



PEARL HYDE COMMUNITY PRIMARY SCHOOL

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POPPY APPEAL

Poppies will be on sale after we return to school on Monday 2nd November from the school office.

After the success of our poppy memorial garden last year we are inviting the children to participate again this year.

Children are invited to make a poppy over the half term holiday and bring it into school from 9th November onwards. The children will then plant their poppies in the garden area at the front of the school office after the remembrance assembly on 11th November.



REMEMBRANCE DAY SERVICE

This year's Remembrance Day Service and Parade will be held on Sunday, 8th November 2015 at 10.50 a.m. in the War Memorial Park. Everyone is welcome to attend.

FINAL REMINDER FOR REGISTERING FOR A SECONDARY SCHOOL FOR SEPTEMBER 2016

If your child was born between 1st September 2004 and 31st August 2005 you will need to apply for a secondary school place for September 2016.

Log on to the application process by using the following link:

www.coventry.gov.uk/schooladmissions

You must make your application by the **closing date of 31st October 2015.**

If you apply after 31st October your application will not be considered in the first round of allocations.

Please remember there is no automatic transfer from Pearl Hyde to secondary school –

YOU MUST APPLY FOR A PLACE

HALF TERM HOLIDAY

The school will be closed for the half term holiday from Monday 26th October to Friday 30th October (inclusive).

When booking holidays please be aware that not all schools have the same term dates. Please check before booking any holidays.

FLU CAMPAIGN – YEARS 1 & 2 CHILDREN

Children in Years 1 & 2 will be receiving their flu nasal spray at Pearl Hyde on 17th November between approximately 10.30 to 11.30 am. Consent forms have recently been sent home. If you have not already done so can you please return your form if you wish your child to participate. Only those children whose parents have returned a consent form will receive the nasal spray.

The spray will be available to 2, 3 and 4 year olds via their GP.

ENGLISH WORKSHOPS

EYFS & KS1 - 10th November at 6.00 pm

KS2 - 17th November at 6.00 pm

Booking details to follow after half term. If you still have your code from previous bookings you may book online now through the parents evening booking tab on the front page of the school website.

We do hope you are able to attend one of the workshops. These workshops provide parents with a Valuable knowledge to support your child and they provide an insight into what your child learns at school.

STARTING SCHOOL IN SEPTEMBER 2016

If you have a child born between 1st September 2011 and 31st August 2012 you will need to apply for a reception place through Coventry City Council.

Log on to the application process by using the following link:

www.coventry.gov.uk/schooladmissions

You must make your application before the **closing date of 15th January 2016.**

SPOTLIGHT ON COMMON CHILDHOOD AILMENTS

We have recently sent you information regarding head lice. This week we are looking at another common childhood ailment; threadworms.

Use the link below to find out more information

<http://www.nhs.uk/Conditions/Threadworms/Pages/Introduction.aspx>



Bonfire Night – 5th November

Please find attached to this newsletter a copy of the ROSPA firework code. This contains some very useful information on how to store and use fireworks. Have a safe and enjoyable bonfire night.

Dates for your diary

School photographer will be in school – 12th November

Flu Campaign – 17th November Nurses in school to administer nasal spray to year 1 and 2 Children (parental consent required)

'Make a Poppy' – over the half term break we invite you to make a Poppy of Remembrance for our Remembrance Garden at the front of the school and bring it in to school on Monday 9th November. This piece of work could also be photographed and submitted to the Saatchi Schools Art Competition.