



**17TH OCTOBER
2025**



Message from Headteacher

Roblox

Roblox is a popular game which I know that many of our children engage with during their free time.

It is a shame but we have been made aware of reports of adults trying to build relationships with children through Roblox. As ever, I urge parents and carers to monitor their child's activity on online games to ensure that they are safe and not being targeted by unknown adults who have infiltrated the game simply to contact children.

There is additional information available on keeping your child safe on Roblox via this link:
www.oursaferschools.co.uk/2022/01/19/roblox-parents-guide-and-age-restrictions/

Smartphone proposals

I encourage families to share their thoughts on the proposals shared with you last week. Parents can comment and provide feedback via School Spider. As ever, please share your thoughts and feedback directly with us rather than on WhatsApp groups.

Congratulations

Huge congratulations to two of our Year 6 pupils who received special awards at the West Cheshire Athletics Club presentation evening. We are so proud of Arianwen and Logan and the perseverance, dedication and determination they have shown in their sporting endeavours over the last year.

Parents' Evenings

I look forward to welcoming families to school next week for Parents' Evenings. There is still time to book an appointment with your child's class teacher if you have not already done so.



Message from Headteacher

Academy Conversion

We continue to work towards the conversion date of 1st November.

Sepsis

Periodically, we remind parents/carers of the signs and symptoms of Sepsis. Sepsis is a life-threatening illness which can be hard to spot but which is treatable if recognised in time.

The UK Sepsis Trust website contains a lot of useful information: www.sepsistrust.org/about-sepsis/ including videos on how to recognise symptoms of Sepsis.

Information may also be found on the NHS website: www.nhs.uk/conditions/sepsis/

All Saints' Church Light Party

Our friends at All Saints' Church are holding a Halloween party with a difference on the evening of Saturday 1st November. The party is absolutely free of charge for children between ages 4-11 and you can reserve your child's place by scanning the QR code below.



Lost Property

Our Lost Property Officers have been incredibly busy this week, matching up named clothing with their owners, however we have an abundance of unnamed clothing left over!

A table has been placed outside of the School Office today – if your child has recently lost anything, please check through and reclaim what's yours.

