



# Hindley All Saints' CE Primary

Newsletter 4

2019/20

## School Matters!



### Current Attendance Update (Final figures for Autumn 1):

Rec	Year 1	Year 2	Year 3	Year 4	Year 5	Year 6
94.4%	96.1%	95%	95.3%	97.4%	96%	95%

Well done to Year 4 who have won the £50 prize for Autumn 1 half term. They are currently deciding what to spend their money on! Well done too to Year 1 and Year 5 who also achieved above 96%!

The children had a fabulous, hot and sweaty disco time. They certainly showed off their moves and the junior 'dance off' was really fun. Thank you for picking the children up promptly, it really helps.



It's lovely to see all the children celebrating All Saints' Day today by coming in non-uniform. They will also be given an iced bun, just like children were given in the past!



### Tik Tok (Formally known as Music aly)

Using any social network can be risky, but it's possible for kids to safely use the app with adult supervision (and a private account). When you sign up for TikTok, your account is public by default, meaning anyone can see your videos, send you direct messages, and use your location information. **Parents should make sure to turn on all privacy settings for accounts children are using, so only people you know can interact with your videos or message you on the app.** That means either opting for a private account or changing the settings for comments, duets, reactions, and messages to "Friends" instead of "Everyone." You can also turn those features off completely.

### Thank you for supporting our focus on uniform.

Looking right on the outside makes us feel right on the inside and part of the school family.

It helps children not to worry or fuss about what they can and can't wear. Getting ready in the mornings can be a little easier for them too.

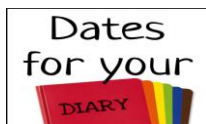
There have been a couple of enquiries about earrings. To clarify, children need to remove earrings when it's PE or cover them with a plaster to ensure they don't tear the ear.

On any day, children will be asked to remove earrings that are not plain, small, silver or gold studs.

***There is no expectation that you should buy this type of earring if you don't already have them but please ensure that if they don't have this type, they don't wear anything else.***

Thank you for your understanding and support, it is very much appreciated.





## **Dates for the diary**

### **Thursday 7<sup>th</sup> November – Andy Seed**

The author, Andy Seed will be coming into school to talk to the children. Please see flyer sent home to KS2 children regarding Andy's books which KS2 children can choose instead of a book fair book if they wish.

### **5<sup>th</sup> – 11<sup>th</sup> November – Travelling Book Fair**

Children will be invited to come and have a look at the books during the day, if you wish to send your child with some money to buy a book please put the money in a named envelope and ask them to pass it to their class teacher. Alternatively, the fair will run each night from 3.15 – 3.45pm.

### **Friday 15<sup>th</sup> November – Children in Need**

Non uniform for £1 donation. Bacon butties on sale from 8.40am in the school hall for children and parents.

### **Tuesday 19<sup>th</sup> November – Parents Evening**

### **Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> November**

Flu vaccinations in school

### **Saturday 7<sup>th</sup> December**

Church Christmas fair, in school. 11am to 2pm.

### **Tuesday 10<sup>th</sup> December**

Reception and Year 6 height and weight measurements

### **Friday 13<sup>th</sup> December**

KS2 going to the Panto

### **Monday 16<sup>th</sup> December**

Christmas lunch and Christmas jumper day

### **Tuesday 17<sup>th</sup> December**

EYFS Nativity [9.20am] and KS2 Christmas Party

### **Wednesday 18<sup>th</sup> December**

Early Years and KS1 Christmas show [Louby Lou] and Christmas party

### **Thursday 19<sup>th</sup> December**

Christmas celebration in church [9.30am]

School closes for the Christmas holidays [3:15pm]

### **Friday 20<sup>th</sup> December – Monday 6<sup>th</sup> January inclusive – school closed for Christmas Holidays**

### **Tuesday 7<sup>th</sup> January – School opens [8:50am]**