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HURST GREEN NEWS FRIDAY 25TH SEPTEMBER 2020

We have had another busy week here. All the classes are working hard and it is good to see how happy the children continue to be in the school day. Children's behaviour is exceptional – they are following the rules, listening to adults and are obviously enjoying learning again in the school environment. It is great to hear Mrs Ham teaching music again too.

Please keep observing our one way system at the beginning and end of the day; we are trying to encourage social distancing and need to be an example to the children. You can find information about the new NHS COVID-19 app at: <https://www.covid19.nhs.uk/>.

Miss Flack

Please adhere to the following school rules:

Long hair should be tied back

If your child has pierced ears, small studs must be worn

All KS2 children should be wearing a white cotton shirt and tie unless in a green summer dress

Children wearing PE kits to school should wear school jumpers/cardigans on top (not hoodies/fleeces)

Please make sure your child has a coat as the weather is unpredictable

Home Learning

Just to remind you, there is home learning accessible on the website under class pages, this is only for children who are isolating whilst awaiting test results. We do not expect children to do this who are unwell. In the coming weeks we will be sending you out a home learning policy that states the provision for children in the event of a local lock down, or if a bubble has to be closed.

Virtual PE Competitions

We are currently not able to travel to other schools or have them here, but fortunately myself and Miss Dallaway are able to deliver the cluster group competitions virtually! Each school within the cluster will participate this way and the results will be monitored by Miss Dallaway from Robertsbridge Community College. This all kicks off on Tuesday 6th October with our Cross Country Event which will be held within our school grounds. Although this is unusual, the children are very excited as there will be more class events with this format, which makes it more inclusive.

Miss Golding

Next Thursday will be fish and chip day, instead of Friday; remember this if your child loves fish and chips!



WE WILL BE EMAILING YOU NEXT WEEK ABOUT ORDERING
CHRISTMAS CARDS THAT YOUR CHILDREN HAVE DESIGNED
CHRISTMAS IS ON THE WAY !!!

CLASS NEWS

Nursery

This week we have been looking at our numbers and learning to count from 1 to 10 - if you could practise this at home with your child, that would be fantastic. We have made under the sea pictures of crabs and we have done lots of singing too!

Willow

We have been ordering numbers up to 20. In English we started our new book 'Lost and Found' and in R.E we thought about our school value, perseverance. We read the story of Mr Small and talked about how we can persevere at school.

Reader of the week: Rex

Silver Birch

In Maths this week we have continued with place value. Yr 1's have been finding one more or one less than a number to 10 and have been comparing objects using greater than, less than and same as. The Yr 2's have been using different resources to represent numbers to 100 and partitioning numbers using the part-whole model. In English we have read some more of our class book. We have used the book to help us identify and use nouns and adjectives and we have made leaflets with information about our school.

Reader of the week: Maddie

Chestnut

Chestnuts have been working hard this week. We have been making Minecraft villages with 1000's 100's, 10's and 1's and have been placing numbers on a number line. In ICT we researched up-to-date facts on Covid-19 and produced an information leaflet on a word document. Our class book 'The boy at the back of the class' has had us completely engrossed as the plot unfolds and we have been finding out what life was like for Ahmet in Syria.

Reader of the week: Fraser

Maple

This week we have continued with our text 'The Viewer' and have written newspaper reports on the disappearance of Tristan. In Maths we have been problem solving using number lines – it has given us all brain ache!! We have looked in to our heritage of smuggling during topic time too.

Reader of the week: Matilda

Oak

This week in Maths we have been rounding whole and decimal numbers. In English we have been reading more of our class book 'Refugee boy' and have been empathising with the character and what life is like for him and we have practised our spellings too. We have used topic time to learn about the reasons for people migrating.

Reader of the week: Felicity

ATTENDANCE FOR W/C 21 SEPTEMBER 2020



Willow – 96.6%
Silver Birch – 91.3%
Chestnut – 95.3%
Maple – 96.2%
Oak – 90%
Whole School – 93.9%