

Weekly News

Friday 13th
February 2026

Please visit our website : www.haslett.org.uk

Attendance

Please be reminded that Attendance information including the Attendance Policy is available on the school website. We expect children to attend school every day. Should your child be too unwell to attend, you must report the absence every day before 9am.

Figures from week 9.2.26 to 13.2.26

Overall attendance: **96.62%** Best Class attendance: **Edison and Rutherford 100%**

February figures: Milton Keynes: **95.38%**, National: **93.15%**

YR	Y1	Y2	Y3	Y4	Y5	Y6
93.7%	99.6%	98.5%	93.6%	96.3%	93.1%	97%

Colour guide: **BLUE** – Exceptional 99%-100%, **DARK GREEN** – Strong 97-98.9%, **LIGHT GREEN** – Expected 96-96.9% **ORANGE** – Needs Attention 90-95.9% **RED** – Urgent Improvement needed Below 90%

100% Attendance



Last week's winner is Rahma from Winstanley class.

Well done Rahma!



Star of the Week for
'Super Presentation of Work'

PELTON: Chloe
ASTON: Oliver
EDISON: Sahasra
UPTON: Sofia
RUTHERFORD: Elisa
VOLTA: Frankee
CROWTHER: Hudson
MAYBACH: Anaya
MURREY: Amara
JOULES: Liam
MAYER: Gabi
WINSTANLEY: Ilsa
HAUKSBEE: Everly
PARSONS: Sidra


'Making Great Improvements'

UPTON: Luca

Numbots
Well done to Rutherford class!



TT Rockstars
Well done to Winstanley class!



Ramadan
If your child will be fasting during Ramadan, please inform the class teacher.

STEM Club

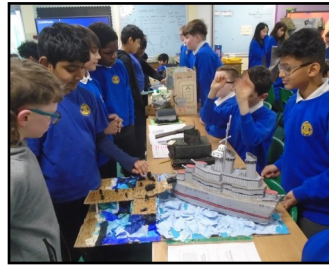
This half term in STEM club, the children will be taking part in a competition called "If you were an engineer what would you do." As part of the competition, the children were visited by inspiring engineers. Precious and Josh from Festo in Northampton told us about what they do, what inspired them to become engineers and discussed some of the projects they have been involved in. The children gained a greater understanding of engineering and its importance, as well as creating some inventions inspired by animals. Soon, we will be designing some ideas for the competition that will be judged by engineers.



School email address is — schooloffice@carolinehaslett.milton-keynes.sch.uk

Year 6 WWII Exhibition

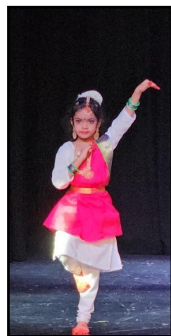
The week before half term, our Year 6 pupils proudly presented their WWII Homework Exhibition showcasing an impressive range of creative and thoughtful projects inspired by their learning during the half term. The children confidently shared their work with other pupils from across the school explaining their research and the effort that went into each piece. We were also delighted to have had such a fantastic turnout of parents after school. Thank you to everyone who came along to support the children - we are incredibly proud of their hard work and enthusiasm.



Pupil Achievement

Ainaakshi from Winstanley class and Ojashri from Edison class took part in a Bharatam-natayam Indian classical dance performance. They both got a participation prize.

Well done girls!



Milton Keynes City Council

Easter 2026 HAF Programme

Suitable for ages 8-14yrs
Must be accompanied by an adult

Lots of availability
7th - 10th April
SEND Friendly
Tours

Join us for some fun this Easter. Enjoy a Hazard Alley Tour, plus painting & games.

Please book online. <https://eequ.org/book/hazard-alley-interactive-kiln-farm-with-safety-centre-hazard-alley-ltd-16178>

Unit 18 Carters Lane, Kiln Farm, Milton Keynes MK11 3ES 01908 263009



Learning Behaviours

At Caroline Haslett Primary School, we have 8 characters that help us remember the skills of an effective learner in all of our lessons.

Next week's character will be Charlie the Co-operative Camel.

Encourage your child to practise the skills listed below and be like Charlie.

I listen to others.

I ask when I don't understand.

I am kind when I disagree.

I explain things to help others.



Year 5

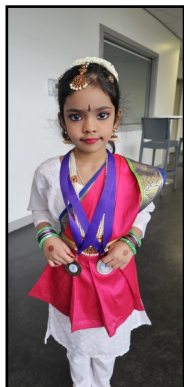
In DT, the children began by researching a range of curry recipes before designing their own. They applied their maths skills brilliantly, using ratio to upscale their ingredients, so they could cook for the whole class. The children practised key food preparation techniques such as chopping, slicing, peeling and grating, working carefully and safely to create a delicious vegetable curry. Served with naan and poppadoms, their finished dishes were thoroughly enjoyed! After tasting their creation, the pupils thoughtfully evaluated their work and suggested improvements they would make next time, showing a real understanding of the design process. Well done Year 5!



Pupil Achievement

Ojashri from Edison class recently took part in a classical dance performances at the Milton Keynes Festival of the Arts (Dance, Music and Drama category). She was awarded 2nd place with a medal for Group Dance Performance and achieved 4th place with a bronze medal in Bharatanatyam Solo Classical Dance.

Well done Ojashri!



