

School Newsletter

Friday 17th March 2023

Celebration assembly

Well done to the pupils below who were chosen by their teachers to receive certificates in today's Celebration assembly for telling the funniest joke.

Year 3 Iroko class	Jack B
Year 3 Willow class	Jude
Year 4 Juniper class	Dolly
Year 4 Spruce class	Mason
Year 5 Elm class	Teddy
Year 5 Meranti class	Brooklyn
Year 6 Aspen class	Chase
Year 6 Beech class	Betty & Harvey

House points

Congratulations to the following pupils for earning the most house points in their class this week.

Year 3 Iroko class	Carly
Year 3 Willow class	Jake
Year 4 Juniper class	Chloe
Year 4 Spruce class	Emilin
Year 5 Elm class	Blake
Year 5 Meranti class	Ellie
Year 6 Aspen class	Harry M
Year 6 Beech class	Frankie

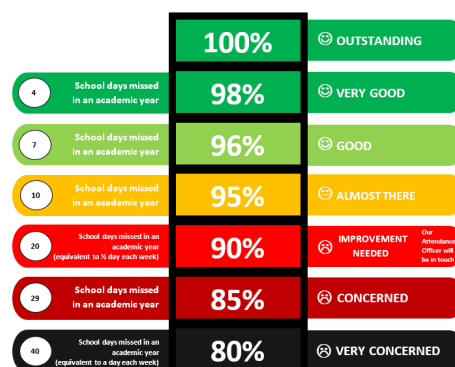
Well done to all the pupils in **Blue** house for earning more house points than the other houses this week.

Attendance

We aim to achieve above the national average attendance which is 96%. Well done to Year 4 Juniper and 3 Willow class for achieving that target this week.

Year 4 Juniper class	99%
Year 3 Willow class	96%
Year 6 Beech class	95%
Year 6 Aspen class	94%
Year 3 Iroko class	93%
Year 4 Spruce class	91%
Year 5 Elm class	88%
Year 5 Meranti class	88%

Attendance Ladder





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Thank you for your donations for Comic Relief. To celebrate Red Nose Day we held a joke competition in school today and children have been sharing their favourite jokes with their class. These are the funnies jokes and the winners received a joke book as a prize.

“Why do ducks have feathers? To cover their butt quacks,” Jack B (Year 3 Iroko class).

“Why did the toilet paper go down the hill? To get to the bottom,” Jude (Year 3 Willow class).

“What do you call a bear with no teeth? A gummy bear,” Dolly (Year 4 Juniper class).

“Why couldn’t the toilet roll cross the road? Because it was stuck in a crack!” Mason (Year 4 Spruce class).

“My doctor told me I was going deaf. It was really hard hearing it,” Teddy (Year 5 Elm class).

“Why do people say that carrots are good for your eyesight. Have you ever seen a rabbit with glasses? Brooklyn (Year 5 Meranti class).

“What do you call it when a caveman passes wind? A blast from the past,” Chase (Year 6 Aspen class).

“Why didn’t the skeleton go to the disco? He had no-body to go with,” Harvey (Year 6 Beech class).

“Why do ducks have feathers? To cover their butt quacks,” Betty (Year 6 Beech class).

Year 5 Harry Potter trip

Year 5 Elm and Meranti classes visited the Warner Bros. Studio Tour London-The Making of Harry Potter on Thursday 16th March.



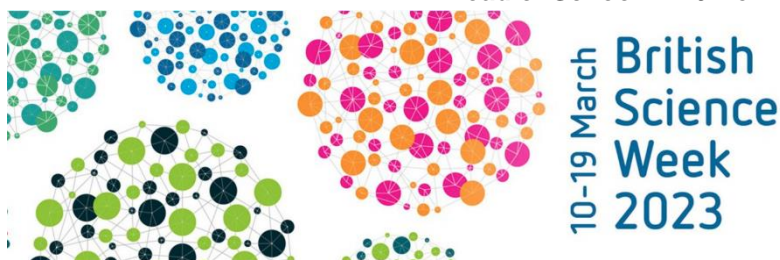
“It was interesting seeing behind the scenes in Harry Potter World and my favourite was the forbidden forest,” Rosy.

“I loved seeing the spider move, it looked so real,” Elliott.

“I liked seeing the dragon coming out breathing fire!” Jake.

British Science Week

As it is British Science Week this week, we organised science workshops about 'invention and discovery' for all classes.



"It was really cool to see the different machines you could make using pneumatics," Yaseen (Year 5 Meranti class).

"It was really fun seeing how the air pushed through to lift up the design on the other side," Rosy (Year 5 Meranti class).



Come on Harefield!

Well done to the Year 5 and 6 boys' football team for a fantastic team performance in their match against Warrender Primary School on Wednesday 15th March. They won 11-2, with 5 goals scored by Ronnie F, 2 goals each scored by Ronnie C and Riley and a goal each scored by Chase and Jake.

Easter Bonnet Parade



Children can come in to school wearing an Easter bonnet that they have made at home on Thursday 30th March. Teachers will choose a winning bonnet from their class to receive an Easter Egg prize.

St Patrick's Day

Happy St Patrick's Day to all of the Harefield families that are celebrating today.



Mother's Day

Happy Mothering Sunday to all the Harefield mums, grandmothers, aunts and sisters. Thank you for everything you do to keep the children of Harefield safe and happy.



Nursery places



Harefield Infant School are currently in the process of offering places in their wonderful Nursery for this September. If your child turns 3 years old before 1st September this year and you would like a nursery place, please contact the infant school office as soon as possible (office@harefieldinfant.com) to ensure your child secures a place for September.

Key dates for your diary

March

Wednesday 29th March: Spring concert for parents at 9am and 2.30pm.

Thursday 30th March: Easter bonnet parade.

Friday 31st March: Last day of Spring term. School finishes at 1pm.

Summer Term

Monday 17th April: Teacher training day. School closed for pupils.

Tuesday 18th April: First day of Summer term.

Monday 1st May: Bank holiday-school closed.

Tuesday 2nd to Friday 5th May: King's Coronation celebrations in school. Further details to follow.

Monday 8th May: Bank holiday-school closed.

Wednesday 10th May: Year 3 trip to Chiltern Open Air Museum.

Tuesday 23rd May: Year 4 trip to the Science Museum.

Monday 29th May to Friday 2nd June: Half term.

Thursday 20th July: Last day of Summer term. School finishes at 1pm.

PTA News

We have confirmed the date for the Summer Fete on Saturday 1st July 2023. It will be bigger and better than last year with a fantastic music act line up, rides, food and drink, stalls and attractions. If anyone can offer any help with anything, from sponsoring part of the event, performing on our stage, bringing your own stalls or volunteering to run our stalls that would be brilliant! Stalls will be £20. It will all be held on the field this year!

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