

HEPS News



Week beginning 6.05.2024

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				Stitchers 15:30-16:30	Rounders Stitchers 15:30-16:30	Rounders 15:30-16:30	Please wear PE kit Rounders 15:30-16:30
Wednesday			Please bring PE kit in	Athletics 15:30-16:30	Athletics 15:30-16:30	Athletics 15:30-16:30	Athletics 15:30-16:30
Thursday	Please bring PE kit in Wriggly Wrigglers 15:30-16:30	Wriggly Wrigglers 15:30-16:30	Wriggly Wrigglers 15:30-16:30	Celebration assembly 15:00		Please wear PE kit Netball 15:30-16:30	Netball 15:30-16:30
Friday		Please bring PE kit in		Swimming 13:00-15:00			

Quick link to our Twitter Feed:

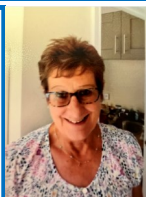
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Quick link to Calendar Dates:

[HEPS Diary Dates](#)

HEPS Chair of Governors:
Mrs Julia Gadd



**Deputy Designated
Safeguarding Lead :**
Miss Chadbourne
Deputy Headteacher



**Designated Safeguarding
Lead:**
Mrs Doughty Davis
Headteacher



Letters/emails sent out recently or reminders:

Meals reminder	All pupils
Cocklemoor trip	All pupils
Haymoor trip	All pupils

School Lunches: Please make your menu choices and/or book and pay on Schoolcomms by 09:00am on Tuesday, 7 May 2024 for meals W/C 13 May 2024 (week 5 menu). Please select 'Packed Lunch Chosen' in the dessert box when ordering a packed lunch option as main.

Staff news: We are pleased to welcome Mrs Townsend Crace to the lunchtime team! We are pleased to announce that Miss Brooks will be joining the teaching team in September when Mrs Atkin returns to our sister school, Preston Primary Academy Trust. We are pleased to welcome Mrs Schunke who will be working as a Teaching Assistant. This role has been created as an additional post.

Uniform: We are seeing a few items creeping into school which are not part of our uniform and therefore should not be worn. Nail varnish should be removed before children come into school please. Children should only be wearing simple and small stud earrings if they choose to wear earrings at all. Trainers should not be worn in school unless it is indicated on the newsletter. Please email the School Office if you have any questions or speak with Mrs Doughty Davis on the playground.

Survey: We will be sending out 'wraparound childcare' survey to all families. We would like a response from every family so we know how to plan our provision to best support as many parents and children as possible. Please look out for the link which will be sent within the next week. We greatly appreciate your time to complete this quick (3min) survey.

Perrymoor swimming: If you can help walk the children to and from the Academy please contact the School Office.

Leaving us?: If you are moving schools, please let us know as soon as you are able even if it isn't confirmed. We have children on waiting lists for some year groups. To help their transition into our school, please let us know your plans. If you need help with finding a school in a new area, please speak with Mrs Doughty Davis who will be able to help.

Garden visits: Through the National Garden Scheme, gardens are opening for charity on Saturday 18 and Sunday 19 May in Wick. Combined entry is £6 with children entering for free. Please go to ngs.org.uk for more information.

Safeguarding: There has been a considerable increase in reporting of children and young people, particularly teenage males, being forced into paying money or meeting another financial demand after an adult offender has threatened to release nudes or semi-nudes of them. This is financially motivated sexual extortion, sometimes referred to as 'sextortion', and is a form of child sexual abuse. If you discover that someone you know has been involved with this, please refer your concerns to the local police. You can find more information online at CEOP (Child Exploitation and Online Protection).

Question on the gate: "Who will be my child's Teacher and TA next year?"

"We are yet to finalise year group staff teams for September. When we do, the staff will be notified first. Children discover their teaching team adults on move-up day which takes place on Wednesday 3 July. Parents will be informed on this day too. Very rarely, we have to change staffing between this day and September due to personal circumstances which cannot be avoided. If this happens, we will let you know as soon as we are able if your child is affected.

We are fortunate to be in a position where we have a skillful, dedicated and enthusiastic compliment of Teachers, Higher Level Teaching Assistants and Teaching Assistants. You will see in the press that many schools are reducing staffing. We are currently in a position where we have been able to increase the number of adults supporting our children which I believe leads to the best outcomes and pastoral care. Any child would be fortunate to have any of our teaching adults in their September classroom; these are the adults I would have chosen to teach, support and nurture my own children."

Sparkle Jar Reading—5 reads a week minimum including holidays

Cocklemoor	Haymoor	Leazemoor	Perrymoor	Portmoor	Saltmoor	Kingsmoor
96%	92%	85%	94%	94%	92%	94%

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. **Bold type means there has been an amendment since first published.**

Week commencing	Assemblies with parents (top gate 14:55 please)	Bake Sale (please bring cakes into Coronation Room Friday morning, thank you)	Events and information
15/04/2024		Kingsmoor	Clubs start this week except athletics Monday: no Early birds Tuesday: R24 primary places sent to parents Wednesday-Friday: Y4 PGL residential Wednesday: Perrymoor educational visit Friday: mufti day for house points awarded to the yellow team
22/04/2024	Friday Saltmoor Celebration		Wednesday: PFSA drop in session 09:00
29/04/2024		Portmoor	Monday-Friday: KS1 SATs Wednesday: athletics starts this week Wednesday: Saltmoor educational visit
06/05/2024	Thursday Perrymoor Celebration		Monday: Bank holiday (no children) Tuesday-Friday: KS1 SATs
13/05/2024		Leazemoor	Monday-Friday: KS1 SATs Monday-Friday: KS2 SATs
20/05/2024			Vocab mats sent home. Monday-Friday: KS1 SATs Tuesday, Wednesday or Friday: R24 Pop-by sessions Friday PM: Interhouse swimming gala Friday: No Busy Bees
27/05/2024	Half term	Half term	Half term
03/06/2024	Friday Haymoor Celebration		Interhouse art competition details sent home Monday: no Early birds Monday: Class photos Monday-Friday: Y4 Multiplication check Wednesday: Rags to Riches collection fundraiser Thursday: R24 new parents meeting 16:30 Friday: mufti day for house points (team unknown)
10/06/2024		Cocklemoor	Monday-Friday: Y4 Multiplication check Monday-Friday: Phonics testing Monday-Wednesday: R24 Stay and Play sessions 14:15-15:15 Monday: Interhouse art competition deadline 09:00 Wednesday: Perrymoor educational visit Friday: Leazemoor educational visit
17/06/2024	Friday Kingsmoor Celebration		Friday: Cocklemoor educational visit Friday: Haymoor educational visit
24/06/2024		Saltmoor	Thursday: Writing and Art Gallery (families invited) 14:30 Friday: INSET (no children)
01/07/2024	Thursday Portmoor Celebration		Monday: INSET (no children) Wednesday: Move-up day for YR-Y5. Y6 at the Academy. R24 in school for the morning only.
08/07/2024		Perrymoor	Monday-Thursday: Y6 Bikeability
15/07/2024	Friday Leazemoor Celebration		No clubs this week Vocab mats sent home
22/07/2024			No clubs this week Reports sent home Monday: Y6 event (parents not invited) Tuesday: Y6 leavers assembly (families invited) 14:30 Wednesday: No Busy Bees Wednesday: Sports day afternoon (families invited) 14:00 Wednesday: last day of term