Pupil Achievement

Ainaakshi from Winstanley class recently participated in the Young Minds Art Exhibition organised in support of YoungMinds charity, and she was awarded a medal.

Well done Ainaakshi!



Dates for the diary

School Tours

1st Tuesday of the month at 10.30am

World Book Day
Thursday 5th March

Movies & Munchies (Yr1-2)
Thursday 5th March

Year 1 Howe Park Visit
Tuesday 10th March
Wednesday 11th March

Movies & Munchies (Yr3-6)
Thursday 12th March

Red Nose Day
Friday 13th March

Year 2 Balance Bike
16th-19th March

Friends Bingo
Friday 20th March
(after school)

Last day of Spring Term
Friday 27th March
1pm finish

Easter Half Term
School Re-opens
Monday 13th April

Movies & Munchies (Y1-3)
Thursday 7th May

Movies & Munchies (Y3-6)
Thursday 21st May

School closes Friday 22nd
May Half Term

Inset Day
Monday 1st June

School re-opens
Tuesday 2nd June

School Disco
Wednesday 3rd June

Summer Fete
Friday 19th June

Sports Day
Friday 26th June

KS2 Production
Wednesday 1st July
Thursday 2nd July

Reserve Summer Fete Day
Friday 3rd July

Reserve Sports Day
Thursday 9th July

School closes
Friday 17th July at 1pm



Easter Playscheme!

Faraday will be open on...

Monday 30th March -

Friday 10th April 2026

(Closed Friday 3rd & Monday 6th April)

Wednesday 8th April -

Corina's cool kids disco - £8.00 extra.

Booking open's on;

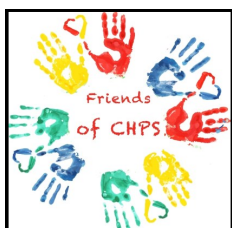
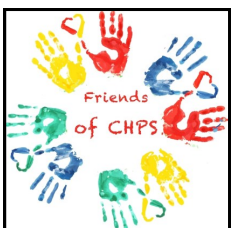
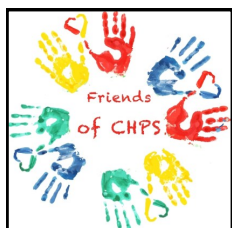
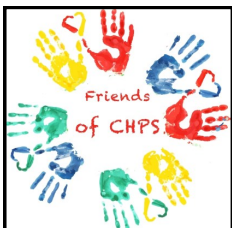
Monday 23rd February 2026

Caroline Haslett pupils

Monday 2nd March 2026

Non-Caroline Haslett pupils

Bookings can be made via email. We are unable to accept bookings over the phone. Bookings are not secure without payment.



WORLD BOOK DAY CLASS READING CHALLENGE

Get Reading for World Book Day, Raise Funds for our School and Win Prizes!

Dates: Friday 27th February to Thursday 5th March

Read as much as possible outside of lesson/homework time, while raising sponsorship money to support our school, and competing with the other classes to see which class can read for the most time. Which class will read for the most time and win the **Class Reading Challenge**?

Pupils can read anything they enjoy (books, comics, magazines, newspapers) at home, with family, or independently.

Sponsorship can be a fixed donation or based on reading time, and children will be asked to log how many minutes they spent reading and/or being read to each day.

★★★ PRIZES: ★★★

- **Class Prize:** A special PJs and Stories afternoon in the school library for the class that reads the most minutes across the whole school.
- **Top Reader:** £10 Waterstones Voucher for the pupil that reads the most minutes across the whole school.
- **Reading Star Certificate and small prize:** Awarded to one pupil per class based on effort and participation.
- **Participation certificates** for every pupil that returns their total minutes read log and any sponsorship raised.

Reading logs and sponsorship forms will be sent home after half term.

Thank you for all the orders we have had for our primroses.
The sale window has now closed.
For all those who placed orders, children will collect them on Friday 13th March to bring home.

Mother's Day Primrose Sale
Brought to you by Friends of CHPS

FRIENDS OF CHPS



**WHICH CLASS
WILL WIN THE
WORLD BOOK DAY
READING
CHALLENGE?**

**Friday 27th February
to Thursday 5th March**

The World Book Day Class Reading Challenge starts today (Friday 27th February).

Remember to keep track of the minutes you've spent reading and bring your reading log form to school on Friday 6th March.

Thank you to everyone who has already been raising sponsorship - you have made us very happy! No cash should be brought to school, all donations should be paid via JustGiving:
[justgiving.com/page/chps2026readingchallenge](https://www.justgiving.com/page/chps2026readingchallenge)

Friends of Caroline Haslett are hosting
Movies and Munchies
for Years 1 and 2
Thursday 5 March 3:15pm
£5

Tickets include:

- A drink (juice carton or water)
- A sandwich
- Popcorn or crisps

Tickets available from Monday 23 February until 1pm Monday 2 March.
Pick up from school reception at 5:30pm.

Friends of Caroline Haslett are hosting
Movies and Munchies
for Years 3 to 6
Thursday 12 March 3:15pm
£5

Tickets include:

- A drink (juice carton or water)
- A sandwich
- Popcorn or crisps

Tickets available from Monday 2 March until 1pm Monday 9 March:

Film choice outstanding - vote on Facebook!
Collection at 5:30pm from School Reception