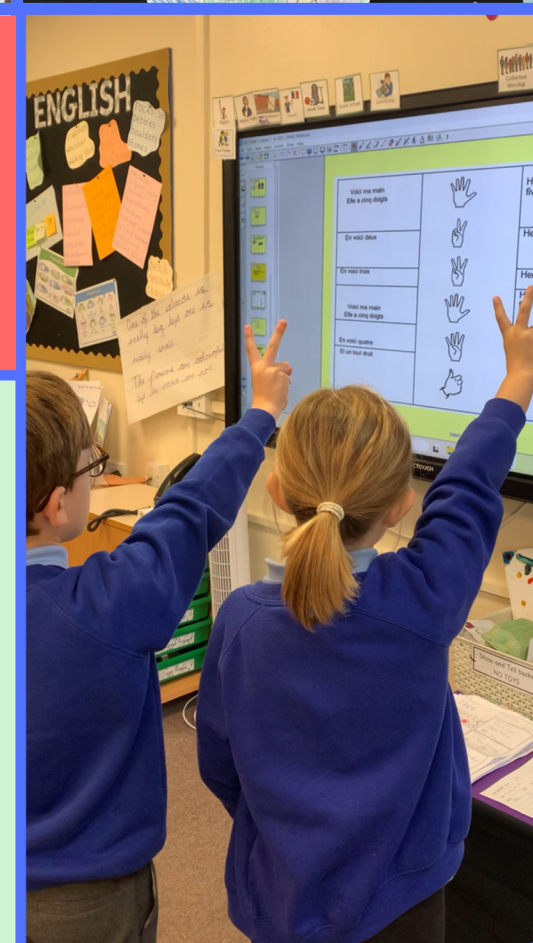
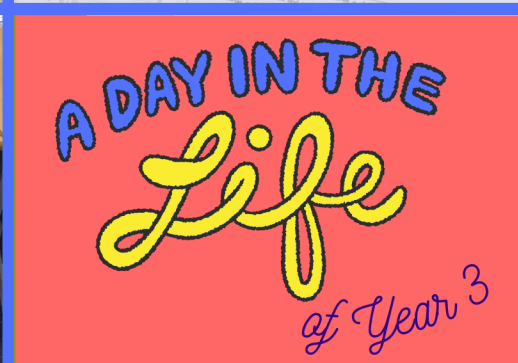
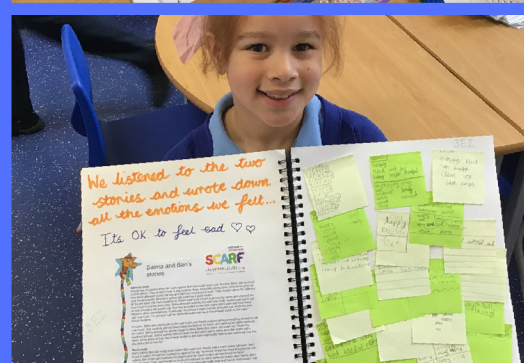
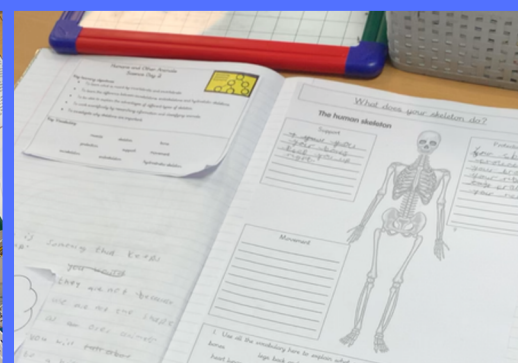
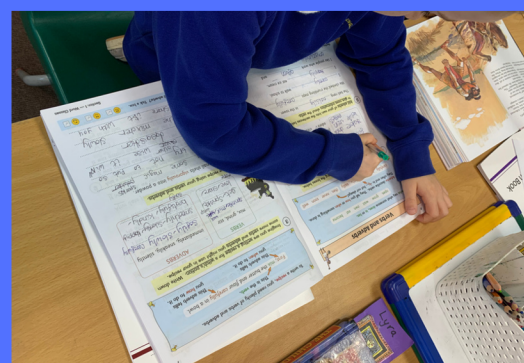
PLEASE PLEASE PLEASE name your children's clothing as it proves extremely difficult to determine whose clothes are whose! We have a permanent pen at the School Office which we are happy to lend to parents to write in names.

Our Happiness Heroes are in charge of our Loyal Mail kindness postbox. Each week in after half-term, every class will have a turn of writing kindness messages to others in school.

The Happiness Heroes are responsible for sorting and delivering the mail. They will be helping with displays and feeding back information to their classes after meetings.

Happiness Heroes





Year 3 have an action-packed day every day here at Hoole!

Once the children have arrived in class, hung up their coats, bags and been registered, they start their daily arithmetic challenge. After that, they practise some writing on their whiteboards about our class text Seal Surfer, which enables them to plan, edit and improve their sentence structure. They copy their finished work neatly into their books. This is followed by Maths where we have been learning about the value of three-digit numbers.

