

HAVELEY HEY COMMUNITY SCHOOL

BUILDING RESILIENCE, AMBITION AND RESPECT



Get to know your rights!

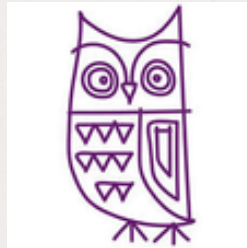
Article 13: Freedom of Expression

Provide opportunities for your child to express themselves through drawing, music, storytelling, or conversation. Praising their ideas helps develop confidence and individuality.



Nurture Principles – tip of the week
Spend Time Outdoors

A short walk, a trip to the park, or time in the garden can help children regulate emotions and improve mood and concentration.



Our news...

RHS Plants for Wellbeing Project

We are delighted to have completed the RHS Plants for Wellbeing pilot project, which Haveley Hey has been taking part in from January to June this year.

The project has helped our children explore how caring for plants and connecting with nature can support their wellbeing, developing emotional awareness, social connections and self-regulation through everyday gardening activities and conversations about mental wellbeing.

This morning, we welcomed Ms Ryland, Insights Officer (Children and Young People), who worked with our Year 1 children to evaluate the pilot programme. The children enjoyed sharing their experiences and taking part in a range of activities.

Ms Ryland commented afterwards:

"It was a pleasure to chat with KS1 pupils and staff about the Plants for Wellbeing project and hear the great things school has been doing."

We are incredibly proud of all our pupils and staff for embracing this wonderful project.



Congratulations to our Children of the Week who have shown Ambition: We try our best to make ourselves proud with our current and new Teacher

Next week, the focus will be on creating a Lunchtime charter – Working together to make lunchtimes calm and fun

Well done to 1A for the best attendance and 5B for the most improved attendance in school. Overall attendance was 92%.

Good attendance is 96% – please help us to achieve this target by coming to school on time every day.

Please note that holidays in term time cannot be authorised and may result in a fine from the local authority.

UPCOMING EVENTS

25/6/26 – Take Over Day	
July 2026	
2/7/26	– Move Up Day
6/7/26	– INSET Day Children not in school
7/7/26	– Crucial Crew for Year 6
8–10/7/26	– Ghyll Head Residential – Year 6
9/7/26	– Sports Day • KS1 – Morning • EYFS – Afternoon
13/7/26	– Year 2 Beachcombers Assembly Parents and cars welcome to attend
13/7/26	– Explore Nurture and Thrive Sports Day
13–15/7/26	– Year 5 London Trip
16/7/26	– Sports Day – KS2
16/7/26	– Nursery Graduation
16/7/26	– Year 6 Leavers' Party
20/7/26	– Explore Nurture and Thrive picnic
20/7/26	– Meet the Teacher Craft Afternoon
21/7/26	– Reception Graduation
22/7/26	– Year 6 Leavers' Assembly
23/7/26	– Child of the Term Assembly

Children of the Week

Congratulations to our Children of the Week

Reception – Toby and Willow

Year 1 – Sienna and Taysha

Year 2 – Isla and Maliyah

Year 3 – Baron and Koby

Year 4 – Nikodem

Year 5 – Lexi and Queenstar

Year 6 – NESTA and Lily

Explore – Fabian, Nurture – Jaxson, Thrive – Tyler

A week in pictures...





Parenting Smart is Place2Be's website full of practical advice and tried and tested tips for parents and carers of primary age children.

This week's topic: Helping your child settle into a new school

Starting primary school and moving on to secondary school are important milestones in a child's life. Both bring new routines, new environments and new expectations, and it's natural for children to feel a mix of excitement and nerves. With gentle preparation and steady reassurance, parents and carers can help children feel more confident as they take these next steps.

This Parenting Smart tip explains how adults can support children during school transitions. It encourages parents and carers to talk openly about the move, visit the new school if possible, and practise the journey together. The article also highlights the importance of building independence, keeping routines predictable, and checking in regularly about how your child is feeling. Offering calm reassurance, listening to their worries and celebrating small achievements can help children settle into their new school with confidence.

