Hindlip CE First School

Friday 9th October 2026 Autumn Term 6

Monday W/C 12.10.26	Orange & Yellow P.E.
Tuesday	Red & Blue P.E.
Wednesday	Open Morning 9am – 10am for new 2027 parents Blue Class Gardening
Thursday	Harvest Festival 1.30pm no book bags
Friday	Red Class Gardening Blue Class gardening Yellow & Orange P.E. Harvest Fair Memorial Hall 3.15pm - all welcome

Attendance	Red	Blue	Yellow	Orange
W/C 5.10.26	97.3%	97.4%	99%	94.7%

Red Class: Stay and Play: A parent or carer to Red Class pupils are invited into school for a stay and play session on Friday 23rd October and Wednesday 4th November both at 2:15pm-3:00pm. If you are unable to make it, rest assured there are plenty of staff to be with your child. If you would like to attend one of the sessions, please email the school office indicating which date you prefer. We are unable to accommodate younger siblings.

Blue Class: Please could Blue Class come to school in gardening clothes on Wednesday. We will be exploring which senses we use when we are outside.



Harvest Festival: Our Harvest Festival is next Thursday at 1.30pm. Please bring Foodbank donations to school in bags that your child can carry. They will be taken to church for the Foodbank to collect. If you have a large amount please take it to the church and we can arrange for it to be handed over there. Full school uniform is to be worn. Bookbags are not needed on this day and packed lunches should be in disposable packaging. Please remember that parking is at either the Salwarpe Village Hall (leave by 3pm) or Church Fields. Parking by the church is reserved for the Foodbank and those by prior arrangement. Please remember to complete and return slips to the office so we know who to expect on the return journey to school and who will go home with parents after the Harvest service.

We are really looking forwards to seeing as many of you as possible at Salwarpe Church for our Harvest Festival next week. We look forward to receiving your generous harvest donations which will be donated to the food bank following the service. Pupils are able to continue enjoying Harvest celebrations at the PTA Harvest Fair at the Memorial Hall (next to school) on Friday with lots of lovely activities to enjoy. Blue class had a wonderful time this week, investigating different types of animal poo. (All playdough but disgustingly realistic as you can see on the photos) Thank you to all those who joined us for our MacMillan Coffee Morning this morning. It was lovely to enjoy coffee and cake to raise money for MacMillan. The full total raised will be published next week once we sell the remaining cakes after school today. Next week we are looking forward to our Open Day for prospective new parents of 2027.
Have a lovely weekend
Mr Uren and team.

Harvest Fair: Parents, carers, grandparents etc are welcome to join Friends of Hindlip at the Memorial Hall on 16th October at 3.15pm for a Harvest Fair. This will be a fun event filled with craft, art, food, drinks and pumpkin decorating. Please support this fundraising event to raise money for much needed resources to enhance your child's school experience.



Achievement Awards

Head Teacher's Awards

Red Class: Jeevan Blue
Class: Monty
Yellow Class: George W
Orange Class: Jacob

Value Awards

Red Class: Leo
Blue Class: Arlo
Yellow Class: Freddie
Orange Class: Esmai

Writers' Awards

Red Class: Harper
Blue Class: Ellie
Yellow Class: Hudson
Orange Class: Austin

Breakfast Club Award

Oscar O

Dates for the Diary — AutumnTerm

14th October	Open Morning for New 2027 Parents 9am in the school hall
15th October	Harvest Festival 1.30pm Salwarpe Church (letter out 18.9.26 parents invited)
16th October	Harvest Fayre in the Memorial hall. 3.15pm
21st October	Parents' Evening 3.30pm—7.30pm (letters out 23.9.26)
22nd October	Parents' Evening 2.15—4.15 (letters out 23.9.26)
22nd October	Reading Morning for Blue, Yellow and Orange
23rd October	Yellow and Orange Homework Showcase
23rd October	Stay and Play Red Class-Forest School (booking essential)
26th—30th October	Half Term
4th November	Stay and Play Red Class- classroom based (booking essential)
6th November	Memorial Hall Remembrance Service 7pm (TBC)
12th November	Reading Morning for Blue, Yellow and Orange
13th November	Non School Uniform Day in return for tombola prizes i.e wine
17th November	Whole School Flu Vaccinations (details to follow)
20th November	Non School Uniform in return for hamper gifts to make Christmas hampers
26th November	Reading Morning for Blue, Yellow and Orange
27th November	Cluster Carols School Christmas Fair (parents/carers invited to enjoy this event)
30th November	Wreath Making 7pm- 10pm PTA event details to follow
1st December	Red Class Trip (details to follow)
3rd December	Christingle service whole school at Church (details to follow) Yellow and Orange parents will be invited to the afternoon service at 2.15pm approx.
7th December	Panto - Sandwich lunch only, ordered or provided by parents
9th December	Carols in the Courtyard (details to follow, parents invited 1.30pm)
10th December	School Disco 3.15pm-4.30pm details to follow
10th December	Reading Morning for Blue, Yellow and Orange
14th December	Party Day—Buffet provided (details to follow)
16th December	Christmas Dinner via Parent pay. Do not order until the menu changes
17th December	End of Term
18th December	Inset Day

Weekly Gardening Timetable	Term 2026
Red Class	Friday
Blue Class	Friday



Gardening: Pupils who do gardening should come to school in old clothes that you don't mind them getting dirty. All pupils should bring wellies in a named bag that they will change into for their gardening session. A weather appropriate coat should also be worn.

