

# **Hand In Hand Achieving Together**

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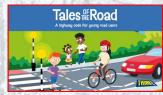


Easyfundraising - We are very keen to raise funds for the development of our playground and so have registered with easyfundraising, which means

you can help us for FREE. Over 7,000 brands will donate to us when you use easyfundraising to shop with them – at no extra cost to yourself! All you need to do is sign up and remember to use easyfundraising whenever you shop online. It's easy and completely FREE! These donations really mount up, so please sign up to support us at

https://www.easyfundraising.org.uk/causes/haylands-primary-school/? utm\_medium=email&utm\_campaign=pmc&utm\_content=email-1

Road Safety - An increased number of traffic related incidents have been reported to us since returning to school after the break. We would like to take this opportunity to improve our children's understanding of road safety, however this is of little use when faced with the



increased dangerous parking in front of the school and drivers using the entrance of the car park to turn around and drop off children. This all has a negative impact on our ability to keep our children safe when entering or leaving the school site. This, in addition to the reported recent road traffic incidents outside local schools is causing us increased concern. It would be very beneficial if you could take a look at the information via the link to improve awareness of navigating the roads for children:

https://drive.google.com/file/d/1JMXbMjiJApNKpJ5BodqtU-B3pZDFECn7/ view?usp=sharing

We have asked the local parking enforcement officer to increase their visit frequency to help us to tackle this. We do appreciate the challenges the cold weather presents, however the safety of our children is our priority.

**PE Uniform** - Having looked at the prospectus we have noticed that it states 'preferably without a hood' when discussing the PE Kit requirements. We agree that this leads parents to believe that one is acceptable and is confusing. We have amended the wording in the prospectus and re-published this on the website to make it clear hooded sweatshirts are not acceptable.

### Key Dates -2022/23

Fri 9th Feb -**Break up for Half Term** 

Mon 19th Feb - Back to School

Thurs 28th Mar - Break up for Easter

Mon 15th Apr - Back to School

Mon 29th Apr - Year 4 PGL Residential

Mon 6th May -**May Day Bank Holiday** 

Fri 24th May -**Break up for May Half** 

Term

Mon 3rd Jun -**Back to school** 

Mon 24th Jun -**Development Day** 

Thur 25th Jul -**Last Day of School** 

Fri 26th Jul -**Development Day** 

#### **Future Dates**

Weds 27th Nov - Development Day

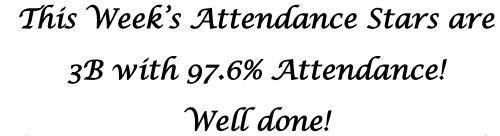
#### School Meals

School dinners are provided by Chartwells. The cost is £2.75 per day.

> The Autumn/Winter Menu W/C 15/01 Menu Week 1

The reason for not allowing hooded sweatshirts is purely one regarding health and safety. We find that when pupils wear hoods and they are playing invasion games or any other type of competitive games, they will use the hoods to grab and pull each other about which leads to many pupils becoming upset and hurt.

Many parents may have bought hooded sweatshirts following this guidance so as a compromise for this not being clear, we will allow any existing hooded sweatshirts until the end of this academic year but as the pupils grow out of them/they need replacing to be replaced with non-hooded sweatshirts.







# School Attendance

Class	This Week
RA	95.2%
RB	94.6%
1A	95.5%
1/2A	91.7%
2A	92.3%
3A	95.7%
3B	97.6%
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4B	92.5%
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6A	94.5%
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#### **School Start Times:**

Doors open at **8.30am** and register is taken promptly at **8.40am**.

It is essential children are in time for registration and ready to start the day in a timely manner.

School ends at 3.10pm—please arrive promptly to collect.



<u>Minutes Late</u> - The number of late arrivals after the register closed this week has meant that <u>216 minutes</u> of learning have been lost! This is far too high! Please remember school starts at 8.40 promptly.

Whole School Attendance: 94%

Target: 96%

Please remember to call or email school on 563372 or admin@haylands.iow.sch.uk by 9.00am if your child is absent AND follow this up with a letter.

If you email in this will count as your absence note so no need to follow up.

Regular meetings are held with the Education and Inclusion Assistant who monitors attendance.

If a letter is not received the absence will remain unauthorised.

## Isle of Wight School Terms And Holidays 2023 – 2024

Determined programme of school term and holiday dates for county and controlled schools for the academic year 2023/24

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# Autumn Winter School Dinner Menu



	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY
SPECIALS	Cheese and Tomato Pizza	Pork Sausages Served with Mashed Potato and Gravy	<b>Roast Pork</b> Served with Roast Potatoes and Gravy	Chicken and Vegetable Korma :  Served with Wholegrain Rice	<b>Breaded Fish Fingers</b> Served with Chips
HOT SP	Chilli No Carne with Crispy Tortilla	Cauliflower Macaroni Cheese	Sweet Potato and Chickpea Roast	Vegetarian Cottage Pie 🥪 🤫	Crispy Quorn Nuggets   Served with Chips
POTATO	<b>Jacket Potatoes  ② ③</b> with a choice of hot and cold fillings	<b>Jacket Potatoes  ② ③</b> with a choice of hot and cold fillings	<b>Jacket Potatoes  ② ③</b> with a choice of hot and cold fillings	Jacket Potatoes → ③ with a choice of hot and cold fillings	<b>Jacket Potatoes  ② ③</b> with a choice of hot and cold fillings
		Tomato Pasta Fresh, I	nomemade tomato and basil sauce with pen	ne pasta 🔻 🥸	
		All main	meals are served with two vegetable	es	
DESSERT	Magic Apple and Cinnamon Bake à	Strawberry Jelly	Orange Shortbread with Fruit Slice	Banana and Carrot Cake &	Chocolate Ice Cream with Shortbread Biscuit



