



# Hindhayes Infant school

**Hindhayes Infant School  
Attendance  
Whole School 93.6%**

**Birch was the class with  
the highest weekly  
attendance 97.2%**

## **Diary Dates:**

Friday 15/3 - Red Nose day

Wednesday 27/3 - Wear something orange to school

Friday 5/4 - Cut off for World book day orders

Friday 5/4 - Last day of term

Monday 22/4 - Bank Holiday

Tuesday 23/4 - Back to school

Tuesday 23/4 - Country Dancing after school club

Tuesday/Wednesday 23 & 24/4 - Parents Evening

Monday 6/5 - Bank Holiday

Friday 24/5 - Last day of term

Monday 3/6 - Back to school

Friday 28/6 - INSET DAY

Tuesday 23/7 - Break up for summer holiday

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## At School This Week

What a wonderful week of Books!

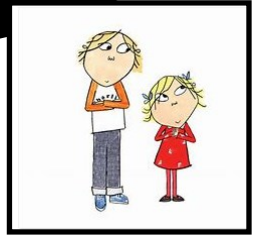
It has been lovely to give some extra time over to celebrate the place of books and reading within our school. The week started with the children hearing stories from teachers other than their own as teachers swapped classes at the start of Monday afternoon. Thankyou to all those families that then came in and joined us at the end of the day to read stories, some of the classes were bursting with grown ups which was just what we wanted. Throughout the week we have had a steady stream of books coming into school for the second hand book sale. The children have really enjoyed visiting the hall to choose a preloved book with their 50ps. Another thank you for the time taken by parents and carers in the preparation that went into the creating of the children's costumes on Thursday. As always the creativity was brilliant! A special World Book Day assembly was held in the afternoon so that the children could share their outfits and have a look at what other children had chosen to wear. Thank you also goes out to those staff who dressed up and led the bedtime stories event in the evening. World Book day is celebrated in 140 countries and once again this year all children across the country have been provided with a world book day voucher. Please do go and use yours. WH Smiths on the high street in Street accept these and have the books that you can choose from. This year the author of 'Charlie and Lola', Lauren Child has written an exciting new book. All these books will only be £1.

You can also use you £1 voucher against any book that is in the Scholastic catalogue which is also in the children's book bags.



## At School Next Week

Please remember that in support of Comic Relief next week we will be having a Hindhayes dance-a-thon. Children can come to school in clothes that are suitable for dancing on Friday March 15th. Remember parents are welcome to join us from 2.30p.m. when we will be all coming together on the school field to end the day in Disco style, weather dependent.



## Lets Celebrate



Due to the Dance event taking place for Red Nose Day on Friday 15th March there will be no award assembly. All certificates for this week will be carried over to Friday 22nd March.

**Highest weekly attendance: Birch** was the class with the highest weekly attendance and as a reward for achieving the highest attendance, Bonnie, our school donkey will be going home with Ada Hole.



**Value:** Simplicity and Freedom

**Learning Behaviour:** Loving learning and using your imagination

## Messages from the Office



### Christmas DVD

Just to make you aware that the Christmas DVD will be available to order shortly. As soon as they arrive we will notify you all.

### Outside Play

We are looking for anyone who has any plastic plates, cups, spoons and old tea towels they would like to donate for the children's pretend play area please pop them into the office. Thank you.

### Snack Time

If you send your child in with a snack for break-time please can we make sure it is fruit or vegetables in line with the school's healthy eating policy.

## Messages from the Teachers

### Country Dancing After School Club

The after school Country Dancing will start on Tuesday 23rd April from 3pm - 4pm spaces will be limited please sign up in the office asap.

### Sickness

In line with school policy for at least a period of 48 hours following any incidents of sickness or diarrhoea keep your children at home this helps us to insure that sickness does not spread to other children/family and staff members. Also can parents remember to ring in to the schools absence line each day their child is off ill.



### Toys to school

Please don't allow your children to bring toys into school if they get lost the children get very upset.

### Pe Kits

Any child that has not returned there PE Kit after half term please do so on Monday. Thank you.

## Future Events

**Wednesday 27th March** - Wear something orange to school day for a £1 donation to help raise money for Mr Matthews, who will be cycling from London to Amsterdam to raise money for Prostate Cancer Uk - See leaflet attached for sponsorship details also raffle he is organising.