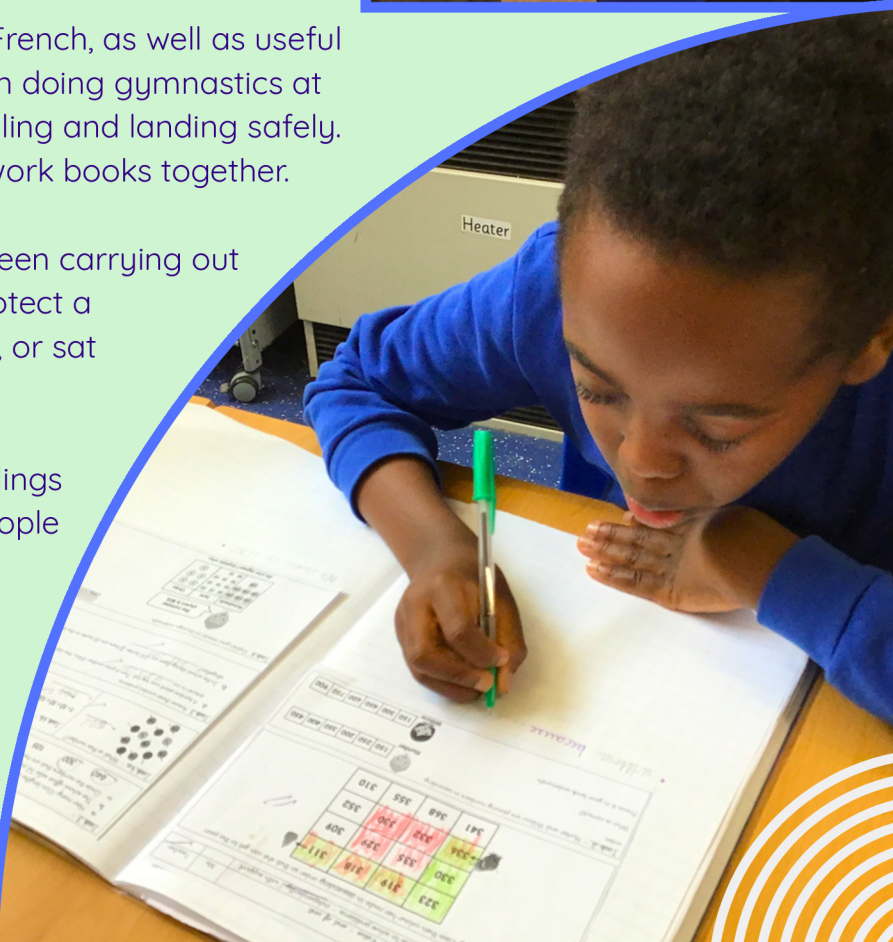
We are really enjoying reading *The Iron Man* by Ted Hughes. We have learnt lots of new vocabulary from this text.

We have been learning The Hand Song in French, as well as useful greetings and commands. In PE, we've been doing gymnastics at the beginning of the week, practising travelling and landing safely. On a Wednesday we mark our own homework books together.

Science has been really exciting as we've been carrying out an investigation to design packaging to protect a product from being dropped from a height, or sat on...ooooops!

In SCARF, we have been discussing our feelings and emotions and talking about special people in our lives that we love.

Obviously this is just a snippet of our jam packed daily timetable. We haven't even begun to mention playtimes, lunch in the hall, spellings, assemblies, art and much, much more!



Harvest Festival

Thank you to everyone who has generously donated to our Harvest Foodbank collection! It is lovely to see our school family working together to help others.

The donations will be collected on Tuesday next week, so if you would like to donate anything, please ensure any items are dropped off at the School Office before then 🍁🍁



School Photographs

The School Photographer (Tempest) will be in school on Thursday 20th November, to take professional individual photographs of the children. The photographs will be available for parents/carers to order online over the following weeks.

If you have multiple children in school and would like a sibling photograph, please email admin@hooleceprimary.cheshire.sch.uk to request this. Please ensure you include the full names of all your children in your request.

On the day, please ensure that your child is wearing full uniform, including school jumper or cardigan. If your child has Forest School or PE, please send their kit in a bag to change into.

SPORTS NEWS

CHESHIRE PHOENIX VISIT



We were delighted to welcome Damiri and Tobias from Cheshire Phoenix Basketball Team in to school on Monday who held an assembly to tell our Key Stage 2 pupils all about their exciting Match Day Clinic on Sunday 26th October, where they will be battling against the Sheffield Sharks in the Super League basketball Tournament!

Damiri and Tobias talked about their journey to playing for Cheshire Phoenix. Damiri hails from California. He told us that he misses his family but is grateful and proud to be a professional basketball player. Tobias lived in New Zealand and has worked hard to follow in his father's footsteps. His dad was captain of the Cheshire Phoenix team twenty years ago! We thanked Damiri and Tobias for sharing their stories of perseverance, dedication and hard work with us.

