



Hillshott Infant School & Nursery

Whole School Newsletter

17th July 2026 - Newsletter 37

Attendance (week ending 10/07/26)

School 93.2% (96% target) / Lates 1.5%

Class	Attendance %	Lates %
Robins	97.5%	1.4%
Falcons	96.6%	0.3%
Barn Owls	93.5%	1.3%
Kingfishers	91.4%	2.1%
Kestrels	91.3%	2.4%
Swifts	89.2%	0.7%

Transition Activities

Thank you for your support with the Open Classrooms, Sports Days and Transition Day. These are all very important activities in ensuring children feel ready for the next steps along their learning journeys.

Teachers for September

The following teaching structure is in place for September:

- Nursery - Miss Warmoth
- Robins - Mr O'Halloran
- Swifts - Mrs Mountney
- Barn Owls - Miss Ireland
- Kingfishers - Mrs Hawkins
- Falcons - Miss Issimdar and Mrs Northern
- Kestrels - Mrs Pring

Mrs Turner and Mrs Lalite will cover teacher's planning preparation time.

Arbor Update Reminder

Please take time to review your personal data on the Arbor Parent Portal in readiness for September ensuring:

- there are **at least three adults** we can contact in case of an emergency
- correct information for all adults (aged 18 and over) authorised to collect your child.

Family Questionnaire

Please see attached summary of the recent Family Questionnaire. Thanks to everyone who responded.

End of Term Reminders

We close early for the end of term on Tuesday. Children can wear party clothes instead of their uniform. Please no dressing-up clothes, costumes or wheelie shoes.

Nursery children to be collected at 11.30am and school children at 1.45pm please.

And finally...

This is the last newsletter of the academic year. This term we enjoyed lots of learning and school trips. We also celebrated One World Week, Hillshott Goes Green Week with the sponsored litter pick and we enjoyed another successful School Fair.

Goodbye and good luck to all the children and staff moving on. We will see everyone else on Tuesday 2nd September for the start of the Autumn Term.

Diary Dates

21st July	Last day of term early close (Casual Day) - Nursery 11.30am / School 1.45pm
1st September	INSET Day – No school for children
2nd September	Start of the Autumn Term 2026

For 2026/27 Term Dates including INSETs please visit the calendar on the school website



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