



NEWSLETTER



Welcome

Welcome to our newsletter.

This week we have been celebrating our love of reading. World Book Day was a fantastic celebration of our love of books. It was wonderful to see children and staff enjoying a day all about reading. The costumes and creativity from everyone was outstanding! The children and staff all looked great.

Children took part in a number of activities and experiences all about reading, including outdoor book treasure hunts, author talks and workshops and much more. The day was completely planned and organised by our children. We are proud of the hard work and effort our library champions put into the day!

Our Halsnead Reads campaign is all about raising the profile of reading across school. As part of our campaign, we are investing in our school library. This week, each of our classes will be meeting to discuss the theme we would like for our library. We will be working with a design company over the coming weeks to design and decorate our library. We are also continuing to invest heavily in our books. Children are loving visiting the library and taking out books for additional home reading. Talk to your children at home about what they would like our library to look like. If you have any ideas or suggestions please let us know!

This week we had a number of pupils take part in a seated volleyball competition. We were so proud of the way they showed our school values throughout. Well done everyone!

We hope you have a lovely weekend! Keep reading! #HalsneadReads

Mr Catt

World book day



Wow! What a wonderful day we had yesterday for World Book Day! The atmosphere was buzzing - you could sense the love of books wherever you went! Thank you all for being so supportive - the children looked fantastic in their costumes.



Nursery

We have created our own class charter. The children thought about our values and came up with their own ideas. Our class charter is

In our nursery
We are kind
We work together
We tidy up our mess
We work very hard
We tell the truth
We never give up
We are happy



Thank you

Many thanks to Brooke L who has donated some of her own books from her collection at home, these are gladly and gratefully received!

Congratulations

Congratulations to the lucky winners of our Book Token Draw. We hope you enjoy choosing and reading your book of choice!

Izla H, Brody H, Jamie P and Scott H

Golden coins

Florence P, Lucy McE, Oscar S

Reminders

Can you please return your child's reading books, 'real' and photocopied/back and white books please.

Song of the week

Instead of a poem, take a look at this brilliant song from MC Grammar
- 'World Book Day'. How many characters can you spot?
#halsneadreads

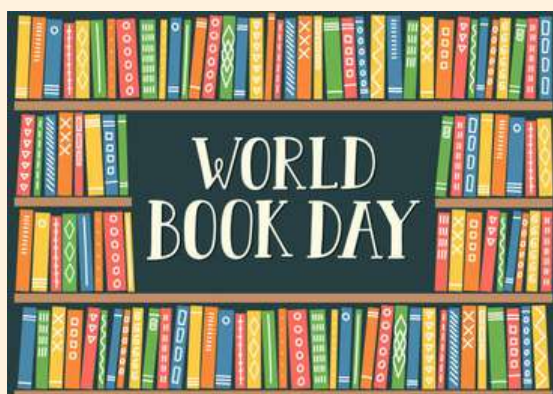
<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZpTkjssrL4k>

The World Book Day Song by MC Grammar

Check out the official, and first-ever, World Book Day song by MC Grammar. #WorldBookDay Click the link below to download / stream the song: <https://MCGrammar.Ink.to/TheWorldBookDaySongFP>

Production Company: Monkey Kingdom Executive Producer: David Granger Head of Development: Nick Withers Producer and Director: Tom Yeates Animation ...

www.youtube.com





STRIVE TO BE ON
TIME

EVERY MINUTE COUNTS

MINUTES LATE	IMPACT ON YOUR ATTENDANCE IN A YEAR
5 MINUTES A DAY =	3.4 days 98.4% attendance
10 MINUTES A DAY	6.9 days 97.6% attendance
= 15 MINUTES A	10.3 days 94.6% attendance
DAY = 20 MINUTES	13.8 days 92.9% attendance
A DAY = 30	20.7 days

MINUTES A DAY =

Strive to Achieve

Halsnead
Primary School



KNOWSLEY OUTDOOR EDUCATION CLUB



Paddlesports Session

Saturday 4th March

- Free for Knowsley residents
- Transport included**

As requested
by the young
people!