Learn more about these topics at:

Starting primary school:

<https://parentingsmart.place2be.org.uk/article/helping-your-child-when-they-start-or-change-primary-school>

Preparing for secondary or high school:

<https://parentingsmart.place2be.org.uk/article/helping-your-child-prepare-for-secondary-or-high-school>

Exclusive to schools supported by Place2Be

Parenting Smart – Online Course

Parents and Carers of 4-11 year olds are invited to join our **free** online course offering extra parenting tools to support children's wellbeing and help them deal with childhood challenges.

These tools are proven to help children manage their emotions better, follow routines and improve relationships with friends and family.

Designed to fit around busy family lives, this 4-week course consists of **8 short online modules of 30 minutes each**, easily accessible from a mobile phone, at any time.

Place2Be Family Practitioners will be on hand throughout your time on the course to guide your learning and answer your questions. You will also have the opportunity to join discussions with other parents and carers from across the UK and learn from each other.

- Free
- No fixed times
- Accessible from any device
- Hear from other parents around the UK
- Place2Be professional on hand to support learning

Key information

Length: 4-week online programme

Frequency: Up to 1 hour per week at a time convenient for you

Start date: 29 September 2026

Register by: 21 September 2026

Price: Free for parents and carers at Place2Be partner schools

Learn more at place2be.org.uk/family

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LITTLE LEARNERS

STAY & PLAY



Play, meet others and discover what our nursery has to offer!

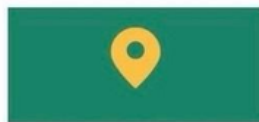


FREE FUN SESSION FOR CHILDREN AGED 0-2
WITH THEIR GROWN-UPS AND FRIENDS!



OUR OFFERINGS:

- Toys
- Songs
- Snacks
- Stories & Fun



LOCATION

Haveley Hey
Community
school
Nearbrook Rd
M22 9NS



WHEN

Every Friday!
9:00am-10:30am



BRING A FRIEND
ALONG!



SCAN TO REGISTER!



EVERY DAY COUNTS

Good attendance supports better learning and wellbeing

Good attendance supports better learning,
brighter futures and happy children.



Please
contact us
if unsure –
we're here
to help!

WHEN SHOULD MY CHILD STAY OFF SCHOOL?

At Haveley Hey, we follow NHS guidance on illness.

Children will sometimes be unwell.

However, many minor illnesses do not require time off school.



YOUR CHILD CAN COME TO SCHOOL WITH:



Mild cold or
runny nose



Sore throat



Mild cough



Feeling "a bit under
the weather"



Headache
(unless severe)



In these cases, we will:

- ✓ Monitor your child
- ✓ Contact you if they become more unwell



YOUR CHILD SHOULD STAY AT HOME IF THEY HAVE:



High temperature (fever)

A high temperature is above 38°C.
Children should stay at home with
a high temperature over 38°C.



Vomiting or diarrhoea

Stay off 48 hours after
the last episode



Contagious illness
(as per NHS guidance)



Significantly unwell



OUR APPROACH AT SCHOOL



We expect
children to attend
where possible



We support
children who feel
unwell during
the day



We will contact
parents if a child
becomes more
unwell



We provide a
calm space if
needed



WHY THIS MATTERS

Even one or two
days off can:

- ✓ Impact learning
- ✓ Affect confidence
- ✓ Disrupt routines

Good attendance
helps children to:

- ★ Feel settled
- ★ Build friendships
- ★ Achieve their best



WORKING TOGETHER

We ask parents to:

- ✓ Ensure children attend unless they are genuinely unwell
- ✓ Avoid keeping children off for minor illnesses
- ✓ Contact school if unsure – we are happy to advise
- ✓ Ensure children return promptly once recovered



NOT SURE?
Please speak to us –
we are happy to help.

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