

NEWSLETTER

21st November 2025

A Message From Mrs Weir



Our Partnership for Inclusion of Neurodiversity in Schools coffee afternoon on Tuesday was a great opportunity to hear more about the PINS project. We will be running this project in school over the upcoming months which focuses on bringing together teams from health, education and parents to share knowledge and learn more about what being neurodivergent means. **Nurturing** our children in school, whether neurodivergent or neurotypical is one of our values– we want every child to thrive!

Hedgehog enjoyed their art workshop on Wednesday, enjoying being creative with their adults. Thank you to all the parents who were able to join us.

You may have spotted Larissa, our student social worker, around school over the last few months. She has been reading with children, spending time in classes and running our coffee and catch up sessions. If you need help with filling in forms or would just like a chat with a friendly listening ear, Larissa is more than happy to help. You can contact Larissa via the school office.

As the weather turns colder, we ask that you ensure your child comes to school with the appropriate equipment and a warm coat. If your child has lost a jumper or a coat, please do ask at the office as we do have some things in our lost property.

We also ask that you ensure your child does not bring toys into school. We have had a number of children bringing items in from home which are distracting them from their learning and not needed in school.

Mrs Weir



Coming up at Howard

Wednesday 26th November – Key Stage 2 Pantomime trip

Monday 1st December– Early Years and Key Stage 1 Christmas workshop trip

Headteacher Awards



I am pleased to announced the following pupils have received a Headteacher award. Congratulations!

Leona J

Myrah C

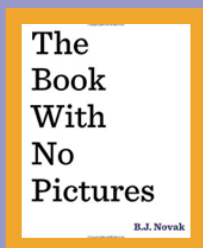
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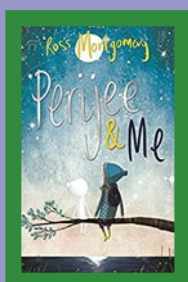
Olivia W

Looking for a good read?



The Book With No Pictures

B.J. Novak



Periwee and Me

Ross Montgomery



Alice's Adventures in Wonderland

Lewis Carroll

Star of the Week

Mrs Clifford for her welcoming smile, endless patience and organisation.



Attendance

This week average attendance was 92.2%. It has been lovely to see you all. The government expectation is that children are in school for at least 96% of the school year to help them learn. Do let us know if we can help in any way.

Please note that we are unable to authorise term time holidays according to government guidelines and penalty fines apply.

SEND News from Ms Whiting

This week I would like to inform you of a useful parent workshop run by SENDIASS. It is about supporting children and young people to manage their emotions. It is held on 3rd December online @ 10- 11.30. Please use the link below to book your place.

Supporting children and young people to manage their emotions - Suffolk SENDIASS

I hope you find this useful.



How to Contact Us

If you need help with advice on how to get online, resources to help your child learn at home or any other support we are here to help. Please speak to a member of staff or phone the school office on 01284 766278. Class teachers can be contacted via class emails e.g. otter@howardprimary.org for Otter class.

Dates for your diary

24.11.25 Year 2 to Skills Escalator day

26.11.25 KS2 Pantomime visit

1.12.25 KS1 Christmas Through the Keyhole workshops

1.12.25 Ladybird art/ DT workshop

3.12.25 Owl art/ DT workshop

12.12.25 PTA Christmas Fair

Howard is fabulous!



Keep up to date with news about our learning in school, events and activities as they happen, and some useful links for activities to complete at home, by following us on our social media page:



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