

# Hillfields Nursery School Newsletter

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## Thank you for helping keep the nursery school COVID safe

Please remember: the COVID rules coming into nursery are still **VERY** important. This is currently staying in place for schools.

**Sanitise Hands**



**Wear a facemask**



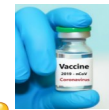
**Keep socially distanced**



**Get a test**



**Parents - when offered a vaccine - book a slot**



**90% of our staff are already vaccinated**



## Considerate Parking

We hope most children are walking to nursery school to support their activity levels. If you come from further away though and have to drive please be considerate where you park. There are roads and carparks in Hillfields without restrictions and that do not cause obstructions to our community

**It is illegal to park on Double yellow lines unless you hold a disabled parking permit.**

**It is prohibited to park with wheels on the pavement as it causes an obstruction.**



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## Attendance

This morning we achieved **97%** attendance



**Sadly** this should be normal but we are often well below this. Please support your child's early learning by striving to bring them every day that we are open. We understand that they have to build up their immune system and so often have illnesses that stop this but if it is just a cold we are well equipped to deal with runny noses!



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We are taking admissions for September 2021.

If you know of anyone ready to start nursery in September 2021 we are now accepting applications and have morning and afternoon places available for 2 year olds and 3 year olds.

## Staying all day in Orchard

Currently this is only available for children in Orchard.

There are 2 ways your child can have **full days in Orchard**.

### **1. 30 hour code:**

If you are a couple who both work or a single parent who works you can look online and see if you are entitled to a 30 hour code. This must be done before 31st August 2021.

<https://www.gov.uk/apply-30-hours-free-childcare>

If you already have a 30 hour code remember to **renew your code** before 31st August 2021.

As soon as you have the code Bring it into Sarah in the office so that we can confirm the 30 hour place.

### **2. Orchard Wraparound**

If you have a morning space you can buy one of our tickets for any lunchtime £3 (until 12.30 ) or afternoon session £10 (until 15.30)

Pay online and choose your days.

<https://hillfieldscoventry.co.uk/wraparoundevents/>

## Studybugs

Studybugs is our attendance and messaging app. Please sign up if you haven't already, it is easy to use and saves you waiting on the phone to report your child's absence.

