



## RESPECT

At Hayward's, through Lucy (one of our Hayward's Heroes), we take steps to advance equality of opportunity, foster good relations and eliminate discrimination or harassment across all groups in the school community and beyond. If you ever feel worried or concerned that your freedom is being impacted by the actions of others, please reach out for support.

## WELCOME TO HAYWARD'S EYFS



The children have settled brilliantly into school life and are enjoying the many exciting activities happening in EYFS. Could we ask that all families in EYFS please ensure that their admission paperwork is sent into school as soon as possible and that all families double check photo permissions. Without permission, children are unable to have their photos in the newsletter. Many thanks for your support with this.

## SUSTAINABILITY ASSEMBLY CHALLENGES

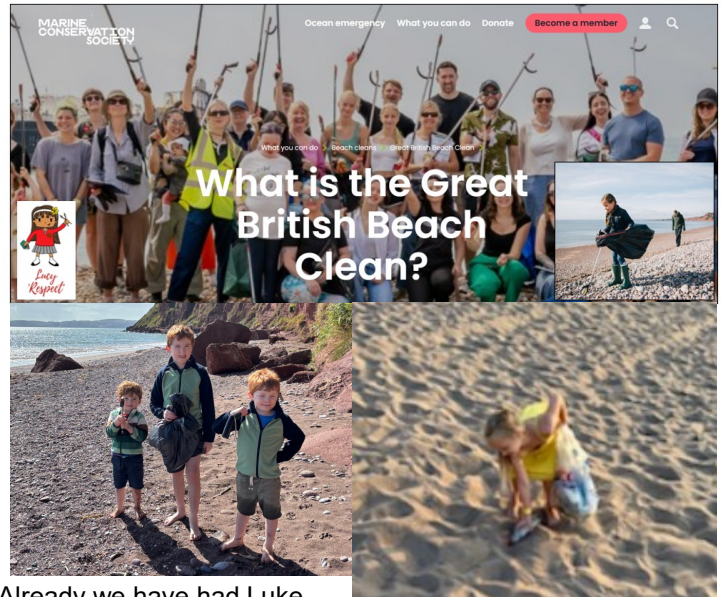
In assembly, we are learning about how to be more sustainable in our everyday lives. We have asked the children to consider taking on two challenges:

### CHALLENGE A—Undertake a beach clean.

This can be with your friends and family at any time over the next few weeks or can be in collaboration with the 'Great British Beach Clean' which holds organised events across the county. Please click [here](#) to find more details.

### Great British Beach Clean

Friday 19th - Sunday 28th September 2025



Already we have had Luke, Julian and Arthur carry out a beach clean at Ness Cove and Florence, whilst on holiday, deciding to do some litter picking too. What a brilliant effort from them all.

### CHALLENGE B —We will have a stall at the 'Big Green Fair in the Square' in late September. We are asking for children to:

- Create a poster encouraging others to act sustainably
- Create a poem about how wonderful the world is
- Create a collage of you doing amazing things for the planet
- Invent something to solve a sustainability problem
- Any other amazing and creative ideas you have to show what you know!



## MEET THE TEACHER PRESENTATIONS and KEY CURRICULUM DOCUMENTS

These have now been added to the Important Documents of the My Child at School App. This will be added to as the year progresses. An announcement will always be sent when a document is added to this section of the app.



## TEAM BUILDING IN YEAR 4



## SCIENCE IN YEAR 3



In Year 3 the children recreated the processes needed to make sedimentary and metamorphic rock using starbursts!

## OPAL DEN BUILDING



Today saw den-building, a skill that the children love to work on in Forest School lessons with Mrs Hext, introduced to our OPAL lunchtimes. It was brilliant to see their collaborative efforts and their problem solving skills in full evidence as they put together some amazing dens. Thanks to Miss Bolt's mum for providing this for the children.

## PICK N' MIX HOME LEARNING SHARING

Wednesday 22nd October and Wednesday 10th December

## PE SPORTS STAR



Well done to Kitty, Lilly, Alfie, Anabelle, Zarah and Ksawery who have all been recognised by Mr Kelly for having brilliant sporting values within their lessons. Well done!

