

Termly Newsletter

Keep up-to-date with the latest school news – Winter 2021/22



THROUGH THE KEYHOLE WITH PRIMARY 1

This term we dropped into the P1 classroom to find out what they have been getting up to over the last few weeks. Next term we will be catching up with P2.



P1 have loved learning all about the topic of 'Toys'. We looked at our favourite toys, sorted old and new toys and we also explored what different toys are made of. Earlier this term we brought our favourite toy into school and shared it with the class. In literacy, we have been focusing on the story of 'Kipper's Toy Box'. We painted and made clay models of the each of the characters.



We love learning outdoors in Primary 1! Our P1 explorers have been busy searching for creepy crawlies in our bug hotel. We have been learning about indoor and outdoor sounds and explored sounds using our outdoor music wall.

This term we have been exploring the season of Autumn. We went on an Autumn walk in our local area to see what signs of Autumn we could find. Unfortunately, we found no hedgehogs but we used leaves from our walk to make our own hedgehogs instead!



This term in ICT we have been learning how to use the iPads to take pictures. We went on a scavenger hunt around the school and took pictures of what we found.



Thank You!

Thank you for supporting the range of events that we have held over the past few weeks! Hopefully you enjoyed them as much as our pupils did! Don't forget to vote for our School Garden project (to begin January 2022) if you are shopping at Tesco (Ballymena, Antrim or Crumlin)!



SCHOOL COUNCIL

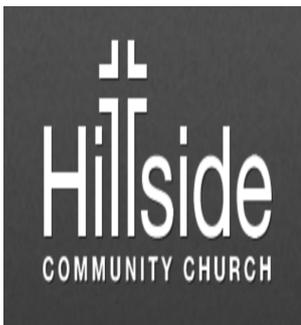
Congratulations to our School Council members for this year.

The School Council, led by Mrs Spence, are a very busy and dedicated group of pupils and they pride themselves on making a positive impact on our school.

They have already been busy this term and organized a very successful Children in Need fundraising day, raising over £150.



Hillside Time to Read Partnership



We are excited to be partnering again with Hillside Community Church for this term's 'Time to Read' reading partnership. Eight local volunteers from Hillside Church have very kindly given up part of their week to pair up and read with our older pupils.

SCHOOL DIARY DATES

- Last Day of Term:** Tues 21st December (12 noon finish)
- New Term Begins:** Wed 5th January 2022
- Dunclug PS Open Day:** Thurs 2nd December 2.30-6pm
please phone or email us to book a slot
- EA PI Admissions Portal Opens:** Mon 10th January noon
- EA PI Admissions Portal Closes:** Fri 28th January noon
- Half Term Break -** Mon 14th - Fri 18th February (inclusive)

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