

What's Going on in School

Item	Classes	Times / Deadlines	Any other Information
Parent Teacher Consultations	All Years	Monday 30th October	Book via Arbor
Cultures and Celebrations Questionnaire	All Years	n/a	<u>Form Link -</u> - https://forms.gle/AKGdPgiFdH6t6YDb7
Festive Jumpers / Second Hand Uniform	All Years	After half term	Items to the school office
Poppy Appeal	All Years	1st to 10th November	Cash only
P.S.H.E. Coffee Morning	All Years	3rd November	<u>Form Link -</u> https://forms.gle/hRxxg8fR4w5GiAQax7
Puppet Project Volunteers	Year 5	20th, 27th November and 4th December	<u>Form Link -</u> https://forms.gle/aeNujMs1trLcqviFA
Swimming Payments	Year 4	n/a	Payments via Arbor
Secondary school applications	Year 6	Tuesday 31st October	<u>Hertfordshire School Admissions</u>
School lunch bookings	All Years	Saturday 28th October	https://innovate2020.cashlesschool.co.uk/



Autumn Term Parent Teacher Consultations



Please remember to book your appointment! Bookings will close on **Monday 30th October at 12pm.**

Bookings are made via Arbor and full instructions can be found [here](#)

Cultures and Celebrations

Dear Parents,

In an effort to expand our understanding of the cultural makeup of our community, we would like for each family to complete the below Google Form by Friday 3rd November 2023. This will allow us to gain a greater understanding of the diverse cultures and faiths within our school, and enrich the children's cultural capital.

Kind regards,

Mrs Durrant-Patel and Mr Harper

Cultures and Celebrations Questionnaire



Festive Jumpers and Second Hand Uniform

Next half term we will be organising a second hand uniform sale and Festive jumper swap, so if you're planning a half term clear out please put aside any festive jumpers or Hartsbourne sweatshirts and cardigans that your children have grown out of.

If you do have any that you're happy to donate then please drop them to the school office after half term.

The poster features a bright yellow background decorated with several stylized red poppies. Each poppy has a black center with a small green dot. The text is presented in white, bold, sans-serif font within green rounded rectangular boxes. The top box contains the title, and the larger middle box contains the dates and details of the event. The bottom box provides a reminder about the payment method.

Poppy Appeal

**Wednesday 1st November
- Friday 10th November**

**Year 6 will be selling poppies
and assorted poppy
merchandise on the KS1
playground (by the wooden
boat) every day at school pick
up time on the above dates.**

**Just a reminder it is CASH ONLY
for the poppy appeal.**



P.S.H.E. Coffee Morning

Following on from feedback from our recent PSHE consultation, we would like to invite you to a coffee morning on **Friday 3rd November at 9.00am**. We will be talking about how we teach PSHE at Hartsbourne including the Relationships and Sex education part of it. We are hoping that this session will help to give parents a clearer understanding of what your children will be learning and alleviate any concerns that you may have from media coverage of the RSHE curriculum.

If you would like to attend, please complete the Google Form so we have an idea of numbers.

[Form Link](#)



Class specific messages



Year 5 - Puppet Project Helpers

Year 5 are currently in the middle of creating their puppets for their puppet project that is taking place during the Autumn term for a performance in the Spring term. We would really appreciate any parent helpers who would be able to come into school to help the children with stitching from 1:15pm-3pm on the 20th November, 27th November and 4th December.

Please complete this form if you are able to volunteer.

<https://forms.gle/aMquorg7kZi4ETF7>

Year 4 - Swimming

Year 4 swimming starts again on the first day of term for group 2, so please remember to send them in with their swimming kits

Year 6 - Secondary School Application Deadline

Don't forget the deadline for submitting your child's secondary school application is **Tuesday 31st October**. All families need to submit an application even if they are planning on taking up their guaranteed place at Bushey Meads School.

Hertfordshire School Admissions