



Hatton Hill Highlights..

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Dear Parents and Carers,

Class Charts is an exciting programme which enables us to communicate children's achievements in 'real time' with parents.

Parents at Hatton Hill are extremely supportive of the school and keen for their children to work hard and behave well. We know that working closely with parents gives children the very best chance of success. Class Charts develops this relationship by allowing us to securely share your child(ren)'s achievement and behaviour with you on a daily basis.

Teachers will reward work/behaviour after lessons. This will then pop up on your account in green, often with a little explanation saying what your child has done well. There is also a graph and pie-chart which will help you keep track of your child's behaviour week by week, and over the course of the year. In addition, points make prizes! At the end of each term our Class Charts Reward Store opens on your App so children can swap their points for prizes – this is always extremely popular. If your child is working exceptionally hard, you will also receive emails recognising their achievement.

We often receive feedback that children are reluctant to complete homework. To help motivate, parents can award points once per day for completing homework; learning spellings and times tables, practising phonics; and reading.

The system also allows us to tell you if your child has received a Broken Rule. The Broken Rule will show up in red. Broken Rules will only be awarded where necessary and once a teacher has exhausted our warning system. It is perfectly normal for children to make mistakes during childhood – that is how they learn - so if your child receives a Broken Rule, please use it positively by taking the time to talk to him/her about why the Broken Rule was received and what he/she will do differently next time. Your positive input will help ensure that your child does not repeat the behaviour. As per our policy, three Broken Rules in a day or five in a week will result in a letter, now via email. Broken Rules will be displayed with a negative symbol; however they do not take away any positive points. Once earned, positive points are the children's to keep and spend.

You will find a unique code stuck to the inside of your child's homework book. You will need to create an account and enter the code here:

<https://www.classcharts.com/parent/login>

Links to mobile apps are also available to parents from this page.

If you have more than one child in the school, you can enter additional codes once you have created an account and logged in. If you have any issues, please email school and we will resolve them as quickly as we can.

This system is designed to improve our communication with parents; to celebrate children's success and maintain our reward systems. Together, home and school forms a team around your child as we help them get the most from their primary education.

Thank you for your continued support.

Yours faithfully,

Mrs A James

Headteacher