



# HILLTOP INFANT SCHOOL



## **Curriculum Workshop**

Unfortunately we have had to cancel the Curriculum Workshop that was planned for this evening. This is due to significant staff illness and it would not be possible to run this without key members of staff. A new date will be arranged. One of the key messages of the workshop is that regular reading with your children at home is the most important way in which you can support their learning. Please aim for 5 times a week because this will help your child. There is a clear link between the amount of time a child spends reading at home and their attainment at the end of an academic year.

## **Harvest Celebration**

Our Harvest Celebration Assembly will be taking place on Friday 7th October and there will be two separate performances, one at 9:15am and the other at 2:30pm. A letter will be sent home with full details about these performances. Please check book bags and the school website for this letter.

## **Use of Staff Toilet Before and After School**

We do understand that on occasions parents, carers and children do need to use the toilet before and after school. Recently there has been an increased use of staff toilets, at times preventing staff from using them. This can result in classroom doors being opened late at the start of the school day. Also, due to Health and Safety we now must ask parents/carers to sign in and out when coming into school. In the event of a fire we need to know who is in the building at all times.

## **Friday EYFS Workshops**

These workshops will be held in the school hall and pre-school children are welcome.

30th September, 2:25pm - Physical Development - Mrs Marsh

7th October, AM following Harvest Assembly - Reading - Mrs Bower

14th October, 2:25pm - Resilience - Kerry Westbrook

21st October, 2:25pm - Phonics - Mrs Boroughs

4th November, 2:25pm - Maths - Miss Field

## **Resilience**

Wow! The children in Classes 1, 2 and 7 have shown huge resilience this week when they arrived at school to find that staff from their classes were off sick.

## **EYFS Bring Your Adult to Dinner**

We are running a number of lunches for our EYFS children. We look forward to seeing lots of people enjoying a school dinner with us over the next few weeks.

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## **Letters sent home this week:**

Harvest Assembly

Shipmates AGM

## **Craze of the Week Year 1 & 2**

The craze for next week will be Big Games .

## **Medical & Absence Letters**

Please would all families make sure that they keep us up to date with any changes to medical conditions that we have recorded in school. If your child is absent from school due to illness, on the first day back in school please can you send a letter in explaining the absence.



## **Shipmates AGM**

The Shipmates AGM will be held on Monday 3rd October at 7:30pm. A letter has been sent home in book bags today. Please complete and return to the Shipmates post box in the front entrance. Thank you.