



# Nursery Note

Friday 16<sup>th</sup> January 2026

## Spring Term Invoice Payment Reminder

A polite reminder that the first (or full payment) for Spring term invoices are due today, **Friday 16<sup>th</sup> January**.

Please note that a £20 surcharge will apply for any late payments, so please ensure timely payments are arranged to avoid unnecessary additional fees.

If you have made payment via TFC or if you have paid via Childcare Vouchers, please email [hen@hordleprimary.co.uk](mailto:hen@hordleprimary.co.uk) to confirm.

If you have chosen to pay in 2 instalments, please be reminded that the final 50% payment is due **Friday 13<sup>th</sup> February**.

Thank you for your cooperation.

## Spring One Learning Topics

To help families understand more about what your children are learning about during their time at Hordle Explorers, we wish to share the 'topics' which we will be focusing on over this half term.



### Team Nest

'People Who Help Us'



We will be looking at all of the different people who help us including various emergency service helpers, front line workers, construction workers and hospitality workers.

### Team Wild

For the next couple of weeks, Team Wild will be continuing their theme of 'Winter' and will next be focusing on animals such as Polar Bears and Penguins, as well as learning about the Inuit's.



Team Wild will then start looking at their new topic 'Traditional Tales'.



## Bag2School Reminder

Help our school raise funds by donating your unwanted, quality items!

Team PATCH have organised our next Bag2School collection for **Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> February**.

Bags can be dropped off to the front school car park after school drop off from **Monday 23<sup>rd</sup> February** and no later than **9am on Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> February**.

Please ensure items are securely placed within a bag (and not overflowing - any bag can be used) and please place the bags under the provided tarpaulin to protect all clothing from the rain. This is extremely important as wet clothes will not be collected and unfortunately, we will be forced to dispose of them

As well as clothing, Bag2School also accepts items such as paired shoes, hats or bags. For a full list on what you are able to donate on this occasion, please click [here](#).

Thank you, as always, for your ongoing support!



# Nut Free School and Nursery

Please be reminded that we are a strictly nut and sesame free school and nursery. We have several children who have severe nut allergies so we ask that you respect this when preparing your child's lunchboxes. As a reminder the following foods contain nuts/sesame and should not be included in children's lunch boxes:



- Battenburg
- Bakewell tarts
- Madeleines
- Hummus
- Peanut Butter
- Chocolate Hazelnut Spread
- plus many cereal bars.



## Pesto

Please note that while pine nuts are not strictly a nut, we have noticed that many brands of pesto have started to include nuts as an ingredient. It is therefore impossible for us to know if the pesto in a child's packed lunch contains nuts or not.

As a result, we are asking that you DO NOT include pesto in your child's packed lunch or snacks.

Thank you for your understanding and cooperation in keeping our children safe.

## E-Safety

The Internet is a fantastic source of fun and learning, but it's worth following some simple rules to help your children stay safe online. Please click the image for easy-to-follow tips on how to keep safe on for computers, phones and tablets



## IMPORTANT DATES

New dates are in **BOLD>**

Friday 16th January

**Spring term invoice payment due (minimum 50% payment)**

Monday 16<sup>th</sup> February - Friday 20<sup>th</sup> February

**February Half Term (School & Nursery Closed)**

Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> February

**Bag2School Collection**

Tuesday 3<sup>rd</sup> March

**HEN Parent Drop In's (3:30pm - 4:30pm)**

Friday 6<sup>th</sup> March

**Team Nest & Team Wild Charity Cake Sale (more information to follow)**

Friday 13<sup>th</sup> March

**PATCH Mothers Day/Special Persons Event**

Friday 20<sup>th</sup> March

**INSET Day (School & Nursery closed)**

Tuesday 24<sup>th</sup> March

**HEN Portraits (Spring Starters & Mop Up Photos)**

Monday 30<sup>th</sup> March - Friday 10<sup>th</sup> April

**Easter Holiday (School & Nursery Closed)**