If your child (years 3-6 only) would like to go to the event, please ensure slips and payment are returned by Wednesday morning.

Good luck team!

Ambitions and Aspirations

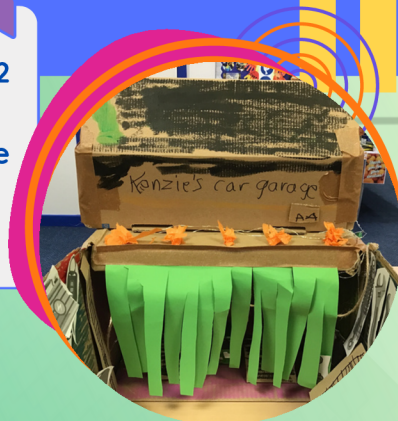
"I would like to be a medical doctor when I'm older. I know a lot about the human body and I take inspiration from my older sister who is a very successful doctor."
Sophia, Year 4

"When I'm older, I would like to be an engineer as I enjoy designing things."
George, Year 6



KENZIE

Kenzie from Year 2 has been getting creative and made this incredible garage!



RUHAANI

Ruhaani from Year 5 performed the Indian classical dance- Bharatnatyam, in the annual Diwali Parade 2025 held in the city centre to celebrate the Festival of Lights!

Why
Don't you
something
LESS
boring
instead?

MAYA & AMELIA

Maya & Amelia made and painted an incredible owl!



WHEN?

Year 1 & 2

TUESDAY

16TH DECEMBER 1:30-3PM

Year 3 & 4

WEDNESDAY

17TH DECEMBER 1:30-3PM

Year 5 & 6

THURSDAY

18TH DECEMBER 1:30-3PM

WHERE?

ALL SAINTS' CHURCH,
HOOLE ROAD



CHRISTMAS
SERVICES





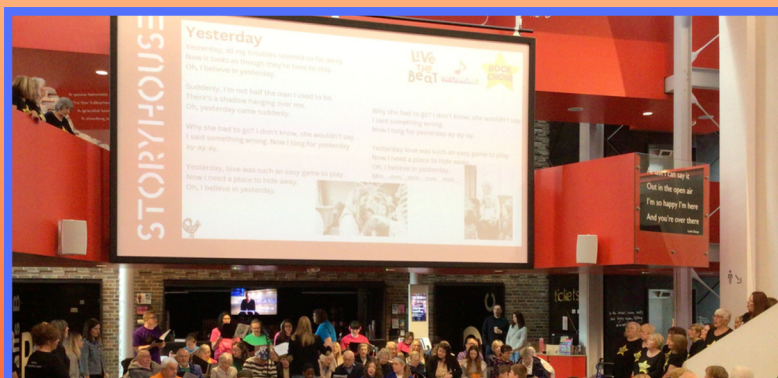
Hooole Choir

in the Community

Alongside Live the Beat, the Sankofa Songsters, The Patchwork Choir and the Chester Rock Choir, our pupils and residents from Grosvenor Care Home celebrated 'Elders Week' at The Storyhouse!

Elders Week is a week of activities to celebrate 'aging creatively', and includes five days of art, film, singing, dance, photography, workshops, wellness activities, and crafting. Members of our school choir were asked to open and kickstart Elders Week by singing with the Sankofa Songsters Intergenerational Choir.

'It was an absolute blast and 'felt like a party' said Jess in year 3! A huge thank you to Amanda from Live the Beat for always inviting us along to sing with her choir and such brilliant events.



Friday Assembly

Parents and carers are invited to Friday Assembly when their child's class is presenting. Please arrive at 2.25pm for a 2.30pm start. If you are able to join us, please refrain from parking in the visitors car park as the gates will close during the assembly.

Date	Class
7th November	Team 3U
14th November	Team 2C
21st November	Team 1J
28th November	Team 6M
5th December	Team 5S

Black History Month

At Hoole we believe it is important to celebrate diversity and throughout October, the country will be celebrating Black History Month. All year groups will be learning about and celebrating the accomplishments and achievements of people of black origin.

