



HOOK JUNIOR SCHOOL

Weekly Newsletter

Friday 4th March 2022

World Book Day 2022

It was fantastic seeing all the children dressed as a fictional book character yesterday for World Book Day and hearing the buzz of excitement when they could see their decorated classroom door. The children really enjoyed exploring the story 'Invisible' by Tom Percival, producing both a diary entry and a class piece of art work linked to one of the themes in the book. Mrs Adsley also launched the Bingo challenge during assembly where certificates will be given for reading a wide range of genres.

A year 5 pupil said, "It was a fun day and I really enjoyed doing the artwork. I liked seeing my friends and the teachers dressed up. The decorated doors were really colourful too."

A year 3 pupil said, "I enjoyed learning about the book 'Invisible' because even though Isabel's family didn't have much, they still were grateful for what they had. It was nice because when she started helping other people who felt invisible, the book became colourful as at the start it was grey. The book had a good message."

A year 6 pupil said, "I enjoyed learning about the book 'Invisible' and seeing the teachers dressed up as well. We had fun activities all day and I'm really looking forward to completing the Bingo challenge."

Thank you to everyone who donated - all contributions be invested in additional library books for children to read.

Coronavirus Guidance

Government advice regarding Coronavirus has been updated and many restrictions have been removed.

If your child has one of the three [main recognised symptoms of Coronavirus](#), you should keep them at home and take a lateral flow test and follow current Government advice on further testing and additional precautionary measures. If your child tests positive for Coronavirus with a lateral flow or PCR test, you must keep them at home. If subsequent lateral flow tests taken on day 5 and day 6 are both negative, your child may return to school.

You must notify us of any absence, coronavirus or otherwise, by calling 01256 762 468 and press #1 to leave a message. Please leave a clearly spoken message giving your child's name, class and the illness affecting them.

Tesco token collection

We have applied for a Tesco community grant for us to develop a new planting and growing area for pupils. Our aim is to develop a well-resourced outdoor gardening space for children to plant and grow their own produce with sensory planting to introduce new smells, taste, texture and colour. Please consider voting for Hook Junior School if you receive a token when shopping at the Hook store. In store voting is open until 31 March 2022 and we are currently in first position among the three competing bids!

Stars of the Week

Year 3: George H, Rosanna B, Abigail P, Isabelle C

Year 4: William P, Alexa P, Aidan B, Emily T, Imogen H,

Year 5: Farhan S, Cash H, Florence F, Darcy S, Hugo L, Mikey S, Alice F, Joseph H

Year 6: Samuel P, Esmé O, Zeke B, Sebastian G

House Points this week

Austen	87
Brunel	101
Nightingale	88
Wellington	89

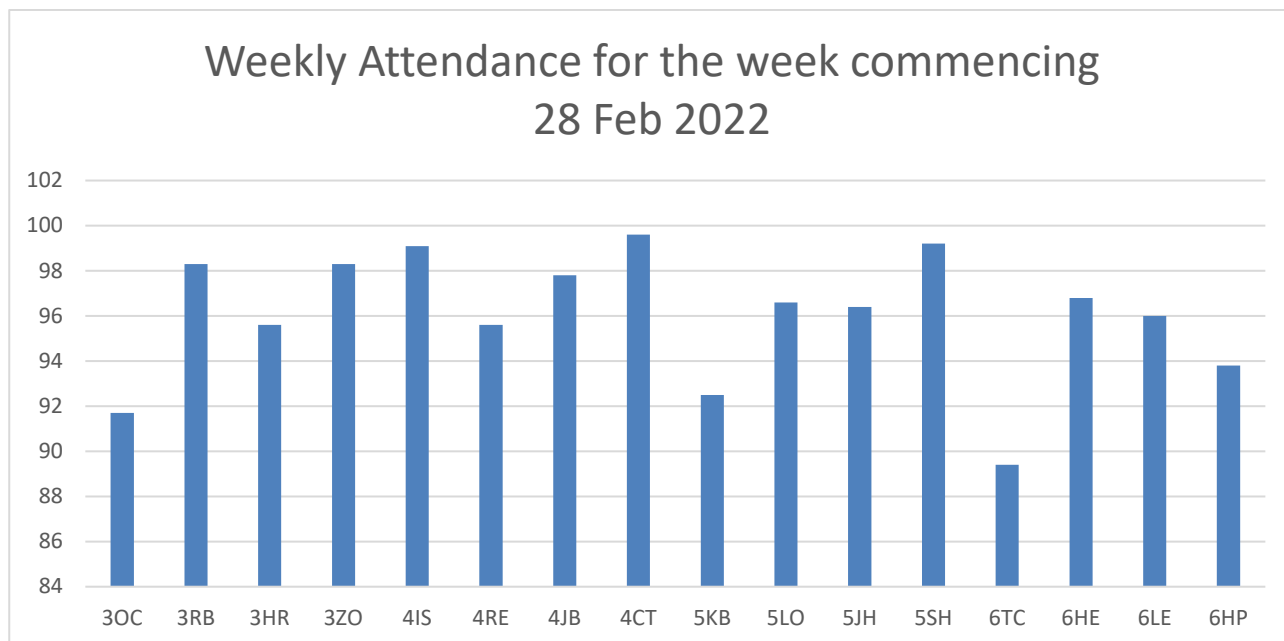
House point winners this week: Brunel

Reading classes of the week: 3RB and 5KB

Reading Raffle Winner: Yvette W

Attendance This Week

Every day counts... Your child's attendance matters!



Overall attendance this week: 96.1%

Find out more...

Follow [@hookjunior on Twitter](#) and [visit our Facebook page](#) for more updates and photos.

Key Dates

10 Mar	Gremlin Dance Challenge
10 Mar	Reading Rockets Basketball Workshops
14 Mar	Science Week
17 Mar	Reading Rockets Basketball Workshops
18 Mar	Red Nose Day
19 Mar	HSCA Beer Festival
21 Mar	Year 3 Iron Age Workshop
22 Mar	Year 3 Iron Age Workshop
22 Mar	HSCA Mothers Day Sale
24 Mar	Reading Rockets Basketball Workshops
24 Mar	HSCA Mothers Day Sale
31 Mar	Reading Rockets Basketball Workshops
31 Mar	Year 4 Winchester Science Centre Visit
4 Apr	Life Education Wessex LifeBus visits for the week
5 Apr	3RB and 3ZO Easter Service to Parents, 09:00
6 Apr	3OC and 3HR Easter Service to Parents, 09:00
6 Apr	Governor Day
8 Apr	End of term – 1:30 finish
11 Apr	Easter Break
25 Apr	Summer Term – back to school
27 Apr	Happy's Circus
28 Apr	Happy's Circus
19 May	Class Photos
23 May	Year 3 Roman Workshop
30 May	Summer Half Term Week
8 Jun	HSCA Bag2School
9 Jun	Year 4 Trip to Ufton Court
10 Jun	Year 4 Trip to Ufton Court
14 Jun	HSCA Fathers Day Sale
16 Jun	HSCA Fathers Day Sale
25 Jun	HSCA Gin Festival
27 Jun	Year 6 Transition day to Robert Mays School
28 Jun	Year 6 Transition day to Robert Mays School

11 Jul Year 6 Residential trip to PGL Marchants Hill
16 Jul HSCA Summer Fair
21 Jul End of term – 1:30 finish