



Haseltine News

23rd September 2016

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Dear Parents, Carers, Families & Friends,

What a fantastic start to the year it has been. Your children are already settled back into school so well and are engrossed in their learning already. There is a very calm atmosphere around the school and a real 'buzz' in the classrooms. It really is lovely to have you all back – our new children also seem to have settled so well.

We have noticed that whilst many of our children have the Haseltine book bag, many of our children do not own one and instead bring a rucksack to school. We would love for every child to own the Haseltine bag – not only does it look smarter but books & letters are stored better within them and they can be stored in the classrooms more easily. Book bags can be bought from The Hub for £5.50.

Thank you for all your comments about how good the school is looking – if you haven't seen our new, huge photos along the bottom corridor or our tree in the entrance corridor, please pop in to have a look. We also have a photo wall outside the music room and some of our Big Book Bash art pieces have been displayed in the library and the top hall.

Remember to always come and have a chat with me if you need a question answered or a concern raised.

Best wishes,

Sara Anderman

No Pens Wednesday:

On Wednesday 5th October, Haseltine will put down their pens for a day of high quality speaking and listening. This is because we are taking part in the Communication Trust's No Pens Day. This exciting national initiative is proven to improve children's spoken language. We are all looking forward to the day, and the great learning opportunities it will provide for our children.

Mr Newsome
(English Leader)

PE Kits

Please can we remind you that children MUST wear a kit for all PE lessons. They must have: a T shirt and shorts for indoor PE and the same for outdoor PE with trainers (in colder weather children may wear a track suit outside). If children do not have a PE kit they will NOT be able to join in with the lesson. We recommend that children bring in their kit at the start of half term and keep it in school – taking it home at half term for a wash.

Careers Fair

Haseltine needs YOU!!

We are having our annual Careers Fair on the morning of November the 18th (9am-12pm). This is where we invite people from many different careers to come in and talk to the children about them and answer their questions. (You will be seated at tables and the children come round to you – you aren't expected to talk in front of big groups of children, don't panic!)

Last year, we had many different types of careers represented: including a pilot, a midwife, a model maker, a probation officer; a doctor, a criminal lawyer, a librarian, a town planner to name but a few!

The children really did get some great advice from all our representatives.

We would love to get even more different types of careers represented this year and this is where we need your help. If you can spare the time we would love you to come in to share your career with our children – also if you know anyone in your family or circle of friends who you think could help, then please put them in our direction.

If you can help, then please come and have a chat with me soon so that I can get the event organised.

Many thanks – Sara Anderman & **the children of Haseltine.**



Friday 30th September
2016 at 2.00pm

Hello everyone!

The Hub will be holding a Macmillan Coffee Hour on the afternoon of Friday 30th September at 2.00pm.

All cake donations will be welcome.

Come along and enjoy the fun!

We would especially love to see our new families at this event and in The Hub, don't be shy - come and join us!

If you would like to become part of the Hub team please see Miss Bird.

We are eager to have male volunteers too.