Year 1 studied Rosa Parks

Year 2 studied Matthew Henson

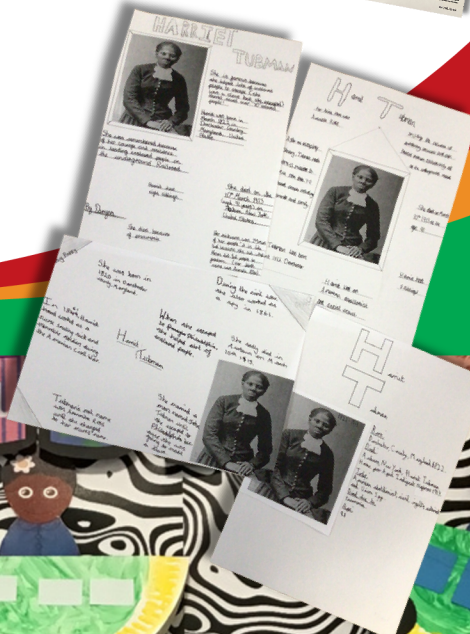
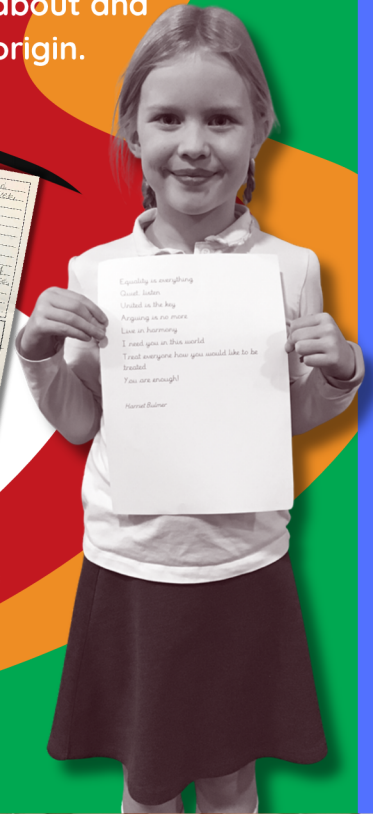
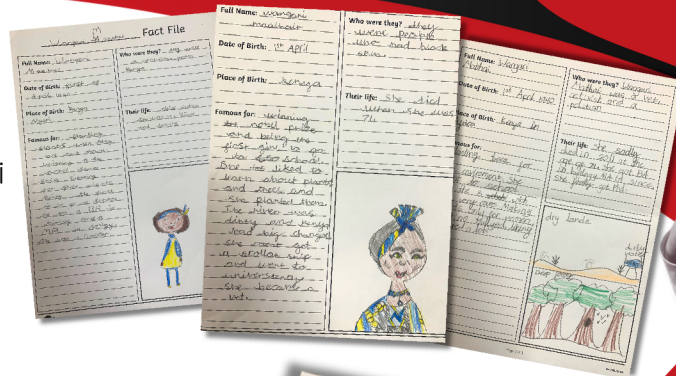
Year 3 studied Wangari Maathai

Year 4 studied Pablo Fanque

Year 5 studied Mary Seacole

Year 6 studied Harriet Tubman

If you would like to share any pieces of work that child creates at home, then please feel free to bring it in and we will celebrate this!





Parents' Evenings

Our Autumn Term Parent's Evenings will take place next week.

Parents' Evening slots can be booked through our website, www.hooleceprimary.co.uk or the School Spider App.

Parents and Carers will need to login to the school website or the app to be able to book a slot. If you have forgotten your login details, please click on the "forgotten password" link to reset it.

The slots are available on a first come first served basis. We emailed step-by-step instructions of how to book a slot to all parents and carers in September.

If you would prefer a telephone consultation at the time you have booked, please make contact with the School Office via email to admin@hooleceprimary.cheshire.sch.uk, so we can check contact details and update records where needed. Unless we hear from families, we will assume that parents or carers are attending in person.

Please note that there are no clubs during Parents' Evening week, with the exception of Year 1-6 Streetdance Club.

