



## Hyde Park Infant School

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Dear Parents,

Your generous donations of food for the Plymouth Food Bank have been collected and are now being shared out to families in our community and more widely across the City who have an urgent need of food.

### Remembrance Day Poppies



Poppies are available from the school office for a donation of your choosing. If there are parents who are willing to stand in the playground next week 'selling' poppies before school and for 10 minutes before the end of school then please let me know. If I have some volunteers, then poppies will be available in the playground as well as from the school office. Thank you.

Next week the children will be learning about the significance of the poppy and about Remembrance in terms that are appropriate for their age group.

### Walk to the moon initiative

Thank you to all the children and parents who took part in the 'walk to the moon' initiative and logged their minutes of walking for 4 weeks. The collated minutes have been sent off and we will find out soon if we managed to collectively 'walk to the moon'.

### Trip payment

Please be advised that it is now time (on 5<sup>th</sup> November 2018) to pay for the school trips for your child via School Money. If you have already paid £25.00 in full there is no need to do any more. If you have paid £12.50 already then another £12.50 is due. If you have not yet paid anything, £25.00 is due. Please remember that we need all payments made so that teachers can plan for and book exciting trips and opportunities in the year ahead. Thank you.



Spots and Stripes Spectacular for Children in Need

Please see the attached information sheet about our Children in Need activities on 16<sup>th</sup> November with an easy spotty or stripy theme.

Improving Lives Plymouth

Our local 'Improving Lives' group is based at 156 Mannamead Road PL3 5QL where they have support for *Active for all, Caring for Carers, Long-term conditions self management and Veterans Care Navigation*. On 7<sup>th</sup> November 4.30-7.00pm there will be a free family fun session with hot dogs (vegetarian option available), snacks and sweets, hot and soft drinks, entertainment, face painting, craft tables and a raffle. All of our families are invited.

I hope that you all have a lovely weekend and if, you are celebrating with a bonfire or fireworks, can I please ask you all to KEEP SAFE.

I look forward to seeing many of you in school next week for parents' evening so please do stop me in the corridor or come and find me in my office if you would like to talk in more detail about your child and the provision we are making for him/her at school.



Yours sincerely,

*E.A. Hill*

Head Teacher



Hyde Park Infant School's  
**Spots and Stripes**  
**Spotacular**

Please join us in raising money for  
**Children in Need** on Friday 16<sup>th</sup> November 2018.  
We would like to invite you to dress up for the day  
in your favourite **spotty or stripy clothes** (or a  
combination of both) in exchange for a suggested  
donation of £1  
(or whatever you can afford)  
Thank you 😊