Attendance Ted was awarded to Red Class for their 96.6% attendance last week.

Nuts in School: We are a nut free school therefore no nut products of any sort are allowed in school.

Well done to our award winners



SCHOOL DAY CLUBS

Doodle Club Doodle Club will run on Monday lunchtimes for years 2—4 from 12– 12.20pm. Pupils can drop in when they wish so there is no need to book.

Recorder Club This club runs every Monday 12.00 - 12.30pm for years 2 — 4. Pupils will perform at school functions. The cost is £2 per week. Permission slips are available from the office.

LITTLE DEER - AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS AUTUMN 1

Monday 3.15pm – 4.15pm COOKING CLUB

Tuesday 3.15pm-4.15pm ART CLUB

Wednesday 3.15pm-4.15pm GAMES CLUB

Thursday 3.15pm-4.15pm SCIENCE CLUB

Friday 3.15pm – 4.15pm GARDENING CLUB

Each club is £5 per child for the hour. Paid half termly in advance.

Places are limited and will be offered on a first come first served basis.

Please complete a booking form with your requests.

After School Club: This club is bookable termly using a booking form which you can get from the office. Mrs Rogers will bill for each half term using the information on the booking form. **If you have any changes please complete a further booking form at the end of each half term for her to change the bills.**

Please note that the best way to make adhoc after school care bookings/changes is by emailing the school office.

Please state your child's name when communicating via email. There is a portable black doorbell at the front office, please press the bell button, wait for a response, then hold the talk button to talk.





MacMillan Cake Sale


























Chestnut Infrastructure






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HARVEST FAIR

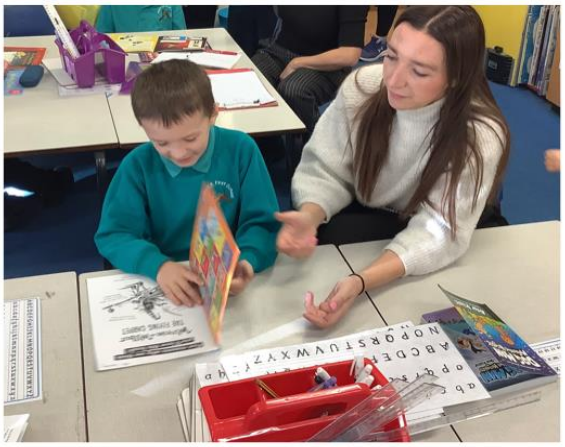
FERNHILL HEATH
MEMORIAL HALL

FRIDAY 16TH OCTOBER 3.15PM

🎃SPOOKY ARTS & CRAFTS STALLS
🧌FACE PAINTS
🌭FOOD & DRINK
🎃PUMPKIN DECORATING

Come along for some spooktacular fun!













Reading Morning











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Blue Class investigated animal poo to see whether it was from a carnivore, herbivore or omnivore.















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Yellow class enjoyed collaging fruit and vegetables.

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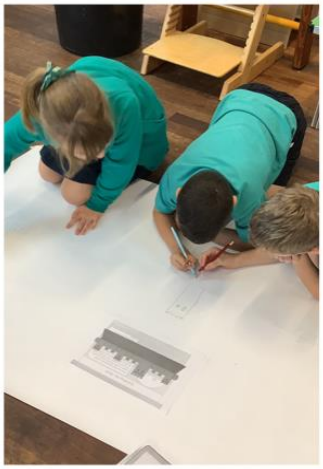



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Orange class researched facts about Hadrian's Wall and drew their own wall using the facts. We worked together as a team to successfully achieve the task. Well done Orange Class.



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BBC

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SCHOOL ADMISSIONS

Deadline dates for applying for a school place

High / Secondary Schools
31 October

First / Primary / Middle Schools
15 January

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For further information, how to apply and guidance on the admissions process, Scan the QR Code or visit our website below

www.worcestershire.gov.uk/schooladmissions

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FERNHILL HEATH
WAR MEMORIAL CLUB
GET READY FOR A
SPOOKTACULAR NIGHT!
OF FAMILY FUN!
Family Halloween Party!
Saturday 24th October 2026
War Memorial Club
Fernhill Heath
WR3 8RJ
From 7pm
Fancy Dress Prizes for Kids
Fancy Dress Prizes for Adults
Fun Games for All
Spooky Disco
£2 Entry
Free Goody Bag
ADULTS FREE ENTRY
HARIBO Goldbears
HARIBO Starmix
HARIBO DRUMSTICK
Spooky fun for all the family!
Costumes • Music • Fun Games • Spooky Treats
TICKETS ON SALE FROM THE CLUB BAR
MONDAY 14TH SEPTEMBER