Year group	Class teacher	Date of Parents' Evenings
Reception	Mrs Walsh – Team RW	Tuesday 21 st October Wednesday 22 nd October
	Miss McDonald – Team RM	Tuesday 21 st October Wednesday 22 nd October
Year 1	Mrs Jeffs – Team 1J	Monday 20 th October Tuesday 21 st October
	Miss Hildebrandt – Team 1H	Monday 20 th October Tuesday 21 st October
Year 2	Miss Carter – Team 2C	Monday 20 th October Tuesday 21 st October
	Mrs King – Team 2K	Tuesday 21 st October Wednesday 22 nd October
Year 3	Mrs Elston and Mrs Inns – Team 3EI	Monday 20 th October Thursday 23 rd October
	Mr Underhill – Team 3U	Monday 20 th October Tuesday 21 st October
Year 4	Mrs Kelly and Mrs Jones – Team 4JK	Wednesday 22 nd October Thursday 23 rd October
	Miss Cotgreave – Team 4C	Monday 20 th October Tuesday 21 st October
Year 5	Mrs Salisbury – Team 5S	Monday 20 th October Tuesday 21 st October
	Miss Rennocks – Team 5R	Monday 20 th October Tuesday 21 st October
Year 6	Mrs Millington – Team 6M	Monday 20 th October Tuesday 21 st October
	Miss Buckley – Team 6B	Monday 20 th October Tuesday 21 st October



AFTERSCHOOL

DROP IN

NEW
AFTERSCHOOL EVENT

STARTING NOV 4TH

3.30 PM - 5.00 PM

AT ALL SAINTS CHURCH

We want to invite all Y6-Y11 students to a NEW afterschool 'drop in' at All Saints Church, run by Youth Worker Sam. Come after school for fun, ball games, board games, video gaming, crafts, homework support, tuck shop and refreshments. No booking required and its completely free (pocket money needed for tuck shop)

Main entrance through the car park in the church centre

NEW FOR 2025

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Cheshire Phoenix Season Ticket

We have been very kindly gifted a school season ticket for Cheshire Phoenix Basketball matches.



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If you would like to loan the ticket to get admission free for your family into one the Phoenix home matches at the Ellesmere Port Sports Village, please contact the School Office to check for any dates the ticket has available for this season.

CHESHIRE PHOENIX HOME SCHEDULE 2025/26

SEPTEMBER	JANUARY
SUN 28 BOOKED ONIA GLADIATORS . 5.30PM	SUN 11 BOOKED ASTLE EAGLES . 5.30PM
	SUN 18 . vs SURREY 89ERS . 5.30PM
OCTOBER	FEBRUARY
SUN 12 BOOKED ELD SHARKS . 5.30PM	FRI 06 BOOKED HESTER BASKETBALL . 7.30PM
SUN 19 BOOKED ASTLE EAGLES . 5.30PM	SUN 22 . vs SURREY 89ERS . 5.30PM
SUN 26 BOOKED ELD SHARKS . 5.30PM	
NOVEMBER	MARCH
SUN 16 . vs LONDON LIONS . 5.30PM	SUN 2 BOOKED OL FLYERS . 5.30PM
SUN 23 BOOKED OL FLYERS . 5.30PM	
DECEMBER	APRIL
SUN 07 BOOKED TER RIDERS . 5.30PM	SUN 05 . vs LONDON LIONS . 5.30PM
SUN 28 BOOKED HESTER BASKETBALL . 5.30PM	SUN 19 . vs CALEDONIA GLADIATORS . 5.30PM
	SUN 26 . vs LEICESTER RIDERS . 5.30PM

