

# Hawkinge Primary School



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Dear Parents,

Welcome back to school!

First of all thank you to all parents who took part in our October Half Term homework project. Mrs Rand has received many, many photographs of children visiting various Triennial points around Folkestone - looking like they were having a great time. It was a perfect way to end our Triennial week. The photographs will be displayed on our Triennial notice board as you come into school next week - please look out for them. As you know on Wednesday evening we will be having our very own art exhibition at school, displaying the art work inspired by the visit to Folkestone Triennial. It will be open from 3pm until the end of parent's evening. [Please do pop in and have a look at all the wonderful art work.

Next week each morning before school some of our Year 6 pupils will be selling poppies and various items (poppy pins, bracelets etc) on behalf of the Poppy Appeal. Poppies are sold for a donation; all other items have a price of £1.

This week the PTFA have sent a text home to ask for donations of jam jars with lids, wine gift bags & toilet roll tubes. If you have any you can donate please pass them on to Mr O'Brien and I in the mornings.

I was thrilled to return to school after half term to receive a letter from the Director of Education - Patrick Leeson. I have copied it on to the reverse of the newsletter for you to read. I know that parents really do appreciate the good job the staff at Hawkinge Primary School do on a daily basis - many of you tell me that. It is however, nice to hear it from the 'big wigs' from County Hall too. As the weekend starts I would like to reiterate my thanks to all staff for all their hard work in making our school the special place it is.

Have a wonderful weekend, looking forwards to seeing you all at parents evening next week,

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