School Newsletter

13th November 2026





How to cook a delicious Christmas dinner

...on a budget!

FREE COOKING WORKSHOP
for all the whole family



With the excitement of Christmas around the corner, there might also be a little nervousness at overwhelming costs.

This workshop will provide hands-on cooking skills for those who want to provide a healthy festive feast, while remaining budget-conscious.

- 10am – 2pm Saturday 21st November at Hythe Youth Centre, Cinque Ports Ave CT21 6HS
- Dietary needs catered for
- All ages & experience levels welcome
- 20 places only so please reserve your spot: tinyurl.com/christmascookingworkshop

Hosted by the Hythe Community Kitchen
Lead by Hulya Erdal of Folkestone Cookery School

A Very Busy Week at Hythe Bay!

It's been a wonderfully busy week at school with lots of exciting activities and events.

Children in Need

Today we celebrated Children in Need with lots of fun activities brilliantly organised by our Year 5 and 6 pupils. Thank you to everyone who took part!

Remembrance Day

We held two special services in school to mark Remembrance Day. Our Funky Fingers choir supported the service at the war memorial by leading a hymn, and we were incredibly proud of the children who represented the school at Sunday's service, reading the names of the fallen soldiers from Hythe and laying a wreath.

Hockey Club

Our new Hockey Club has started – we hope the children are enjoying it!

Thank You

A big thank you to Remland Carpets for their generous donation of artificial grass.

Parents' Evening Reminder

Please remember to sign up for Parents' Evening on Monday if you haven't already done so.

Christmas Lunch Bookings – Action Required

School Christmas lunch will be available to book through the Arbor app or parent portal from today. You will find this under the trips section for Wednesday 16th December. Important: All children who would like a lunch on that day will need to pre-book, including those entitled to Free School Meals and Universal Free School Meals. Bookings will close on Monday 30th November at 10:00am to allow our cook enough time to place her order. No lunches can be added after this date.

Learning This Week

Year R have been learning about why we wear a poppy in November

Year 1/2 have been learning about holidays and how people holidayed in the past

Year 3/4 have been learning about states of matter in science

Year 5/6 have been thinking about Children in Need and planning their activities

Have a lovely weekend, and thank you for all your support.

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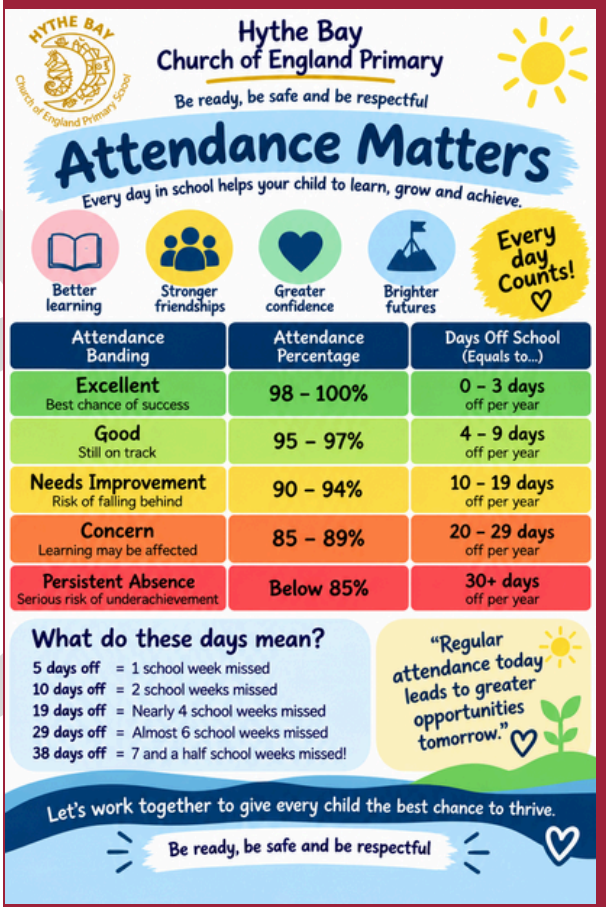
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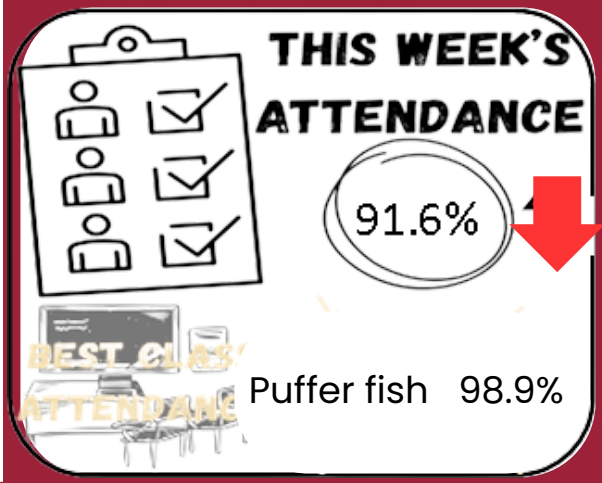
Pufferfish - Royce
Starfish- Ivy R
Hammer Head sharks - Theo D
Tiger Sharks- Ripley W
Great White Sharks - Donald H
Aegean Sea- Oliver K
Ionian Sea- Dante
Coral Sea- Daisy N

