

Hatfield Peverel Infant and Nursery School

Newsletter 1

5th September 2025



A Big Welcome

It is my pleasure to welcome you to the start of the new school year. I hope this newsletter finds you well and looking forward to the exciting year ahead. It has been wonderful to see so many happy children returning to school with smiling faces, ready for the new challenges and adventures ahead.

I am thrilled to welcome back our returning families and offer a heartfelt welcome to all the new families joining our school community this year. For those of you who do not already know me, I would love for you to come and introduce yourselves. I will make every effort to be in the school playground or by the school gate before and after school each day, and I look forward to meeting more of you in the coming weeks.

Our school vision is

'At Hatfield Peverel Infant and Nursery School, we value every child's individuality and believe in their capacity to accomplish remarkable things. Our goal is to create a supportive and engaging environment where learning is an adventure, curiosity is sparked and knowledge blossoms.'

Again, this year, I feel privileged to be leading a dedicated and experienced team, and I am keen to work in partnership with you. Should you have any questions or require support, please do not hesitate to contact us. Our doors are always open, and we are here to support you and your child in any way that we can.

Best wishes, Mrs Fairbairn

Staff News!

I hope you will join me in warmly welcoming some new faces to our school community this year!

Mr. Bannister has joined us as our new part-time Site Manager and will be working in school every morning to help maintain our safe and welcoming environment.

Mrs. Button is our new Class Teacher in Squirrel Class. She has already settled in well and is embracing our school routines with enthusiasm.

We would also like to congratulate Miss Thomaidou, who is expecting her first baby later this term. We wish her all the very best during this exciting time.

Our School Rules

We have spent assembly times this week thinking about our school rules. Year One and Two children remembered our famous school rules rap! Please ask your child to show you... it is quite catchy!



Be kind

Be safe

Be the best that you can be

Summer Holiday News



A very big thank you to a lovely parent for painting our Reception classrooms for us over the Summer. They look amazing! Thank you to Mrs Ashley's Mum for upholstering our entrance hall chairs for us too! New fencing has been put outside The Nest and we have transformed The Den into another sensory/intervention room. Mrs Fairbairn has enjoyed decorating our entrance halls with umbrellas too!



Infant and Nursery School Association

We are thrilled to share that last year, our incredible Infant and Nursery School Association raised approximately £8000. This achievement is a testament to the hard work and dedication of the Vice Chairs of INSA and all of the supportive volunteers. We are excited for the year ahead! We hold immense gratitude for the incredible efforts of the INSA in supporting our school community. Not only do they raise substantial funds for our school, but they also provide our children with enriching and unforgettable experiences and opportunities.

If you are interested in becoming a part of the INSA or simply wish to learn more about it, please reach out to us. Feel free to email hpinsa22@gmail.com. Additionally, we invite you to attend our Annual General Meeting (AGM), which will be held at the school on **Wednesday 24th September at 7pm**. Your presence and involvement would be greatly appreciated and we would love to welcome new members!

Meet the team!

Headteacher: Mrs Z. Fairbairn

Nursery:

Mrs K. Manning (Nursery Teacher)

Mrs K. Scanlan (Nursery LSA)

Mrs O. Wassenaar (Nursery LSA)

Mrs L. Pryke (Nursery LSA)

Reception—Butterfly Class:

Mrs L. Sapiano (Class Teacher)

Mrs M. Herring (LSA)

Mrs A. Claxton (LSA)

Reception—Ladybird Class:

Miss C. Thomaidou (Class Teacher)

Mrs L. Geer (LSA)

Mrs R. Lloyd (LSA)

Year One—Hedgehog Class:

Mrs K. Francis (Class Teacher)

Mrs C. Burton (LSA)

Year One - Squirrel Class:

Mrs V. Button (Class Teacher)

Mrs J. Davies (LSA)

Year Two - Fox Class:

Miss C. Springall (Class Teacher and Deputy Headteacher)

Mrs H. Raven (LSA)

Year Two - Badger Class:

Mrs J. Ashley (Class Teacher)

Mrs W. Hockett (LSA)

Other Teaching Staff:

Mrs K. McGaughey (SENCO)

Mrs K. Troughton (Class Teacher)

Mr J. Green (Sports Coach)

SEN Learning Support

Assistants/Middays:

Mrs K. Mayet

Mrs J. Fraser

Mrs E. Mallinson

Mrs B. Watson

Mrs P. Chipperfield

Mrs R. Ehm

Mrs S. Mair

Mrs V. Boylan

Midday Assistants:

Mrs K. Till

Mrs A. Gardner

Mrs K. Vickers

Miss G. Fairbairn

Office Team:

Mrs D. Woods (School Business Manager)

Mrs J. Harris (Administrative Officer)

Mrs. S. Marks (Administrative Assistant)

Mr R. Bannister (Site Manager)



Stars of the week

Duckling Class: These will start next week

Butterfly Class: These will start next week

Ladybird Class: These will start next week

Hedgehog Class: Whole Class

Squirrel Class: Whole Class

Fox Class: Whole Class

Badger Class: Whole Class

ERIC tokens

This week's winners are the **PURPLE** team with 86 ERIC tokens. Great job!

Polite Reminders

Scooters are not to be ridden on school premises.
Prams and pushchairs are to be left outside the office entrance and not in the entrance hall due to lack of space.

The school garden, outdoor gym equipment and climbing wall on the playground are not to be used before or after school.

Dogs are not allowed on the school site before or after school.

Earrings (including studs) are not to be worn at school.
All of the above reminders are in place for health and safety reasons - Thank you for your ongoing support.