



# Holbrook News



## Is the field dry?

Holbrook Primary School is set in wonderful grounds and we have a good mix of playground and field spaces that mean pupils can get out and get active for PE lessons. Over the last week Mr Connolly has been seen inspecting the field in a desperate attempt to get pupils using this space for PE and lunchtimes. Hopefully, with a dry spell he will get his wish!

Physical activity has great benefit for everyone especially children; as well as the long term benefits for health and wellbeing, it helps with concentration in class, working together as well as being fun!

Sport provides children a great opportunity to learn to follow the rules and respect the referees and umpires, play fairly and show good sportsmanship. Although it is great to win, sometimes learning to lose with good grace is even more important. How we handle this and respect our opponents are important life skills.

At the start of the school year every child was given a school logoed PE top. Just like school uniform, we have a set list of clothing for PE—black t-shirt black shorts or tracksuit bottoms. In cooler weather a black tracksuit top in sunny weather a sun hat can be added. Sensible shoes for sport are also essential—pumps or trainers.

We expect pupils from Reception to Year 6 to come to school with the correct kit and change from their school uniforms. In Reception, it is an important part of their personal care, Year 3 need to be practised and speedy at changing for swimming and for Year 6 it is useful to be quick at changing so you are prepared for secondary school.

It would be great if everyone in the school could follow the fantastic example of pupils in the pictures and be in correct PE kit every PE lesson!



Hair tied up and no earring or just small stud earrings.

*Mrs Kelsall*

## Forthcoming Events

Monday 29th	<b>Clubs start this week.</b> <b>PE - Year 3 &amp; Year 6</b>
Tuesday 30th	<b>PE—Year 2, Year 4 Year 5</b> <b>50 things workshops—Nursery</b> <b>10:45am &amp; 12pm</b>
Wednesday 1st May	<b>PE—Year 1 &amp; Year 5</b> <b>Year 2 Coombe Trip</b>
Thursday 2nd	<b>PE—Nursery PM, Reception, Year 2, &amp; Year 4</b>
Friday 3rd	<b>Tennis Event</b> <b>BEST Assembly Y1, 3 &amp; 5</b> <b>2:20pm start.</b> <b>PE—Nursery AM, Year 3AF, 3G</b> <b>Swimming 3F</b>

## BANK HOLIDAY

Remember

**Monday 6th May**

is a bank holiday and school will be closed.

## Clubs!

As the newsletter goes to print all after school clubs are on next week, You can check what club your child is on via the My Child at School APP.

We will send out a message if a club is cancelled





Why should you come to school every day and on time?

It is no surprise that children with good attendance achieve the BEST results academically and have the BEST life chances. Yesterday we spoke with children about how missing school and arriving late makes them feel and this is what they said:



When I am late, I feel confused and worried that I am missing learning.

When I'm at school on time I feel excited and happy.

It makes me sad missing school as I don't want my attendance to go down.

Seeing my teacher on the door makes me feel welcome and I fit in with everyone.

I like coming to school and the mystery of what we are going to do.

I am scared when I'm late as the class are already learning.

I want to come to school but Mum says we're not. I want my attendance to be better.

I feel embarrassed when I am late and feel like everyone is looking at me.

When I have missed a day, I can't do the work the next day. It is hard. This makes me worried.

1	6H	99.3
2	6S	99
3	5P	98.6
4	2C	98
5	4R	97.3
6	6D	97.2
7	4C	96.2
8	3AF	95.6
9	2J	94.3
9	3F	94
11	2F	92.9
12	1B	92.6
<b>Whole School</b>		<b>92.59</b>
13	RW	92.5
14	3G	92.5
15	4H	92
16	5E	91.6
17	RH	91.4
18	RL	91.3
19	1DR	91.2
20	5T	90.6

Attendance Report

Year 6 classes are really making sure that they are in school every day with every class hitting the government's attendance target of 96%, but then again so did 5P, 2C, 4R & 4C!

Well done to you all. Hopefully, even more classes will manage it this week.

15—19 April

50 things to do...

Workshop

This week pupils and parents in Nursery had a fantastic time making pizzas! One young man was so proud of the pizza he made for his sister in Year 4 he even got it delivered to her!



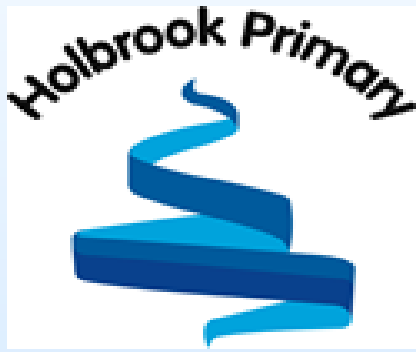
We will be holding these workshops for parents and pupils of Nursery children over the next few weeks. It would be great to have even more parents in future weeks.

Next workshops

Tuesday 30th April

10:45—Morning Nursery

12pm—Afternoon Nursery



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