Well done and congratulations





1st place George Cripps
2nd place Emir Shuti
3rd place Luc Lomax







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Key Dates

for your diary





16th and 17th November	Parents Evenings
20th November	Open Afternoon New Year R Sept 2027 1.30-2.30pm
26th November	Fire Safety Talks
27th November	Hammerhead Sharks Class Worship
27th November	Signing Choir @ Demelza House Carolathon
30th November- 3rd December	KS2 Assessment Week
7th December	KS1 Xmas Performance Dress Rehearsal
8th December	Puffins Performance – 2.00pm
8th December	Year 1 & 2 Performance – 6.00pm
9th December	Year 1 & 2 Performance – 2.00pm
9th December	Puffins Performance – 6.00pm
11th December	Christmas Fayre
14th December	Year 1 & 2 Awe and Wonder at St Leonard's Church 9.30am
15th December	KS2 Carol Concert – 6.30pm @ St Leonards
16th December	Christmas Lunch
18th December	Christmas Service at St Leonards 10.00am
18th December	Last day of term 2 for pupils
4th January 2027	First day of term 3 for pupils
11th, 18th and 19th January	Year 6 Bikeability
15th January	Aegean Sea Class Worship
28th January	Pufferfish Class Worship
5th February	Hammerhead Sharks Class Worship
9th February	Safer Internet Day
12th February	Coral Sea Class Worship
12th February	Last day of term 3 for pupils
22nd February	First day of term 4 for pupils
2nd March	Governors Day in School
5th March	World Book Day
5th March	Aegean Sea Class Worship
5th March	Mothers' Day Shop
8th and 9th March	Parents Evenings
12th March	Great White Sharks Class Worship
15th – 19th March	KS1 & KS2 Assessment Week

25th March	Last day of term 4 for pupils
12th April	First day of term 5 for pupils
30th April	Tiger Sharks Class Worship
3rd May	Bank Holiday (School Closed)
7th May	Starfish Class Worship
10th – 13th May	KS2 SATs Week
14th May	Sports Day
20th May	Pufferfish Class Worship
26th May	Hythe Bay's Got Talent – 6.30pm start, children in at 6pm.
28th May	Last day of term 5 for pupils
7th June	First day of term 6 for pupils
11th June	Ionian Sea Class Worship
18th June	Father's Day Shop
21st – 25th June	KS1, Y3/4 & Y5 Assessment Week
24th June	100% Attendance Trip TBC
1st July	Slip Through Day
5th July	Year 6 Dress Rehearsal
6th & 7th July	Year 6 Production 6.30pm start
9th July	Reports sent home
9th July	Puffins Class Worship
9th July	Year 6 Leavers' Party
16th July	Leavers' Service at St Leonard's Church
16th July	Last day of term 6 for pupils
6th September 2027	First day of term 1 for pupils