



Hill Avenue Academy  
Empower and Entrust

1/2 Newsletter

26<sup>th</sup> June 2021



Welcome Back!

We would like to welcome back our wonderful children after Whit Week. We can see they have come back thoroughly rested having enjoyed some lovely weather!

As we come up to the final few weeks of Summer term, we want to ensure children have a half term to remember. They will be engrossed in some fantastic learning across the coming weeks which I'm sure they will enjoy! Children will be blasting off into a colony on the moon as part of our Skills Builder program as well as taking part in National Sports Week for their Sports Day.

We would like to wish all of our children all the best for this half term as we are sure they will continue to aim high and work incredibly hard to end the year positively. Finally, once again, thank you to all parents for your phenomenal support in supporting your children's learning this term.

**Mr Gibbons, Mr Harvey, Miss Nair, Mr Cartwright and Miss Chopra**

Weather

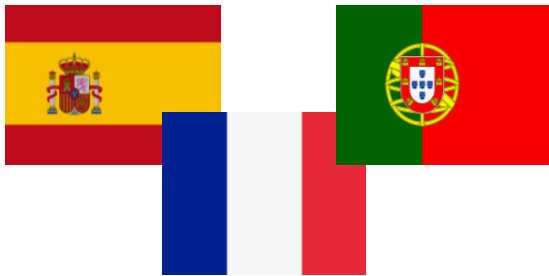
We would like to take this opportunity to thank all parents for ensuring children have come well prepared for the changes in weather these recent weeks. If we could ensure that we continue this for the second half of the term by ensuring children come into school with their own water bottles as well as applying sunscreen before coming into school (if necessary). Alongside this, please ensure children are wearing the correct P.E kit for the weather to ensure they remain comfortable whilst enjoying their sports learning.



National Sports Week

We would like to say a huge congratulations to all of our Year 1 and Year 2 children who took part in our Sports Day as a part of the National Sports Week. Our children demonstrated their incredible teamwork, perseverance and sportsmanship skills through a range of physical challenges. The children were incredibly supportive of each other and thoroughly enjoyed their participation within the events.

Furthermore, during the week our children chose and represented a country for their Sports Day during the National Sports Week. In KS1, 1N represented France, 1-2G represented Portugal and 2H represented Spain. Some of the children's learning across the week focused around these countries to build up to their Sports Day.



Learning at home

While we are thrilled that all of our children have now returned to school following the latest national lockdown, we would like to remind you that we are still providing opportunities for learning to continue at home beyond our school hours. This is provided through:



Phonics and Reading

In KS1, we are incredibly proud of all of our children who have worked hard on their phonics skills to support their reading this year. We teach phonics and reading each day and the children thoroughly enjoy reading and sharing their books in school with each other. We would like to encourage you to read with your children at home as much as possible to continue their love for reading and to develop their reading confidence further.

Useful Links

**School Website:**

<https://www.hillavenueacademy.com/children/home-learning-page-hill-avenue>

**YouTube:**

[https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCp1YU1\\_MXpxWdTytnsE40Wg](https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCp1YU1_MXpxWdTytnsE40Wg)

**MyOn:**

<https://www.myon.co.uk/index.html>

**EducationCity:**

<https://go.educationcity.com/>

**TT Rockstars:**

<https://ttrockstars.com/>

**Edshed:**

<https://www.edshed.com>