has been super helpful to us a family unit. The support we have received is outstanding. Thank you "

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