

HEPS News



Week beginning 1.5.2023

The Week Ahead...

	Cocklemoor	Haymoor	Leazemoor	Perrymoor	Portmoor	Saltmoor	Kingsmoor
Monday	Bank Holiday	Bank Holiday	Bank Holiday	Bank Holiday	Bank Holiday	Bank Holiday	Bank Holiday
Tuesday	Strike day Wear PE Kit	Strike day Wear PE Kit	Strike day Wear PE Kit	Strike day Wear PE Kit	Strike day Wear PE Kit	Strike day Wear PE Kit	Strike day Wear Uniform
Wednesday	Athletics 15:30-16:30	Athletics 15:30-16:30	Athletics 15:30-16:30	Athletics 15:30-16:30	Residential	Kick Boxing Athletics 15:30-16:30 Please wear PE kit to school	Kick Boxing Athletics 15:30-16:30
Thursday	Art Attack 15:30-16:30	Art Attack 15:30-16:30	Art Attack 15:30-16:30	Netball Always debat- able 15:30-16:30	Residential	Netball Always debat- able 15:30-16:30	Netball Always debat- able 15:30-16:30
Friday	Mufti Day for all pupils	Mufti Day for all pupils	Mufti Day for all pupils	Mufti Day for all pupils Swimming 13:30-15:30	Residential	Mufti Day for all pupils	Mufti Day for all pupils Please wear PE kit to school

Quick link to our Twitter Feed:

@H_E_P_S



Quick link to Calendar Dates:

[HEPS Diary Dates](#)

HEPS Chair of Governors:
Mr Sam Jackson



**Deputy Designated
Safeguarding Lead and
Safeguarding Governor:**

Miss Chadbourne
Deputy Headteacher



**Designated Safeguarding
Lead:**

Mrs Doughty Davis
Headteacher



Letters/emails sent out recently or reminders:

School meals reminder

All pupils

School Lunches: Please make your menu choices and/or book and pay on Schoolcomms by 09:00am on Tuesday, 2 May 2023 for meals W/C 8 May 2023 (week 1 menu).

School Lunches: Work is still under going in our community room and school dinners will be replaced by packed lunches.

Wednesday: Ham Thursday: Cheese Friday: Jam

Portmoor swimming: Please contact the office if you are free on any of the Friday afternoons to help walk to and from the academy for swimming lessons. Swimming can only take place if we have volunteer support. Thank you in advance for your support with this.

KS2 SATS week: We are inviting Year 6 pupils to breakfast in Kingsmoor classroom before their KS2 tests during SATs week: Tuesday 9 May to Friday 12 May 2023. A continental breakfast of pancakes, toast, cereal and fruit is provided for our pupils to get them ready for their exams. It's a lovely way to start each day and most pupils choose to attend. The breakfast is free of charge. The Kingsmoor entrance will open at 8am during SATs week.

KS1 SATs: These will be starting on Tuesday next week. Children will be working in the meeting room, which is next to the front door, near the School Office. The front door is still in use but we kindly ask any visitor to keep any noise to a low level.

May half term: Inspired Schools are running another multi-sports holiday camp at Somerton playing fields from 30 May - 2 June. Please book through their website if you would like your child to attend. <https://inspiredschools.schoolipal.co.uk>

The Coronation: HEPS will be celebrating the King Charles III Coronation on Friday 5 May.

The School Council have suggested that staff and children wear red, white and blue, or dress regally!

We are hoping for lovely weather so we can have lunch on the field. The School Council will be encouraging everyone to bring in a Coronation themed lunch or snack to celebrate in style. House points will be awarded to cup cakes with a crown, coronation themed sandwiches and any other imaginative ideas you may have!

There will be many other small ways in which we commemorate this special occasion which you will be able to see on Twitter.

Preston Primary Academy Trust: HEPS receives school improvement visits from the Trust CEO each half term. Bernie Green visited last week and was delighted with HEPS. All elements which were assessed were of a high standard with no remedial action to be taken. Mrs Green's comments were 'What lucky children you have in this school with such excellent provision.'"