*Fixtures subject to change

ALL GAMES PLAYED AT ELLESMERE PORT SPORTS VILLAGE



Times Tables Rockstar Championship

THE WINNING CLASS IS

TEAM 4C

PUPIL LEADERBOARD

Rank	Pupil Name
1	ARIEL
2	FAWAZ
3	OLLIE

YOU ROCK

Next Week's School Dinner Menu

Provided by
Edsential

HOOLE CE PRIMARY SCHOOL WEEK 2 LUNCH MENU

Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday (Meat Free)
2 slices of Cheese & Tomato Pizza (V), served with Baked Beans, Seasonal Vegetables or Coleslaw	Beef Burger or Veggie Burger in a Bun, Hash Brown served with Baked Beans or Seasonal Vegetables	Roast Gammon or Quorn Fillet served Roast/Mashed Potatoes, Seasonal Vegetables & Gravy	3 Cheese & Tomato Pasta (V) served with Crusty Bread & Seasonal Vegetables	Breaded Fish or Veggie Fingers served with Chips, Baked Beans or Peas
Jacket Potato with Cheese, Beans or Tuna	Jacket Potato with Cheese, Beans or Tuna	Jacket Potato with Cheese, Beans or Tuna	Jacket Potato with Cheese, Beans or Tuna	Jacket Potato with Cheese, Beans or Tuna
Tomato & Herb Pasta Pot	Tomato & Mascarpone Pasta Pot	Cheese & Tomato Pasta Pot	Hot Cheese & Tomato Baguette	Cheesy Bean Pasta Pot
Ham, Tuna or Cheese Sandwich	Ham, Tuna or Cheese Sandwich	Ham, Tuna or Cheese Sandwich	Ham, Tuna or Cheese Sandwich	Ham, Tuna or Cheese Sandwich
Caramel Crispy Bar	Butterscotch Biscuit	Chocolate Muffin	Apple & Grape Pot or Biscuit	Ginger Biscuit



Wobbly Welcomers

Sophia, Olivia, Rose and Alice are just some of the kind pupils who have volunteered their time every morning to assist any children who are feeling anxious or struggling to come in to school.

Look out for our Wobbly Welcomers who will be on the gates every morning!



NONUNIFORM DAY

FRIDAY

14TH NOVEMBER

BBC
**Children
in Need**

Children are welcome to wear their own clothes. Any donations for Children in Need can be paid on the School Gateway app.

Birthdays

**AMBER, IVY,
NANCY,
OSCAR,
GEORGE, LEXI-
MAY AND
CHARLOTTE!**

Many happy returns
to all our birthday
buddies!

We hope you enjoy
your birthday book!

LETTING THEIR LIGHT SHINE!



Martha received an award for her ballet. Her assessor said that she had marvellous tiptoe turns and very good skips!

Ruby achieved two personal bests for front crawl and breast-stroke at her swimming!

Isaac participated in the MBNA mini-marathon and won a shiny medal!

Arianwen won best under 11 girl of the year and Logan was presented with the under 11 boys overall achievements for the year award at the West Cheshire Athletics Club awards evening. They were photographed with Olympic/World Champion and world record holding Paralympian Sabrina Fortune!

Maya won two trophy's for football!

Rose was made Tennis Star of the Week!

LET'S CELEBRATE

The following children received a class honour
for letting their light shine this week!

Alice-Ateyka

Evie R

Sofia M

Adam E

Ayansh H

Asya S

Charlotte R

Pixie M

Zara E

Charlotte M

Riley A

Thamid T

Myles E

Jack O'H

Musa A

Zara B



IS YOUR CHILD STARTING PRIMARY SCHOOL IN SEPTEMBER 2026?

MEET OUR TEAM AT OUR OPEN DAYS!

WEDNESDAY
8TH OCTOBER
4PM

During the Open Evenings, you will see how learning is developed across subjects, discover how our curriculum is enriched by engaging resources and enjoy our extensive outdoor environment. You will meet our teaching and support team and find out about how we support children to shine brightly and achieve well!

WEDNESDAY
12TH NOVEMBER
4PM

At Hoole Church of England Primary School,
learning is active, exciting and out of this world!

We are also hosting tours of the school for small groups of families on:

Tuesday 14th October 9.30-10.30am
Tuesday 21st October 9.30-10.30am
Tuesday 4th November 9.30-10.30am
Wednesday 5th November 9.30-10.30am
Wednesday 19th November 9.30-10.30am
Wednesday 3rd December 9.30-10.30am
Thursday 8th January 9.30-10.30am & 1.30-2.30pm

Tours will be hosted by senior staff along with our Early Years and Key Stage One leader.

