



Hassocks Infant School

NEWSLETTER NO.7 – July 2026



Dear Parents and Carers

Thank you to all of you for your continued support throughout another busy and successful year at the school. The summer holiday is almost here and we break up on Wednesday 22nd July. Just a reminder that children return to school on Wednesday 2nd September. School is closed on Tuesday 1st September as this is an INSET day.

We do hope that you all have a wonderful summer break and we look forward to seeing many of you when we return. We would like to wish our Year 2 families lots of success for the future – you will all be missed.

Medication held in school

Please be reminded to collect your child/ren's medication at pick up on the last day of term.

On returning to school on the 2nd September please come to the school office with any necessary medication and complete the required forms. It is parent's responsibility to ensure medication and permissions are in place for their child. Thank you.

Lost Property

There is a huge amount of un-named lost property available to help yourselves to. Anything left on Wednesday 22nd will be taken to a charity shop or disposed of.

Please do take a few moments to check the tables outside the school office. Any named items should make their way back to you.



Football World Cup

Pupils in year one & two drew pictures and wrote messages of support to the England team ahead of the start of the World Cup back in June.

These messages travelled all the way to the USA and were displayed at the England team's training camp.

In these photos you can see some of the squad reading the messages from Hassocks before they left for the Mexico match. Isn't it great to think that our messages may have inspired them all the way to the World Cup semi-final?

Can you spot your picture?



Hassocks Infant School – School Uniform

School sweatshirts and book bags with the school bell logo on can be purchased from the school office. Sweatshirts are £9.50 and book bags are £7.50 (choice of burgundy, green or blue).

All other uniform can be brought from Supermarkets or the high street.

Please ensure that all articles of clothing are **clearly labelled with your child's name.**

Option 1

- Grey pinafore dress, skirt or trousers
- Burgundy school sweatshirt or cardigan
- White blouse or polo shirt
- Pink/white or red/white checked/striped summer dress



Option 2

- White shirt or polo shirt
- Grey or black trousers (long or short)
- Burgundy school sweatshirt or pullover

Reception Children

The children in reception are welcome to wear burgundy, grey or black jogging trousers if they wish. Some children find them easier when running to the toilet at the last minute! They are also outside daily, on bicycles and in and out of the sand pit.

Shoes

Children are advised to wear sensible, **closed toe** shoes only, as they spend time outside climbing etc. NO boots or sandals.

Jumpers and Cardigans

These should only be burgundy, No red or pink please

Physical Education

- Black PE shorts or leggings/jogging bottoms
- White T-shirt
 - Plimsolls or trainers - slip on / Velcro style please.

Please note that Reception children will not require plimsolls or trainers until the Summer term. You will be notified when they are needed.

Children are asked to bring their own sun hat during the summer months and a warm, waterproof coat, gloves and hat in the winter. Please ensure these are all clearly labelled.

Watches

Watches are a great way to help children to learn to tell the time. However, smart watches and similar devices such as Fit-Bits are a real distraction in the classroom. If your child has a smart watch or Fit Bit, please do not send this into school.

If you are sending your child to school with a watch, we ask parents to ensure:

- That this is an analogue watch with hands – these are used when children begin learning to tell the time
- Watches are not smart watches or similar
- The value of watches does not exceed £15

Please be aware that if your child does have a watch in school then it is their responsibility to keep this safe. We cannot be held responsible for any watches which are lost or damaged.