YOUTH

Age **14-18***

**1.00pm -
3.30pm**

JUNIO RS

Age **10-13**

**9.30am -
12.00pm**

***Age 25 with SEND**

****Meet at McDonalds Car Park,
Cables Retail Park, Prescot L34 5QX**

[Link to
book:](#)



VALUE AWARDS



Our School Values - Respect, Resilience, Aspiration, Collaboration, Integrity, Kindness

Half Term Value - Kindness

Children's value behaviour- We treat people how we expect to be treated

Significant person: Heroes of the community

Nursery - Mrs Hoang

Isla M- You have had a wonderful week. You have shown all our values you are such a kind and caring young lady. We are so proud of you.

Zach - Zach wow what a week you have had you have been brilliant. You have shown you are kind and caring by inviting your friends to play with you and sharing with them. Well done we are so proud of you.

Reception - Miss Lucas

Charley A - Charley, you embody Kieron Kindness! This week you have been spotted showing kindness to everyone who has stepped foot inside our classroom. You have been welcoming with your big smile, asking people if they would like to join in, encouraging others when they have felt a bit down or struggling with work and offering kind words and positive comments to everyone! Keep it up mate, you are a shining star! Well done Charley!

Lucas Y - Lucas, just like Kieron Kindness you have been spreading kindness everywhere you go! You have been saying lovely kind words about others and focusing on the positives. You have been seen inviting other children into your play, with kind words and that big Lucas smile! Kieron Kindness is very proud of you! Well done Lucas!

Year 1 - Mrs Wills

Teddy B - What a shining example of kindness you have been this week. You are thoughtful and considerate to everyone. Your positivity and kindness spread throughout our classroom. Well done Teddy Kindness.

Adam D - you have been a kind friend to your peers this week. You have offered kind words and smiles to them when they need cheering up. You love playing games with them and show an understanding of fairness in your play. Well done, Adam, you have been a star.

Year 1 & 2 - Mrs Thomas

Millie - Millie you have made a fantastic start to Halsnead! It has been lovely seeing you settle in so well and making new friends. Thank you for displaying our Halsnead Values, it is like you have always been with us! Welcome to our school.

Joel - Joel well done for being kind and making the right choices. You have been caring towards your friends and you have worked well in group activities. Keep up the excellent work Joel - you are doing great!

Year 2 - Miss Spencer

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Year 3k-Mrs Keenan

Alexis - integrity - WOW! What a week we have had! I do not even know where to start. What an amazing week you have had! You have worked your socks off all by yourself and it has been amazing to watch! I have thoroughly enjoyed watching you prosper this week!

Michael - integrity - As per usual, you always embody integrity. You are always choosing to do the right thing and never look for praise for doing the right thing. You enjoy helping friends because you are a good person. You are a breath of fresh air, keep it up!

Year 3 & 4 - Mrs Kendall

Leo - For always being a kind and caring friend who looks after everyone. You are an excellent role model to others and I am so proud of you for having such a mature and responsible attitude. You are someone we can always rely on to show our school values.

Tilly - For being a really kind friend to others and working hard in everything she does. Thank you, Tilly, for all of your kindness and hard work. You are an important part of our class.

Year 4 - Miss Thorneycroft

Karmen, you spread positivity and kindness wherever you go using both your words and actions. Your comforting words and actions support your friends when they need some help, and your kind heart is valued by everyone in 4T. You are fantastic, well done!

Amelia- you have sprinkled positivity and kindness all over my classroom this week! I love watching you come to school with a beautiful, beaming smile on your face, excited for the day ahead. Your 'can do' attitude is contagious and appreciated by everyone around you. Keep smiling!

VALUE AWARDS

Year 5 - Miss Neale

Kain- Kain has shown kindness every day this week as per usual! He has been helping his friends in class as well as looking out for people in the playground. Well done Kain!!

Shahed- You have been very kind this week during all of our lessons, helping those around you who have found it tough! You always show our values, keep it up!!

Year 5 & 6 - Mr Doherty

James H-is the epitome of Kieran kindness. He always has nice things to say about everyone and ensures everyone is included in all that he does. He listens to peers when they are feeling sad and always gives great advice. Keep being yourself James, you are simply wonderful!

Jude H -Jude has had an amazing week. He is one of the kindest children I have ever met and always looks out for his peers. I am always impressed with his kind attitude and how he behaves towards others. Jude you are truly amazing, keep being you!

Year 6-Mr Lenaghan

Charlie and Kole - Two incredible young men. They are both an absolute pleasure to teach and we are so lucky to have them as part of our 6L team. They are kind, studious and the best talk partners we could ask for - I could award them our value stars every single week.