

HEPS News



Week beginning 15.03.2021

The Week Ahead...

Day	Information	Clubs
Monday 15 March	Parrett/Aller: drop off 08:40; collect 15:20; Sedgemoor/Northmoor: drop off 08:45; collect 15:25; Isle: drop off 08:50; collect 15:30 Kingsmoor: drop off 08:40; collect 15:30 (front door). <i>(Siblings to be dropped off at earliest time and collected together at latest time.)</i> Sedgemoor—PE Day	Early Birds Breakfast Club re-starts NO After School Clubs Busy Bees re-starts Various boosters (by invitation). Please collect your child at the top gate at 16:30.
Tuesday 16 March	Deadline (09:00) for hot school meal orders (week 2 menu) for w/c 22 March 2021. Please order on WisePay. Aller—PE Day	Early Birds Breakfast Club NO After School Clubs Busy Bees Various boosters (by invitation). Please collect your child at the top gate at 16:30.
Wednesday 17 March	Parrett & Kingsmoor —PE Day Somerset Music Tuition (ukulele); Northmoor Class; pm.	Early Birds Breakfast Club NO After School Clubs Busy Bees Various boosters (by invitation). Please collect your child at the top gate at 16:30.
Thursday 18 March	Northmoor—PE Day	Early Birds Breakfast Club NO After School Clubs Busy Bees Various boosters (by invitation). Please collect your child at the top gate at 16:30.
Friday 19 March	Mufti Day for Comic Relief (donation of up to £2.00 please) Isle—PE Day	Early Birds Breakfast Club NO After School Clubs Busy Bees Various boosters (by invitation). Please collect your child at the top gate at 16:30.

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Mr Russell Head

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Mr Sam Jackson



Designated Safeguarding Lead:

Mrs Tiffany Doughty Davis, Headteacher

Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead:

Miss Jenny Chadbourne



Letters/emails sent out recently or reminders:

Child Vision Screening—Year 1 - Year 1 parents/carers (10/03/21)
Booster Invitation Letters (all classes) 11/03/21 - invited pupils (return by Monday latest)

National Census: All pupils will be working on a National Census project using resources sent from the Government. Perhaps you can help support this work by talking to your child/children about its importance for our social history especially when you receive your packs at home to fill in?

PE Days: Please note that Kingsmoor will now have their PE Day on a Wednesday and Northmoor will have theirs on a Thursday. This swap is due to Northmoor having Somerset Music in on a Wednesday afternoon.

Comic Relief: We will be having a mufti day on **Friday, 19 March 2021** for donations up to £2.00 please.

Thank You: We would like to thank Tracey Keating, the manager at Tesco Langport, for the kind donation of some PPE items, plants and seeds. We look forward to continued collaboration with our local store.

School Vision Screen: On Tuesday 25 May at 9.30am, the screening service will be in school to undertake vision screening with our Reception children. Due to COVID-19, a letter from the service has been sent to all Year 1 parents/carers this week with further information about their screening.

School bags: We would kindly ask you to send your child in with book bags only as this helps with the limited space we have with the classrooms having been adjusted to social distancing. Please check these regularly and empty them out every day. Children should not be bringing in additional items into school.

Water bottles: Please ensure your child comes into school with a water bottle filled with water. We refill bottles throughout the day but cannot supply bottles.

Boosters: Please look out for booster invitations which we ask you to respond to as soon as possible. Boosters are used for multiple reasons such as learning gaps, confidence building and skills lessons. Please contact the school if you have any questions.

School Lunches: Please make your menu choices and/or book & pay on WisePay by 09:00 on Tuesday, 16 March 2021 for meals w/c 22 March 2021 (week 2 menu). **Summer Term 2021:** Huish Catering are continuing with a similar menu for next term, the first six weeks of which are now available on WisePay to book.

Early Birds and Busy Bees: All parents and carers need to book and pay for sessions on WisePay as cash payments are no longer accepted. As there is a limit on the number of children who can attend this provision, please book nice and early as places will be given on a first come, first served basis.

Safeguarding: A reminder to everyone dropping off and collecting that they should wear a mask. Adults not wearing masks put us all at risk. Staff may need to talk with adults on collection or drop off. Please be kind and thoughtful towards our community members.

Capture a Comment: *"I have had my best week playing with my friends at break time. I like the new classroom and my new teacher, Mrs Brown."* (Lilly-Mae, Parrett)

Question on the Gate: *"What were the visitors in the park this week measuring?"*

"Parents may have seen visitors on and around the school site recently as planning and preparation has increased for the additional classroom. I am still negotiating with planners for the best solution for our children alongside the best use of public funds. We were hoping this would be in place for September 2021 but lockdown has delayed some of the planning elements. The uncertainty of this timing will mean the release of class allocations and teaching staff will be later than usual this year for September. We will keep everyone updated with any firm news as soon as we have any."

Sparkle Jar Reading at least 5 times per week last week

Parrett	Aller	Sedgemoor	Northmoor	Isle	Kingsmoor	Whole School
93%	94%	97%	97%	97%	97%	95%