

## Once Upon a Time August 4-8, 2025 Herts and Essex High School

## HBW newsletter May 2025

Holiday Bible Week is going ahead this year! We will be at the Herts and Essex High School from August 4<sup>th</sup> to 8<sup>th</sup>. The theme this year is 'Once Upon a Time' and we will base our stories and activities around some of the parables Jesus told.

Registration is still open. To date we have over 300 children registered (more than last year). But we still need more adult volunteers – on current numbers we can only guarantee places to 186 children.

We need about 12 more adult volunteers. There are spaces to help with most age groups. If you cannot commit to the full week, we would still appreciate if you could volunteer, particularly for the end of the week (Thursday / Friday).

We have a couple of very particular requests:

- A **female youth helper** to help with the young helpers (12-16s). This would not necessarily involve any planning, just being a member of our Youth team.
- Someone with a **paediatric first aid certificate**. This could either be in a dedicated First Aid / Reception role, or as a general volunteer that we can call on should the need arise.

If you can help as a volunteer, please register on our website: <a href="https://holidaybibleweek.co.uk">holidaybibleweek.co.uk</a>

If you want to know more about the other roles, please contact Hugh Scott (chair@holidaybibleweek.co.uk).

Please continue to pray for this event. Thank you for your support.

The HBW Team