Please pre-book your tour by emailing us at
admin@hooleprimary.cheshire.sch.uk or calling us on 01244 323890



Key Dates

20th-23rd October	Parents' Evenings
24th October	INSET Day (School closed to pupils)
27th-31st October	School Holidays
3rd November	School re-opens for pupils
5th November	Year 4 Trip
3rd-12th November	Year 6 Bikeability
12th November	Whole School Flu Vaccination
14th November	Non-uniform Day for Children In Need
20th November	Pupil Photographs
27th November	Lantern Parade
16th December	Y1-2 Christmas Service at All Saints' Church 1.45pm
17th December	Y3-4 Christmas Service at All Saints' Church 1.45pm
18th December	Y5-6 Christmas Service at All Saints' Church 1.45pm
20th December-4th January	School Holidays

Contact us



01244 323890



admin@hooleceprimary.cheshire.sch.uk



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RESET & RESTORE

AN EVENING OF CALM CONNECTION FOR WOMEN



WHAT TO EXPECT:

Welcome circle, gentle breathing, meditation and movement, reflections, journal prompts, tea, cake & a good natter!

HOOLE COMMUNITY CENTRE, CH2 3AP
FRIDAY 7 NOVEMBER, 7 – 8.30PM, £15

SCAN TO BOOK OR EMAIL JENNY@RESETWITH.COM



✨ DATES AND THEMES ✨

These sessions take place every other month and follow a seasonal theme, offering practices to restore calm, deepen self-connection, and nurture your body and mind.

Friday 7 November: The breathe beneath it all
(creating calm & focus)

Friday 9 January: The art of letting go
(winter reflection & release)

Friday 13 March: Sowing your seeds
(joy, growth & manifestation)

Friday 8 May: Feel your presence
(self-love, confidence & presence)

Friday 10 July: The ground beneath you
(finding stability within)

Friday 11 Sept: Feel to be free
(emotions, embodiment & release)

✿ Bring a yoga mat, blanket and journal and leave leave lighter, softer, and restored.

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West Cheshire Athletic Club Schools Cross Country Race Series 2025/26

At Ellesmere Port Sports Village, Stanney Lane,
Ellesmere Port,

Registration from 9.30am for school years 3 & 4
And from 10am for school years 5-8.
First Race Starts at 10am.

Dates of Fixtures:

Saturday, October 18
Saturday, November 29
Saturday, January 31
Saturday, March 7

Race Order for the following Girls and Boys year groups:
Year Three, Year Four, Year Five, Year Six, Year Seven, Year Eight.

Medals will be presented to the first three finishers in each race.

The first three finishers from each school in each race will count as a team towards a team score based on their positions, and the team event will be held over four rounds.

Awards will also be presented to the top three finishers overall in each age group after four rounds.

Each pupil from each school will be provided with a race number which should be attached to the front of their T-shirt/vest.

Each participating school should provide a representative/parent/team manager at each round.
Further details from Dennis Wall at West Cheshire AC.
Tel: 07968 643038. Email: dennis.wall1@ntlworld.com

SPEECH THERAPY CHARITY
Saluto
IN ASSOCIATION WITH
Cariad

CONCERNED ABOUT YOUR CHILD'S SPEECH & LANGUAGE DEVELOPMENT?

JOIN US FOR A FREE INFORMAL SESSION WITH SPEECH THERAPY ADVICE!

WHO CAN ATTEND?

The session is intended for parents or guardians and their children under 12 years of age.

WHAT WE OFFER

The session will be very informal with our qualified Speech & Language Therapist on hand to give you advice while the children play.

WHERE?

King George V Community Sports Hub
Blacon Avenue,
Blacon, Chester
CH1 5BD

Ample Parking is available on site. The Hub is close to a Bus Stop served by the Number 14 & 15 Buses.

DATE & TIME

MONDAY,
27TH OCTOBER 2025
3.30PM - 5PM

CONTACT

For more information contact
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