Perrymoor swimming: All pupils will need to bring in an item of swimwear, towel and goggles for a taster session on Friday 5 May. If there are any parents/carers that could help walking the children to and from the academy please email the office.

Safeguarding: We like to think that our children have the opportunity to participate in activities beyond school. The NSPCC provide a good guide of how to keep children safe when attending a sports clubs, group or activity. There is a guide on the website on the link below which covers the areas of: a safe environment; a welfare or child protection officer; effective consent and emergency processes; safer recruitment processes; safeguarding training; suitable supervision; and written standards of good practice.

<https://www.nspcc.org.uk/keeping-children-safe/away-from-home/sports-clubs/>

Question on the gate: "When will the community room be ready?"

"The floor has been laid and most elements are complete. We are waiting for the decoration and tiling to be finished. Now the flooring is in place, we can arrange delivery of the electrical items. We will have an increased number of cookers and hobs for the children and an extra dishwasher for the adults. We can't wait for it to be ready!

NB I've had a few questions about the paper towels outside the hall ... these have been misdelivered and do not belong to us. They should have been collected a week ago."

Sparkle Jar Reading—5 reads a week minimum, including holidays

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89%	80%	93%	91%	88%	97%	95%

Dates for your diary

We will put dates in the newsletter at the beginning and end of each term. In the meantime, please click on the pink link on this newsletter on page 1 which will take you to this page on the website. All dates and events are subject to change although as always we aim to minimise this wherever possible.

Monday 17 April	First day of the half term No Early Birds Clubs start on this day
Thursday 20 April	London residential meeting for parents and children, 16:30
Friday 21 April	Mufti for the winning house point team—blue team Holiday reading treat Interhouse competition details sent home by this date (Interhouse sketch) Perrymoor bake sale
Friday 28 April	Saltmoor educational visit
Monday 1 May	Bank holiday, no school
Tuesday 2 May	KS1 SATs commence
Wednesday 3 May	Portmoor Kilve residential departs
Friday 5 May	Portmoor Kilve residential returns Saltmoor bake sale
Monday 8 May	Bank holiday, no school
Tuesday 9 May	KS2 SATs all week. Breakfast for Y6 in school from 08:00 each day. KS1 SATs continue
Monday 15 May	KS1 SATs continue
Friday 19 May	Kingsmoor celebration assembly with parents invited, 15:00 Cocklemoor bake sale Perrymoor education visit Interhouse sketch deadline for entries
Monday 22 May	KS1 SATs continue Vocabulary sheets for next half term sent home
Wednesday 24 May	Kingsmoor London residential departs
Friday 26 May	Kingsmoor London residential returns No Busy Bees Last day of half term
Monday 5 June	No Early Birds Y4 Multiplication check all week
Tuesday 6 June	No clubs due to staff training
Friday 9 June	Mufti day for winning team Educational visit for Leazemoor Kingsmoor bake sale Cocklemoor celebration assembly with parents invited, 15:00 Y4 Multiplication check all week
Monday 12 June	Y1 Phonic testing week
Friday 16 June	Leazemoor celebration assembly with parents invited, 15:00 Y4 Multiplication check all week
Wednesday 21 June	Class photos
Thursday 22 June	Haymoor celebration assembly with parents invited, 15:00
Friday 23 June	Educational visit for Cocklemoor Educational visit for Haymoor Portmoor bake sale
Thursday 29 June	Perrymoor celebration assembly with parents invited, 15:00
Friday 30 June	INSET day, no school
Monday 3 July	New Reception 2023 parents evening
Wednesday 5 July	Move-up day for all children to their next class
Thursday 6 July	Last day for clubs except Kickboxing
Friday 7 July	Portmoor celebration assembly with parents invited, 15:00 Haymoor bake sale
Monday 10 July	Kickboxing club grading
Friday 14 July	Saltmoor celebration assembly with parents invited, 15:00 Leazemoor bake sale
Monday 17 July	Curriculum map, vocabulary sheets, reports sent home by this date
Wednesday 19 July	Kingsmoor swimming assessment
Thursday 20 July	Kingsmoor leavers assembly, 14:30
Friday 21 July	No Busy Bees Sports day with parents invited, 14:15 Last day of the half term, term and year!