

# Hartford Primary School

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Dear Parents and Families

Firstly, an apology to Miss Thompson who missed her mention in last week's newsletter for passing her First Aid at work - Congratulations.

Secondly, you will have received a letter from Mrs Cade earlier this week regarding our response to the parental questionnaire - we have decided to share in more detail how we deal with bullying and how we deal with homophobia and racism. Please take time to read this carefully and please do not hesitate to contact class teachers or school leaders if you would like to discuss this in any more detail. Many thanks for your support so far, we have had some very positive comments from the children and from parents about our assemblies this week.

## **Bags2School**

The Bags2School bags have gone out in the children's bookbags and should be returned to school by 9.00am on Friday 19<sup>th</sup> May please.

## **Rainbow Flag Award**

Exciting news - we are one of only 200 schools who have been accepted on to a project working towards The Rainbow Flag Award! Our preliminary work towards this award has just begun and staff and Year 4 pupils will be busy completing surveys to find out how we are doing with tackling issues such as homophobic bullying.

As part of the Rainbow Flag Award, we will have a team of trained staff and governors which will enable us to further develop best practice across the curriculum and throughout the school building on our inclusive ethos.

You can find out more about the Rainbow Flat Award here: <https://www.theproudtrust.org/training-and-education/projects-for-schools/rainbow-flag-award/>

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**Readers of the week**

<u>EYJD</u> Harry L and Oscar H	<u>1SM</u> Alice O and Leo F	<u>2RB</u> Isabel L and Nathan Y	<u>3AP</u> Archie H and Melissa L	<u>4NS</u> Jessica H and Max M	<u>5MH</u> Rachel M and Amy A	<u>6CL</u> Tyler M and Holly C
<u>EYKR</u> Sophie M-L and Zara G	<u>1NC</u> Holly P and Olly W	<u>2SG</u> Noah B and Fin B	<u>3LM</u> Adam F and Oliver K	<u>4HR</u> Evelyn T and Lauren E	<u>5SH</u> Grace H and Amy G	<u>6MW</u> Last week: Hope J and James M This week: Libby P and Rebecca S

**Celebration Assembly**

It's Year 5 Celebration Assembly this week. Mrs Hartill and Mr Harris look forward to seeing you on Friday in the main hall at 2.45pm.

Just a reminder it is Bank Holiday weekend so we will see you back in school on Tuesday 2<sup>nd</sup> May, same day as the Fox Howl Residential parents meeting for Year 4 at 3.30pm. Children are also welcome to attend this meeting. I look forward to seeing you there.

Kind regards

Miss M Fairweather

Headteacher

*Respect, Aspiration, Responsibility and Pride*

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**AMENDMENTS TO SCHOOL RECORDS**

Child's Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Class: \_\_\_\_\_

Teacher: \_\_\_\_\_

Please amend details for my child as follows (e.g. phone number, address, contact details):

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