

Harwich Community Primary

School and Nursery

Newsletter - Friday 16th Jan 2026



ADULT LEARNING OPPORTUNITY

On Wednesday 28th January 2026 @ 9:00- 11:00am we are hosting a learning session on 'Learning about Childhood Anxiety'. This is run by the North East Essex Mental Health Support Team (MHST). If you are interested in attending, please make contact with Mrs Fletcher via the school office or message her directly on DOJOs. It would be good to see you as we need to take advantage of these sessions whilst they are being offered here in Harwich.

DATES FOR YOUR DIARY-

Wed 21st Jan- School Council Cake Sale

2nd Feb - 5 Feb- Book Fair

11th Feb- Reception Class Assembly @10am

11th Feb - School Council Valentine's Discos

16th Feb - 20th Feb- Half Term

5th March - World Book Day- Dress up as a book character

10th March - PTA Pro Strike Sponsored Event

10th March - Year 6 Parents SATs Workshop @ 2:45pm

17th March- Parents Evening (2:00pm)

20th March - Red Nose Day (non-uniform day)

25th March - Easter Bonnet Parade

27th March - Year 4 Class Assembly @ 2:45pm

LUNCH TIME MENU

We will be on **week 1** of our lunch menus. You can head over to our school website and find our menus there. [Lunch Menus | Harwich Community Primary School and Nursery](#)



STARS OF THE WEEK

Rec- Blake

Y1 - Hope

Y2 - Logan

Y3 - Phoebe

Y4 - Isla

Y5 - Charlotte

Y6 - Bella

PRESENTATION STARS

REC- Marnie

Y1 - Melisa

Y2 - Marley

Y3 - Harriet

Y4 - Savannah

Y5 - Nayla

Y6 - Sabrina

ATTENDANCE

Each week I will post up the attendance in each class. The winning class will have a treat for having the best attendance. Good luck everyone.

Reception - 79.8%

Year 1 - 84.5%

Year 2 - 73.1%

Year 3 - 92.4%

Year 4 - 89%

Year 5 - 85.9%

Year 6 - 95.4%

Well done to our Year 6 class this week. Whole school attendance is 85.7%

TENDRING VOICES FESTIVAL-

Our choir have been invited back to perform at the Princes Theatre again this year. Please save the date!! We will be performing on Tuesday 24th March @ 6:30pm. Tickets will go on sale on Friday 23rd January and are priced at £9 each. I will share the link once it becomes available. How exciting!

BOOK FAIR

I am really pleased to inform you that our book fair will be returning this year. It will be set up in the hall after school as usual from Monday 2nd February - Thursday 5th February. The children will get the chance during school time to create their wish list. More information to follow nearer the time.

MESSAGE FROM ME...

Please can I remind parents of a couple of things during drop off and pick up times.

For the safety of everyone, we kindly ask that families wait until **both school gates are fully opened** before entering the school grounds.

Entering while only one gate is open creates congestion and safety risks for, staff and

families. Waiting for both gates to open helps ensure smooth supervision and a safe flow of entry for everyone.

Also, after morning drop-off, we ask that parents and carers **either drop off and leave promptly**, or wait until Year 4, Year 5, and Year 6 children have exited the playground before leaving.

Thank you

Mrs Anderson