## NEWTON ST. CYRES FOOTBALL



The Year 5 and Year 6 football team played their two games at Newton St.Cyres with enthusiasm and sportsmanship. A slow start led to the team being put under extended periods of pressures but eventually some good football was played and a goal was scored by Ollie Johnson. Sadly, that would be the only goal that we scored in the festival. Luke was awesome in goal, making some great saves showing lightning reflexes.

## POETRY ASSEMBLIES

We will be inviting you to our Poetry Assemblies again this year. The assemblies will be taking place in the hall and we will be asking that you arrive at school ready for a 3:05pm start. These were brilliant last year and it has been lovely watching the children perform so confidently.

**FRIDAY 24TH OCTOBER: YEAR 6**  
**FRIDAY 28TH NOVEMBER: YEAR 3**  
**FRIDAY 6TH FEBRUARY: YEAR 2**  
**FRIDAY 27TH MARCH: YEAR 5**  
**FRIDAY 22ND MAY: YEAR 4**  
**FRIDAY 3RD JULY: YEAR 1**  
**FRIDAY 10TH JULY: YEAR 2**

## KEY REMINDERS

Please ensure that coats and correct school uniform are worn each day



If you have not done so already, please register with My Child at School (MCAS). Without this app, you will not be able to access the key information sent out by school. If you need any support, please come and speak with Mrs Brett, our School Business Manager.

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**Wednesday 24 September**  
Barnfield Campus 6pm - 8pm  
Meet our students and staff and explore the school  
Scan the QR code to book your place at the Open Evening

**Campus Tours Available**  
23 - 24 September  
See the school at work  
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Applications for your child to start in year 7 at secondary school in September '26 open on 1 September 2025 and close on 31 October 2025. All applications are made via the Devon Portal and this can be accessed through here. [Apply online at the Citizens Portal.](#)

## HEADTEACHER AWARD



Well done to William for passing his latest martial arts grading, to Aurora and Mollie for some amazing writing—completed in their own time, to Florence for passing STANley 4 and 5 in quick succession, to Ronnie for passing STANley 3, to Dorian for swimming 100m, to Feebee for the hard work that she is putting into her writing, to Millie and Lillie-Rose for some incredible descriptive writing, to Amelia for passing Octopus 3, to Ivy for passing STANley 5, to Leo for some brilliant descriptive rhyming work, to Catherine for swimming 100m, to Tamsin for walking the total of 100 miles for charity, to Grace for showing a brilliant attitude towards her home-learning, to Evelyn for some amazing handwriting in English, to Katie for smashing her Accelerated Reader target already, to Sam and Zack for winning team player of the year awards for Crediton, to Elliot for getting a Copplesstone player of the week award and to Rory for demonstrating such a mature attitude to his English and Maths this year. Well done!

KEY DATES FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR	
<b>Tuesday 23rd and Wednesday 24th September</b>	QE Barnfield open days for tours (for Parents in current Year 5)
<b>Monday 29th September</b>	Introduction to the Mental Health Team @ 9:05am
<b>Wednesday 24th September</b>	QE Open Day Tours (for Parents in current Year 5)
<b>Monday 13th and Tuesday 14th October</b>	Jayne Poole Photography—pupil and sibling photographs
<b>Tuesday 21st and Thursday 23rd October</b>	Autumn Term Parents' Evening
<b>Saturday 29th November 2025</b>	Lights on ceremony in the square at 15.35pm (Y5 and Y6 choir performance)
<b>Wednesday 10th December 2025</b>	Christmas Dinner Days (Christmas Jumpers optional)
<b>Tuesday 16th December 2025</b>	Morning KS2 rehearsal at the Church (Y3 to Y6)
<b>Wednesday 17th December 2025</b>	KS2 Carol Service @ 2pm in the Church
<b>2nd-6th March 2026</b>	Grenville House Residential —Y6
<b>Weds 25th to Fri 27th March</b>	Great Potheridge Residential — Y4