



Hillshott Infant School & Nursery

Whole School Newsletter

27th February 2026 - Newsletter 21 of 2025-26

Attendance (week ending 13/02/26)

School 92.6% (96% target) / Lates 2.2%

Class	Attendance %	Lates %
Robins	97.5%	1.3%
Kingfishers	97.5%	5.7%
Swifts	95.4%	1.3%
Falcons	93.9%	0.3%
Barn Owls	92%	0.6%
Kestrels	87.6%	2.3%

This Week's Learning

It was our first Welcome Wednesday in Nursery and Family Friday for Swifts Class this week.

Thank you to all the families who came along. **Nursery** children read 'The Gingerbread Man' and enjoyed acting out the story. They built an obstacle course to solve the problem of crossing the river in the story.

Reception children read 'The Three Billy Goats Gruff' and used their construction materials to build a bridge for the troll in the story. They also drew and painted pictures of the troll.

Class Assembly

Robins Class look forward to seeing their families at their Class Assembly on Wednesday. The assembly takes place at 9am in the school hall where two family members per child are invited to join us.

Family Consultations

It was great to see the Family Consultation evenings so well attended this week. We hope you found the sessions helpful and informative.

World Book Day

Next Thursday is World Book Day – please see original letter for a reminder of this year's theme [Hillshott Infant School and Nursery - Letters for Families](#)

Nursery Admissions September 2026

The deadline for Nursery admissions is this Monday 2nd March. Please see the admissions page of our school website for details of our Nursery offer including the application form [Hillshott Infant School and Nursery - Admissions](#) Paper copies of the application form are also available from the school office.

FoH Valentines Bake Sale

Thank you to everyone who supported the Valentine's Bake Sale before half term, whether you baked or came along to buy. Together we raised an amazing £147.30.

Staffing Update

Welcome to Miss Fitch who started as our new lunchtime Play Leader this week.

Diary Dates

4 th March	Robins Class Assembly – 9am School Hall
5 th March	World Book Day
11 th March	Swifts Class Assembly – 9am School Hall
20 th March	Comic Relief Casual Day / KS1 Dodge Ball workshops – more details to follow
25 th March	Year 1 Mediaeval Castle Workshop – more details to follow
27 th March	End of Spring Term early close (Nursery 11.30am / School 1.45pm)
30 th March – 10 th April	Easter Break



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