



Hedgewood School Newsletter

Message from the Co-Heads

Dear Parents & Carers,

What an incredible start we've had at Hedgewood! We are immensely proud of the resilience and courage the children have shown in these first two weeks. Each one of them has been truly remarkable, and it's been a pleasure getting to know them individually. Thank you all once again for your wonderful support.

Mrs Greenwald & Mrs Smith

School Day

Mon-Thurs

8.30am—3pm

Friday

8.30am-2.30pm

The gate will close at 8.45am.

This Week

As we enter our second week, pupils are continuing to settle in smoothly after the break. Our teachers are reinforcing clear routines in the classroom to ensure a comfortable adjustment for everyone. At the same time, we're creating a positive and engaging environment to nurture a love of learning. It's been wonderful to see the excitement and enthusiasm grow as we move forward into an exciting and enriching term ahead!



Class of the Week

We will start announcing our Class of the Week from next week!

Nut Aware

We are a Nut Aware school and heavily discourage nut products on our school premises. To minimise the risk of allergic reactions to nuts, all staff, visitors and pupils are asked not to bring the following foods on our premises:

- Packaged nuts
- Peanut butter or chocolate spreads containing nuts
- Cereal or chocolate bars containing nuts
- Peanut based sauces like satay

We thank you for working in partnership with us to keep our school community safe.

Thank you for helping us streamline our processes and create a safer, more convenient environment for everyone.

Online Safety

The safety of our pupils extends into the digital world and we are committed to teaching online safety to all of our pupils. We kindly urge parents to remain vigilant regarding potentially harmful online trends circulate on different social media platforms.

Should you ever require help or support regarding online safety, please don't hesitate to reach out to a member in Family Services.

Reminder

A friendly reminder to keep an eye on our school lunch menu! Our menu operates on a three-week cycle to provide variety and nutritious options for our students. By staying informed about the upcoming meal choices, you can help ensure your child enjoys a well-balanced and satisfying lunch experience. Please use the link: colhamcatering-plus.co.uk. to place your orders. A friendly reminder: Please make sure to submit your orders by 8:00 am on the day your child needs a meal. If you're planning for the half-term period, you have the option to place orders in advance.

Parking Reminders

We would like to ask for your continued support in maintaining safe and clear access for our buses and for our neighbours. We understand that parking can be somewhat challenging, but your cooperation in refraining from using the dropped curbs has been instrumental in maintaining safe passage for our families and buses at the end of the day. Kindly note that there are ample parking spaces available in the adjacent streets which are only a short walk away from the gates. Your commitment to this small yet significant gesture makes a big difference.



Upcoming Events

Parent Carer Coffee Event - Wednesday 25th September @ 1.45pm—2.45pm

