



Hillshott Infant School & Nursery

Whole School Newsletter

8th May 2026 - Newsletter 29 of 2025-26

Attendance (week ending 01/05/26)

School 94.7% (96% target) / Lates 1.1%

Class	Attendance %	Lates %
Kestrels	96.2%	1.7%
Robins	95.6%	0%
Falcons	95.1%	0.3%
Swifts	95.1%	0.7%
Barn Owls	95%	0.6%
Kingfishers	92.7%	1.7%

This Week's Learning

Year 1 children have learned about opposites and used them in sentences. In Maths they learned about 'twice as many' and linked it to last week's multiplication learning.

Year 2 children read 'Rosie Revere Engineer', created their own invention and wrote an explanation of how to use it. In Maths children learned how to count in halves. In Art they learned about the zoom function on a camera to photograph a small world scene.

Class Assembly

Barn Owls thank their families for attending their class assembly this week.

Chorus of Kindness

Next week children will be taking part in the sponsored sing-a-thon arranged by the Friends of Hillshott. The deadline for sponsorship money is Wednesday 20th May via the school office. Please place money in a named envelope and remember to include the completed sponsorship form so FoH can claim Gift Aid.

Key Stage 1 Trip Payment

The deadline for making payment for the Key Stage 1 trip is 15th May. Please speak to the school office if you are unable to make the deadline. See original letters for full details [Hillshott Infant School and Nursery - Letters for Families](#)

Diary Dates

15 th May	FoH Chorus of Kindness Sponsored Sing-a-thon – see above
20 th May	Nursery Class Assembly 9am School Hall
22 nd May	INSET Day - no school for children
25 th – 29 th May	May half term break
3 rd June	Class Photos
6 th June	FoH Summer Fair 11am to 2pm
8 th June	Year 1 Phonics Check Screening week
26 th June	Key Stage 1 Trip to Herrings Green Activity Farm
w/c 29 th June	Year 2 Swimming – more details to follow
2 nd July	EYFS Trip to Shepreth Wildlife Park
6 th July	Open Classroom 4 to 6pm
7 th July	Key Stage 1 Sports Day during morning – more details to follow
9 th July	Transition Day
16 th July	EYFS Sports Day during morning – more details to follow



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