

HEPS News



Week beginning 08.11.2021

The Week Ahead...

	Cocklemoor	Haymoor	Leazemoor	Perrymoor	Portmoor	Saltmoor	Kingsmoor
Monday		Wear PE kit					Kickboxing 15:30-16:30
Tuesday				Wear PE kit Sewing Bee 15:30-16:30	Runner Beans 15:30-16:30	Gallery Create 15:30-16:30	Booster 15:30-16:30
Wednesday					Wear PE kit		
Thursday	Busy Bodies 15:30-16:30	Make and Build 15:30-16:30	Wear uniform but bring in PE kit Arty Crafty 15:30-16:30	Ukulele 13:30		Team Sports 15:30-16:30	
Friday	Bring PE kit in					Wear PE kit	Swimming 13:30

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HEPS Chair of Governors & Safeguarding Governor:
Mr Russell Head

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Mr Sam Jackson



Designated Safeguarding Lead:

Mrs Doughty Davis, Headteacher

Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead:

Miss Chadbourne, Deputy Headteacher



Letters/emails sent out recently or reminders:

NELI Information Email
Poppies Reminder Email

Cockle Moor Pupils
All Pupils

School Lunches: Please make your menu choices and/or book and pay on WisePay by 09:00am on Tuesday, 9 November 2021 for meals w/c 15 November 2021 (week 1 menu).

Book Amnesty: We are missing a large number of our books from each of the classes which totals over £1,000. We kindly ask you to check bookshelves and bring in any books you find. It doesn't matter how long you've had them. We will be very grateful to see them again.

Please ask your child to take them to any adult on the playground in the morning or leave them next to the Lost Property Basket in the hall foyer. Thank you for taking the time to look and return these precious resources.

School photos: We have rescheduled with Tempest for Wednesday 24 November 2021.

Remembrance: We will have the British Legion poppies and other items available for everyone to buy from on the playground each morning at drop off.

Children in Need: We will be fundraising for Children In Need on Friday 19 November. Children can wear mufti for the day for a donation of £1 to Children in Need. We are sticking with the theme of spots and stripes which proved very popular last time!

We also have Cockle Moor's Bake Sale on this day with fundraising going towards the school library fund.

Uniform: We are asking children to attend school in their PE kit on PE days. As we now have much colder weather, children should wear Jogging bottoms and a sweatshirt on top of their PE kit which should be in the colours of the regular or PE uniform ie plain grey or plain black jogging bottoms and a regular navy sweatshirt. The PE shorts should be plain black. The PE t-shirt should be plain navy.

It is now too cold for children to be wearing shorts, a skirt or dress without tights. Please also ensure your child has a jumper, sweatshirt or cardigan and a coat every day.

Flu vaccinations: These have been rescheduled for our school on Tuesday 25 January. You will be contacted nearer the time for information and to give permission.

Learn with Us and Celebration Assemblies: Although our COVID situation has improved for both staff and children, the local area still has high infection rates. Unfortunately this means that we will not be inviting parents into school for Learn with Us or Celebration Assemblies for the foreseeable future. We will let you know when we are able to invite you back into school.

Communication survey: Thank you to everyone who participated in our survey regarding communication. We had 96 responses.

We are pleased to report that 93% of new parents described their child's transition into our school as either good or outstanding. Despite a few cancelled events, the transition morning, new parent meetings, pop-by and stay and play sessions were very well attended. We will be keeping this format for next year but hopefully with home visits too.

If you have friends or family who are looking for a primary Reception place, please let them know that the closing date for applications for a primary place is 15 January 2022. Please encourage them to come and book a tour with Mrs Doughty Davis as soon as possible via the School Office as soon as possible.

Safeguarding: If the police have contact with a family or are called to an incident with school-aged children, they will contact the schools the children attend. If we receive a notification then we will speak with parents or carers about the notification. As a school we are then able to offer support to families and children. Even without this contact from the police, we are here to support children and families by offering direct help or signposting to other organisations who can help.

Please don't hesitate to contact Mrs Doughty Davis, Miss Chadbourne or Mrs Kenchington for help or advice at any time.

Capture a Comment: *"Today we learned about Nessie. It's a monster and lives in a lake in Scotland. I wonder what Nessie would do if she didn't like her lake? I think she would slither like a snake on the grass to find a nicer lake. I wonder if Nessie is like a snake or is slippery?" (Felix, Year 1)*

Question on the gate: *"Will there be a nativity this year?"*

"Cockle Moor will be working towards a Christmas spectacle which will take place in the last week of term. Whilst we would like parents and carers to come into school to see this, we will only do this if there is a considerable drop in the local infection rate which is looking increasingly unlikely."

Sparkle Jar Reading at least 5 times per week, last week

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64%	100%	96%	92%	92%	100%	94%