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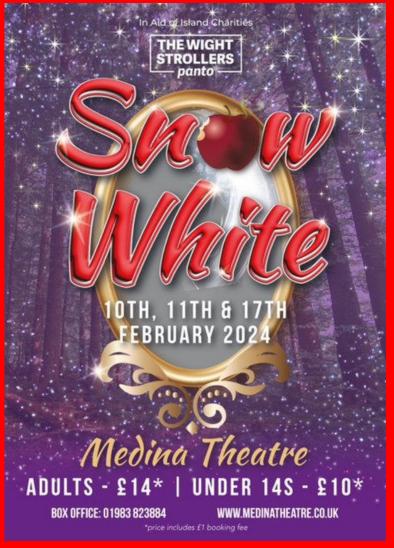
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## Age Restrictions on Social Media

It is against the law to be on social media sites under the age of 13!

The COPPA law or Children's Online Privacy Protection Act states that any organisations or people operating online services (including social media services) are not allowed to collect the personal information of anyone under the age of 13 without parental permission.



Facebook, Instagram, Twitter and Snapchat all require users to be at least 13 years old before they can create an account.



Creating a Facebook account with false information is a violation of Facebook's terms, including accounts registered for someone under 13.



The minimum age for WhatsApp is 16 years old. YouTube requires account holders to be aged 18 years and over.

#### Apps

Apps can be a positive place for young people to socialise with peers. Many enable instant messaging, social networking and image sharing

Some, like YouTube, can also be a great creative outlet. But

- · Privacy settings and age relevance
- Talking to them about the content they share
- Discussing the consequences of sharing messages and images.

saferinternet.org.uk/advice-centre/social-media-guides

swefl.org.uk/online-safety-resources Internet Matters:

natters.org/advice/apps-guide



#### Instant Messaging

Instant Messaging is a great way to socialise and keep up to date with what's going on right now. However there is a risk of unsolicited contact. If your child is using messenger services you

- · Look at the privacy settings
- Ensure they understand that they may be talking to people they don't know and the risks this brings
- · Talk to them about what is and isn't appropriate to send.

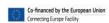
ceop.police.uk/safety-centre Connect Safely: connectsafely.org/guides-3/





Pick up a copy of this checklist along with other Online Safety materials at swgflstore.com

We are a not-for-profit charitable trust providing schools with fast reliable internet connectivity and services, learning technologies to improve outcomes, and toolkits for being safer online. We are also coordinators of the UK Safer Internet Centre. Find out more at swgfl.org.uk





## Online Safety Guidance for Parents



Online spaces, games and media form a large part of life for young people growing up today. They offer platforms to connect wi others and to learn.

Of course there are risks associated with being online, as there are with all aspects of life. These include:

- Exposure to inappropriate content
   Sharing too much personal information
   Connecting with harmful people and
- · Spending unhealthy amounts of time online.

One of the best ways to help young people stay safe online is to talk to them about what they do.

If you understand the situations they encounter you'll be better placed to offer them advice on how to deal with them.

UK Safer Internet Centre advice centre for parents and carers: UK saler internet Centre advice centre for parents and care saferinternet copy. Waldvice-centre/parents and care South West Grid for Learning: swgfl.org.uk/magazine Vodafone Digital Parenting: vodafonedigitalparenting co.uk London School of Economics Parenting for a Digital Future: blogs.lse.ac.uk/parenting4digitalfuture/

#### Gaming

Gaming is fun but be aware that it can be all consuming. Some things to consider:

- Use the gaming consoles' safety settings
- Agree with your child how much time they can spend playing online
   Pay attention to the PEGI (age) ratings and what they mean · Remember that some online games have inbuilt
- Be aware that your child might use servers or 3rd party applications to access interactive online communities.

UK Safer Internet Centre guides:

PEGI:

Common Sense Media:

Ask About Games: askaboutgames.com

#### Bullying

Remember, it's not the technology that's the problem, it's the bullies' behaviour. Support young people by:

- Talking about bullving issues
- · Making sure young people know that they can turn to you
- for support Reporting any incidents it will help your child and others too.

UK Safer Internet Centre tips: saferinternet.org.uk/cyberbullying-tips

Anti Bullving Alliance:

ENABLE Anti-bullying Programme:

http://bit.ly/23SHU3Q

cybersmile.org/advice-help/category/advice-p



#### Live Streaming

Broadcasting online brings an instant thrill that can be addictive. Encourage young people to think about:

· Body image - talk to them about how they want to be perceived

online and who their audience might be

• Privacy - how do they protect it? You can't edit something that is going out "live"

· Age appropriate - is the site they're using appropriate for them? Most social media sites are aimed at 13 year olds and rds. If not, is there a way to make it safer for them (e.g.

SWGfL body image blog: swgfl.org.uk/magazine/bodyimage

tmatters.org/parental-controls/entertainment

YouTube Kids Parental Guide:

