

Hindlip CE First School NEWSLETTER

Friday 17th October 2025 Autumn Term Number 7



Monday W/C 20.10.25	Yellow Class P.E.
Tuesday	Red Class P.E. Blue Class P.E.
Wednesday	Parents' Evening 3.30pm-7.30pm
Thursday	Red Class P.E. Orange Class P.E. Parents' Evening 2.15pm-4.15pm
Friday	Red & Blue Class Gardening Yellow & Orange Class P.E.

Attendance	Red	Blue	Yellow	Orange
W/C 06.10.25	99%	98.8%	96%	98%

Red Class: We're delighted to announce that the *Worcester News* will be publishing their annual **First Day at School** supplement - celebrating reception classes as they begin their school journey. This special feature on Tuesday 11th November will showcase group photographs of reception pupils from schools across the area.

Red Class Stay and Play: The second Stay and Play session will be organised for after half term for those parents who were booked in previously.

Orange Class: Please could all Orange Class pupils bring in their topic showcase work for The Rainforest Topic on Wednesday 22nd October to share with Mrs Herbert and their peers. We look forward to celebrating their wonderful home learning to enhance the topic.

Year 3 & 4: Maths books will not come home this week. Alternative homework will be set on Doodle to reinforce this week's maths teaching. Please encourage your child to complete this.

Church Services: There is a family friendly Harvest Festival/Service with Rev. Laura Handy at Martin Church on Sunday 19th October at 9.30am. Pupils and parents are invited to attend.

Old Shirts: If there are any mums/dads who have old cotton button up shirts that you are willing to donate to school we could really do with some to use for messy art projects. Turned back to front they become great art aprons.

Non Uniform Day: There will be non uniform days on 7th November. In return we ask for donations for our Christmas Hampers. Ideas of seasonal biscuits, wine, candles, cheese biscuits etc. These should be brought in on the day and put on the table just inside the back door.

Somehow, we only have one week left before the half term break! We have been as busy as ever at school. It was wonderful to welcome so many families to Salwarpe Church on Thursday afternoon for our Harvest Service. A big thank you to Rev. Laura for our warm welcome and a big thank you from the Droitwich Food Bank for your incredibly generous donations. Don't forget the Martin Church Family Harvest service is this Sunday morning. We also welcomed lots of potential new families into school this week for our Open Morning. Our Orange Class pupils really did us proud as incredible tour guides sharing and celebrating our school. We had so much wonderful feedback about our welcoming and helpful children. Another thank you to our Governor helpers, Mrs. Clarke, Mrs. Rowley and Mrs. Dickens. Another thank you is needed for your generous donations for our Macmillan Coffee Morning and to Friends for helping to run the event. Mr. Uren's wallet is now much lighter after trying all of the cakes! The children REALLY enjoyed the morning and tasted some delicious bakes. An amazing £270 has been raised so far. Next week we are looking forward to sharing your children's progression in our Parents Evening discussions. Please don't forget we are short staffed in the office on Tuesdays so if there is anything urgent, please speak to us on the playground at the start of the day. Have a lovely weekend, Mr. Gromski and the Team.



Remembrance Day
POPPIES
ON SALE HERE

Poppies, slap bands, wrist bands, will be for sale after school every day for the next two weeks.

Achievement Awards

Head Teacher's Awards

Red Class: Mariam Blue Class: Este
Yellow Class: Maisie Orange Class: Willow

Value Awards

Red Class: Frazer Blue Class: George W
Yellow Class: Eliza Orange Class: L-J

Readers' Awards

Red Class: Miya Blue Class: Alice
Yellow Class: Hattie Orange Class: Yashvini

Please see page 2 for diary dates and 4 for after school clubs. Please note changes for after half term.

Dates for the Diary – Autumn Term

22nd October	3.30pm-7.30pm Parents' Evening
23rd October	2.15-4.15 Parents' Evening
27th-31st October	Half Term
3rd November	Back to school
7th November	Non school uniform for Christmas hamper gift
14th November	Children in Need – wear spots or Pudsey Items
21st November	Break the Rules Day—details to follow
27th November	Reading Morning
28th November	Cluster Carols @ Tibberton-Christmas hats/headwear to be worn
28th November	Christmas Fayre—in school 3.15pm – 5.15pm
2nd December	Wreath Making 7pm-10pm booking essential see Friends of Hindlip page
4th December	Christingle Service – whole school split over the day (details to follow)
6th December	Carols at The White Hart - details to follow
8th December	Panto - Whole school - sandwich lunch
10th December	Carols in the Courtyard 2pm All parents invited.
11th December	Reading Morning
15th December	Party Day – Buffet lunch provided for all pupils
17th December	School Disco 3.15-4.30pm letter to follow
18th December	Christmas Jumper Day
18th December	End of Term
19th December	Inset Day
5th January	Inset Day
16th - 20th Feb	Half Term
27th March	End of Term
13th April	Back to school
4th May	May Day
6th May -8th May	Year 4 Residential
7th May	Year 3 Activity Day
25th—29th May	Half Term
1st June	Inset Day
17th July	End of Term



Weekly Gardening Timetable	Autumn Term 2025
Red Class	Friday
Blue Class	Friday



Attendance Ted is awarded to Red Class for their 100% attendance last week.

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

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.



Meet The Governors:

My name is Josh Uren and I'm the Head of School at Hindlip First. I am also the Special Education Needs Coordinator (SENCO) for both Hindlip and Tibberton. I have worked in education for 18 years and taught Year 6 down to Pre-school and toddlers in the EYFS. My passions are football and cinema, which I now seldom get time for having a primary age child and a pre-schooler. I am proud to work with such dedicated staff who go above and beyond to serve the needs of their community.

Well done to all of 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.

Singing and Recorder Club This club runs every Monday and Wednesday mornings starting from 8th September from Monday 12.00 - 12.20pm and Monday 8.15-8.45am for years 2 – 4. Pupils will use their learnt songs to perform at school functions. The cost is £1 per week. Permission slips are available from the office.

Multi-Sports Club Monday–Friday lunchtimes run by AJB sports coaches. No need to sign up, unlimited places available, children should take a sports bib and line up at the entrance to the game on the playground.

LITTLE DEER- AFTER SCHOOL CLUBS - AUTUMN 2 AFTER HALF TERM

Monday 3.15pm - 4.15pm ART CLUB

Tuesday 3.15pm-4.15pm COOKING CLUB

Wednesday 3.15pm-4.15pm GAMES CLUB

Thursday 3.15pm-4.15pm SCIENCE CLUB

Friday 3.15pm - 4.15pm ELECTRONICS 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 directly with Mrs. Rogers and or by emailing the school office. The new after school care mobile number is 07462580143.

[This number can be text directly to book in; Mrs Rogers is busy in her teaching assistant role during the day, so is unable to text back, however, this phone is checked at 3:00pm every day so your child will have a space.](#)

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



We are learning about Rosie's Walk. What a great adventure Rosie has.







We created a walk using Bee Bots.





Blue Class had a fab walk up to the woods. We are planning a route to help Henry hedgehog find his way home. 🦔🏠





We had a lovely time celebrating harvest at church! 🍁 Thank you for all your generous food donations.



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VOICES

Children's Choir Droitwich Every Thursday


**First
Session
FREE!**

Juniors
5-8 years old
5-5:45PM

Seniors
9-17 years old
6-7PM

Join Today!



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