

Holbrook News



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Get Physical

To stay healthy or improve health and fitness the government recommends that children spend at least 60 minutes a day being moderately physically active.

At Holbrook School we think that being active is very important and that is why as well as a wide range of physical activities and sports in PE as well as offering a whole range of after school clubs for all pupils from Years 1 up to Year 6 to enjoy.

Having the correct equipment for lessons including PE is important. Our PE kit is a plain navy blue top, black shorts or tracksuit bottoms and suitable footwear.

Whilst Mr Connolly keeps a stash of spare PE kit it is always much nicer to wear your own kit so please make sure that your child has their PE kit in school.

Part of sport is competition and testing your skills and tactics against others. This has been in evidence over the last few weeks as we have had teams taking part in so many different sports football and hockey. Over the next few weeks Year 5 & 6 will learn skills to help the team for the forthcoming Coventry West indoor athletics competition. It is always nice to see pupils showing such pride representing the school while also showing good sportsmanship to other teams. As headteacher it is a delight to hear from other schools in Coventry how well your children represented the school and how polite and well mannered the team were.



Mrs Mc Carthy

Forthcoming Events

Assembly theme:- Antbullying week

Monday 13th	Movement workshop AM Nursery 8:45am Movement workshop PM Nursery 2pm
Tuesday 14th	Parents Evening 3-6pm Year 6G Blitz Trip to Coventry. Friends@Holbrook meeting 3:10 all welcome.
Wednesday 15th	Year 1 Superhero Training! School Nurse in Y6, R—Heights and weights
Thursday 16th	Year 6G Blitz Trip to Coventry. BEST Assembly Years 2,4,6 Multiskills club cancelled.
Friday 17th	Year 4 Swimming

	Class	% Attend
1	6G	99.3
2	1G	99
3	3R	98.7
4	Nursery AM	98.5
5	2S	98.2
6	4F	98
6	6W	98
8	1F	97.3
9	1B	97.1
10	4W	96
10	5S	96
12	2K	95.7
12	2C	95.7
12	5C	95.7
Whole School		95.4
15	6C	95.3
16	4D	94
17	5R	93.3
18	RM	93.1
19	RW	93
20	3C	92.7
21	3P	92.1
22	RS	89.7
23	Nursery PM	82.3

Attendance Report

Those few people not returning straight after the half term holiday have caused our attendance to dip slightly!

Well done to 6G for topping the table but you need 100% to go green.

30 Oct—3 Nov

YTD
96.1% - 0.1





Correct Uniform

Please can parents remember that the school uniform is plain black or dark grey tights.



Recently we have seen a number of pupils wearing bright colourful patterns or sparkly tights—these are not school uniform.

Head scarves or handkerchiefs should also be plain colours; blue, black or white.

Also remember jeans should not be worn! Even if they are black.

Reception School Places for 2018



We are rightly proud of our school. For OFSTED we got an overall **GOOD** with **OUTSTANDING** for Leadership and Management. If your child is in Nursery you won't want to miss out on coming to Holbrook School in September so you need to apply or you may not be allocated your choice of school for your child.

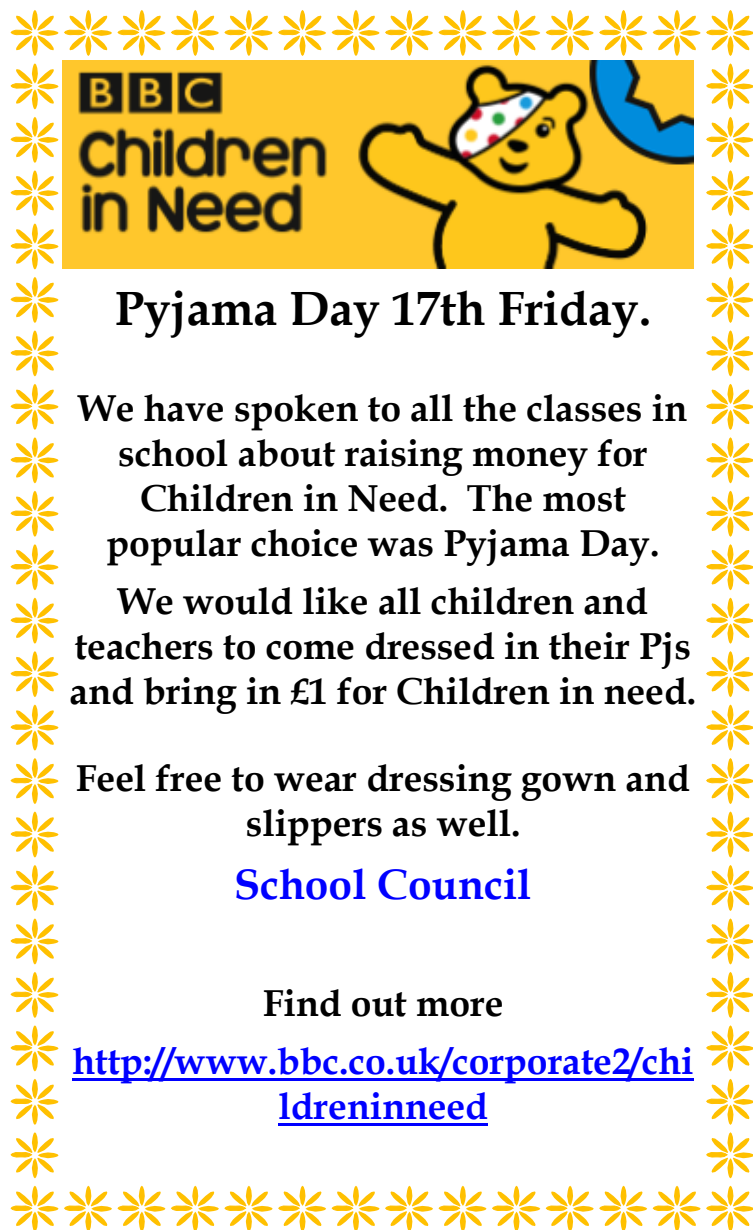
If you are new to our school or would like a proper school tour please send an e-mail to:- schoolvisit@holbrook.coventry.sch.uk and we will be happy to take you around.

Applications for reception places for 2018 can be made online.

http://www.coventry.gov.uk/info/148/school_admissions/114/primary_school_admissions/4

The closing date for applications is **15 January 2018**.

Don't leave it too late. Sign up now!



Pyjama Day 17th Friday.

We have spoken to all the classes in school about raising money for Children in Need. The most popular choice was Pyjama Day.

We would like all children and teachers to come dressed in their Pjs and bring in £1 for Children in need.

Feel free to wear dressing gown and slippers as well.

School Council

Find out more

<http://www.bbc.co.uk/corporate2/childreninneed>

Christmas Fayre Meeting

Tuesday 14th November 3pm

Our next big whole school fund raising event is the Christmas Fayre on Thursday 7th December at 2—4pm. We are having a meeting about what we can do to raise money for the school.

Everyone is welcome to attend so please come along and find out more.

Friends@Holbrook

