

Class	26th January				2nd February			
	5 R's	Writing Skill	Comprehendor	Age Rel. Speller	5 R's	Writing Skill	Comprehendor	Age Rel. Speller
Miss Hall					Aaliyah	Caitlin	Freddie	Megan
Miss Lilley	Martyna R	Ellison C	Jasmine L	Michael S	Alexandra S	Lillia N	Ianis S	Niall C
Miss Romaniw	Chloe K	Alex C	Olivia F	Hayley C	Anastasia K	Nathan B	Riley K	Sonny S
Miss Serrano	Aaron T	Gracie S	Alfie C	Kaylen L	Ajay	Ellie	Reece	Connor
Miss Farren	Isabella	Matthew	Alice	Ryan	Kevin	Emily S	Ronnie	Jasz
Mr Heskin	Rohit	Jack	Rihana	Harry	Hannah H	Chloe K	Keris G	Jack G
Mrs Tredwell	Storm	Mahdiya	Robert G	Amanda	Grace G	Ryan G	Alex-Sandra	Sam N
Miss Mustafa	David K	Tyrell	Callum L	Ollie	Rhys H	Tony C	Alfie R	Erin M

Class	9th February			
	5 R's	Writing Skill	Comprehendor	Age Rel. Speller
Miss Hall	Emily	Robert	Mariana	
Miss Lilley	Myles C	Martyna R	Honey H	Ashton M
Miss Romaniw	Lewis M	Charlie D	Sienna G	Ruby C
Miss Serrano	Tyler D	Maxie T	Jeremy L	Cleo O
Miss Farren	Joseph M	Gino V	Samuel L	Ronnie P
Mr Heskin	Keris G	Abigail M	Tommy W	Josh T
Mrs Tredwell	Alex-Sandra	Rhys H	Luke P	Oliver P
Miss Mustafa	Annisa B	Tony C	Lewis P	Molly D



DIARY OF EVENTS

February

12th - 16th
Half term

Friday 23rd
Miss Serrano's class
Start swimming

March

Thursday 1st
World Book Day
Author Visit &
Dress-up

Monday 5th
Scholastic Book Fair

Friday 29th
Final Payments
For PGL Due

April

Monday 16th
INSET Day
School Closed

May

Monday 14 - 18
Y6 SAT's Week

Friday 18th
PJ Film Night
4:30 - 6:30pm

Tuesday 22nd
Yr 5 Hazard Alley

Holtsmere End Junior School

Newsletter

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Message from Mrs McGuigan

Thank you to parents and carers that met with teachers this week for Learning Review meetings we hope that they were helpful and that you feel fully informed about your child/children's progress. If you were unable to attend and would still like to meet please let class teachers know by writing a note in the link book.

We will be celebrating World Book Day on Thursday 1st March. On this day, the children are invited to come into school dressed up as their favourite book character. The children will benefit from a visit from author Alan Durant on this day. We look forward to seeing them all in their costumes!



I would like to pass on the following message from Keech Hospice Care:
"I am writing to thank you personally for your generous donation of £173.67 raised at your Christmas play and to wish you all best wishes for 2018. You are making a difference to our patients and their families during the most difficult days of their lives"
Steven Albon - Regional Fundraiser - Hertfordshire

ROBLOX APP – E-SAFETY CONCERNS

It has come to our attention that the app ROBLOX, which is popular amongst children, may present some e-safety concerns. An e-safety company discussed the app with children at another school, who reported they had seen 'naked' characters walking around in the game and doing very adult things. They also reported that they have online friends on the app that their parents do not know about, and that they receive in-game messages from 'strangers', some of which are inappropriate. Many of the children are also using headsets to talk to strangers. The advice from the e-safety company is for parents to check their child's ROBLOX account to see whether they consider the game to be age-appropriate, and to look to see if they have friends that they do not know and/or have received any inappropriate messages.





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Please ensure your child has a coat in school every day as the children play outside throughout the winter



Don't forget to like us on facebook

Football Report

On 6th February 2018 Holtsmere End School played against Redding School. In the first half we had lots of chances. At one point Ty collected the ball and shot from the touch line and hit the crossbar. Then I passed the ball to Ben he ran up and scored, 1-0. It was half time.



In the second half, Ty ran up to the keeper and hit the ball in the the bottom corner. After a while, Ollie went round the keeper and hit it into the top corner. Konstan then booted it and Jack received then chipped the keeper and scored, 4-0 to Holtsmere.

Written by Jack, Ben & Josh

School Clubs

This is a polite reminder that if your child has signed up to one of the extracurricular clubs that take place after school, then they have committed to attend the club every week. If your child is unable to attend a session for any reason, please ensure that the school is informed of this so that they do not need to chase up where the child is. Please can we also request that this message is delivered from the parent (for example, a note or a phone call to the office), not through the child. Please note that many of our clubs are oversubscribed, and missing sessions may result in the place being offered to another child on the waiting list.



Eye tests

Its half term - Can your child see clearly?

Is your child under 16 or 16-18 in full time education? He/she is entitled to a free eye test (T&C apply)



1 in 5 children have a vision problem. Over 80% of learning occurs through vision.

Not all eye conditions have symptoms. Sitting close to the TV, poor school performance, problems with reading can all be signs of poor vision.

A child will not always know that he/she can's see well - for them this is normal.

Brilliant Writing

Letters/emails

Home

Woodhall Speed Restrictions

Apex Dance

Link Services

Woodhall Farm Parking

Learning Objective: To write an unaided suspense story

Francis loved being alone but little did she know she'd die alone.

In the heart of the Amazon forest, Francis gazed up at the nebulous stars, scattered around the night sky. As she inhaled the crisp midnight air, Francis plummeted to her feet. The leaves crackled beneath her, as she strode across the murky forest floor. Eventually, she found the perfect place for stargazing - a boat. She clutched her lantern and notebook and set off for an adventure.

As she stepped in, she put down her lantern, which was shining like a neon lasso. She stuck her hand in the pristine lake. A lonely body of water carved millions of years ago by a glacier.

Once the boat had drifted to the deepest part of the lake, her heart fell into a contented reverie. "The stars look beautiful tonight" she whispered. The moonlight spilled through the trees. The luminous moon lit up the lake, beams of light glowed like liquid moonlight. She lay still in a light sleep: despite the wind, which was like ice daggers.



KNOCK! KNOCK! An ear-splitting bang came from the bottom of the boat. Francis' eyes snapped open. She looked from the edges of the boat, only to see the water. Sweating uncontrollably, Francis stared at the calm water. The crystal clear tears rolled down her cheeks. KNOCK! KNOCK! This time the sound was louder, more crisp. Twenty minutes passed. Thirty minutes. Her black eyes filled with tears.....

Annisa B Y6

Attendance

Class	26/1	2/2	9/2	Class	26/1	2/2	9/2
Miss Hall	94.3	97.1	97.7	Miss Lilley	96.9	95.1	92.6
Miss Serrano	91.0	92.9	96.8	Ms Romaniw	99.1	96.5	96.8
Miss Farren	95.4	96.6	96.0	Mr Heskin	93.7	90.2	93.1
Mrs Tredwell	73.9	84.8	95.7	Miss Mustafa	84.7	94.0	98.0