



St Hardulph's C of E Primary School

School Newsletter



2025/26

19 December

Warwick	129
Hastings	139
Newark	123
Edinburgh	122

Hastings will have their non-uniform day on Thursday 8 January

Headteacher's Treat

Owlets: Jude
Pangolins: Ruby S
Beavers: Lilly M

Headteacher's Awards

This week have been awarded to:

Elsie Harriet Liam Lee
Jude Daisy Sophie Marcie
Martha James W Sam
Ruby C Arthur

Silver Medal

Evelyn Ruby S

Headteacher's Award—Red

Arthur

Attendance

Our average attendance this year to date.

	% attendance this year
Owlets	97.0%
Pangolins	98.8%
Beavers	96.6%
Total	97.7%

Number of minutes lost this week due to children arriving late: 0

May Christ dwell in your hearts through faith, as you are being rooted and grounded in love. Ephesians 3:17

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Headteacher – Mrs Kelly Ellis

I would like to take this opportunity to wish all of our families a very Merry Christmas and a happy new year and hope that the children have a well earned rest over the Christmas break. The autumn term as always has been a very busy one full of lots of learning and experiences and was rounded off with the fantastic Christmas performances, both a nativity in church by the Owlets and the performance of Cinderella Rockefeller in school by the Beavers and pangolins which most definitely fills us all with festive spirit. Mrs Ellis

A huge thank you to The Breedon Group for their very kind sponsorship of the new St Hardulph's team kit. I am sure you would agree it looks absolutely fabulous and the children are eager to wear it in our upcoming sporting events in the spring term.



Attendance

Whilst we understand that some absence from school due to illness is inevitable, we would like to celebrate that 18 children have been able to achieve 100% attendance this term. Well done to all of them.

Menu change for Census Day - 15 January

As always on School Census day, we have a menu change. We also give all children in Reception to Year 2 the opportunity to try a school meal, even if they usually bring a packed lunch. We ask parents of children in these year groups to order a meal for their child on Relish, choosing the items they will be most willing to try. If you are unsure if your child would be willing to eat the school meal ordered for them, you may send their packed lunch as a back-up option, in case they really won't eat the school food.



REMEMBER TO CHECK THAT ALL OF NEXT WEEK'S SCHOOL MEALS HAVE BEEN ORDERED & PAID FOR

Selection Boxes

There are selection boxes coming home with children at the end of the day that have been donated by The Breedon Group. If your child isn't in school this afternoon, theirs will be kept for them when we return in January.

Reminders for first week back :

Please make sure that extra-curricular clubs are booked before we return to school, as clubs start the first week back

Monday Owlets & Beavers PE - PE Kit needed

Tuesday Forest School see schedule on the bottom of the last page, under the calendar

Wednesday PE - All Classes

Thursday Non-Uniform Day for children in Hastings

Friday Celebration Assembly incl. demonstration by Music Kids

Fruits of the

Spirit Awards

Faithfulness

Martha



Gentleness

Riley-Lee



Goodness

Daisy



Love

Theo



Joy

Paddy



Kindness

Ruby C



Peace

Lily A



Self-Control

Elijah



Patience

Ruby-Leigh

Picture News For Parents

The December issue of Picture news for parents accompanies this newsletter by email to parents.

Wellbeing Newsletter

This has been emailed with this newsletter , as a separate document.

School information can be provided in different languages, large print, simple text only or Braille. Please speak to Mrs Ellis or the Office if you have a particular requirement.



Diary Dates

2025/26	Who?	What
05/01	All	Back to School
10/02	All	Safer Internet Day
12/02	All	Valentines Theme Lunch
16/02 to 20/02	All	Half Term Break
23/02	All	INSET Day—no children in school
05/03	All	World Book Day
13/03	All	Mother's Day Lunch
13/03	All	Mothers' Day Service in church 2:15pm
18/03	All	Parents' Evening
26/03	All	Easter Themed Lunch
27/03	All	Easter Service in church 2:15pm
27/03	All	School Closes
30/03 to 10/04	All	Easter Break
13/04	All	School Opens
22/04	All	Earth Day - Themed biscuits available with lunch
04/05	All	May Day Bank Holiday
11 to 14/05	Y6	SATS week
18 to 22/05	All	Safety Week
20/05	All	World Bee Day - Themed biscuits available with lunch
25/05 to 29/05	All	Half Term Break
08/06	All	World Ocean Day - Themed biscuits available with lunch
19/06	All	Fathers' Day Breakfast 8:00am
24/06	All	Sports Day
24/06	All	Sports Day Parent Lunch
06/07	Y6	Y6 Leaving Activity
09/07	All	Family Picnic 12:00
09/07	All	Final Celebration worship
09/07	All	School Closes for summer break

Forest School Schedule (Forest School kit needed)			
Block 3 1/12/25 – 23/01/26	Block 4 26/01/26– 13/03/26	Block 5 16/3/26 – 15/5/26	Block 6 18/5/26 – 10/7/26
Tuesdays Owlets & Pangolins	Tuesdays Owlets & Beavers	Tuesdays Owlets & Pangolins	Tuesdays Owlets & Beavers

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