



Hollinswood Primary School and Nursery

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Dear Parents/Carers,

We have enjoyed sampling the different menu choices this week for National School Meals Week. We have had some great feedback from the children too – Subway Day was a hit! Thank you to Kathy and the Let's Dine team for making this week a success.

Telford Town Park Remembrance Parade

On **Sunday 13th November**, Mrs Tipton and our school choir will be participating in the Remembrance Service which will take place at The Memorial in the Telford Town Park. The parade will leave Southwater Square at 10.20am.

In Harmony Practise Tool

This is an online tool which all pupils can use to practise the music they are learning in their lessons/orchestra sessions at home. To access the website, click on the following link:

<http://inharmonyonline.org/users/login>

The username and password details are as follows:

- Username: Hollinswoodpupil** (all one word, capital H)
- Password: Musicisthekey!** (All one word, capital M)

Once logged in, the students can follow the links to their instrument family to access their class's music.

Attendance

Missing a few days of school here and there may not seem like a big deal, but research shows that it can have a significant impact on children's learning. At Hollinswood, our curriculum is sequential and progressive, which means learning builds up over time. Due to the amount of knowledge children are expected to know by the end of the year, work can be hard to catch up on which can then lead to gaps in children's knowledge.

We have introduced several incentives for good attendance and punctuality – watch this space for further information.

Every Friday, we will award trophies to the top three classes for attendance. This week, our top three are:

- **1st place – Base 14 (Mrs Jones)**
- **2nd place – Base 9 (Mr Sheppard)**
- **3rd place – Base 7 (Miss Thomas)**

Attendance mailbox

We do understand that there are times when your child is ill and needs to be absent from school. We follow up on any child who is absent so please let us know if your child is not going to be in. To make this easier, we have linked Mrs Gill and Mrs Hitchin to classes on ClassDojo so you can message them on there or you can ring or call in one of the offices **(01952 386920 or 386930)**.

Thank you for your continued support,

Mrs Osborne
Headteacher