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Dear Parent / Carer



### SATs week

As I am sure every parent / carer with a child in Y6 is aware, next week is SATs week. Children in Y6 will be completing their Standardised Assessment Tests over the week. Please make sure you support your child by being encouraging, ensure children are well rested (early nights) and have a good breakfast. The children and staff have worked really hard to prepare for this week and I hope that children feel ready.

### Power day

Last Friday, our school had a great time during Power Day, our annual school council fundraiser. The aim was to raise money for the school council to improve our outdoor reading area on the playground. It was brilliant to see the children showing off their powers! A huge thank you to everyone for your generous donations; your support really helps our school community.



### Fund raising

An amazing £1214 was raised from power day! Thank you so much to families who supported this. We also raised £577 from our Learn to Respect events and our general parent / carer donations are approximately £600. As I am sure you are aware, school finances are under considerable strain, but we want to maintain our provision to the best of our ability. All donations are greatly appreciated and every little bit helps. Please remember to contribute towards food technology ingredients as well, we are so fortunate to be able to offer this regularly and develop children's life skills.



### Fire drill

On Tuesday the school completed a fire evacuation practice. We have to have tight procedures in order to evacuate nearly 1200 children and adults out of the school building, and over all this went very well. Children understood the need to leave the building in a quick, but calm manner, and assembled well to be checked off against registers. It took approximately 5 minutes to have emptied the building. Thank you to staff for managing this so well.

### WhatsApp

Please remember that age restrictions for WhatsApp accounts are 13+. Primary aged children should not have their own WhatsApp accounts. From time to time, we do have issues arise with children because of WhatsApp chats and parents / carers have a responsibility to try to monitor children's access to online platforms. Please have a conversation with your child about what they use and ensure they are only accessing age-appropriate applications.





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**Free online parenting courses**

I am attaching flyers for free parenting online courses. As Year 6 children prepare to transition to secondary school, this can be a time of increased anxiety and tension at home. Changes like these often amplify stress for both children and their parents or carers, especially when there are co-parenting challenges or unresolved conflict.



To support families during this important time, we are offering **free access to our online SFSC: Stronger Relationships course** for all parents in Hounslow. This 6-week course is designed to help co-parents communicate better, reduce conflict, and create more emotionally stable home environments, which are critical for children's confidence and well-being.

**SFSC: Stronger Relationships**

For co-parents to reduce conflict and communicate better, whether living together or apart.

**Key features:**

- Evidence-based and inclusive – designed for parents of children aged 0–18
- Easy to access – short weekly self-study modules and live Zoom discussions
- Supportive – each parent is matched with an experienced facilitator and receives a digital manual
- Flexible – sessions available at various times, including evenings
- Confidential – no referral needed, and no information is shared

**These courses are particularly relevant for:**

- Year 6 families preparing for the move to secondary school
- Parents managing SEND, family stress, or co-parenting challenges
- Any parent looking for practical strategies to support their child's emotional and academic development



**Sports camp (repeated message)**

May half term multi-sport camp with Skillz4Life! Flyer with all the information included. To book a place for your child please click on the link below and then 'BOOK NOW'. You will need to create an account when booking for the first time.

<https://www.skillz4life-sportscoaching.co.uk/>



**Good partnerships (repeated message)**

To assist with good partnerships and make communication easier, we have the following email contacts for families to use. Please let staff know of things that are going well or alert them to any difficulty that you think we can help with. Please can I remind families they should not approach other parents / carers about any difficulties between children as this only results in making the matter worse. Please raise any worries with the school and we will liaise with others

if necessary. If another parent / carer approaches you, please do not respond but ask them to contact the school.

Contact emails are:

- For Nursery families: [nurseryteacher@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk](mailto:nurseryteacher@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk)
- For Reception families: [receptionteacher@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk](mailto:receptionteacher@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk)
- For Y1 families: [year1teacher@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk](mailto:year1teacher@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk)
- For Y2 families: [year2teacher@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk](mailto:year2teacher@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk)
- For Y3 families: [year3teacher@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk](mailto:year3teacher@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk)
- For Y4 families: [year4teacher@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk](mailto:year4teacher@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk)



# Summer Term

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- For Y5 families: [year5teacher@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk](mailto:year5teacher@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk)
- For Y6 families: [year6teacher@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk](mailto:year6teacher@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk)
- For Rainbow families: [rainbowteacher@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk](mailto:rainbowteacher@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk)
- For music: [music@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk](mailto:music@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk)
- For any password enquiries please go to: [passwords@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk](mailto:passwords@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk)

Miss Laura Khalil  
Headteacher

### Useful dates

Term dates 2024 – 2025	Curriculum events
<p><b>Summer Term</b>            First day of term      Tues 22<sup>nd</sup> Apr  <b>May bank holiday</b>      <b>Mon 5<sup>th</sup> May</b>  <b>INSET</b>                      <b>Fri 23<sup>rd</sup> May</b>            HALF TERM              Mon 26<sup>th</sup> May – Fri 30<sup>th</sup> May            Last day of term        Tues 22<sup>nd</sup> July <b>(2pm finish)</b></p>	<p><b>PSA / Other</b>            I hope you know we would like parents / carers to come forward to participate on the PSA. If you think you would be willing to get involved please contact the committee on either of the emails below. Thank you!  <a href="mailto:psa@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk">psa@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk</a>   <a href="mailto:hounslowtown.psa@outlook.com">hounslowtown.psa@outlook.com</a></p>
<p><b>Term dates 2025 – 2026</b></p> <p><b>Autumn Term 2025</b>  <b>INSET</b>                      <b>1<sup>st</sup> &amp; 2<sup>nd</sup> Sept 2025</b>            First day of term        Wed 3<sup>rd</sup> Sept 2025            HALF TERM –            Mon 27<sup>th</sup> Oct to Fri 31<sup>st</sup> Oct            Last day of term        Fri 19<sup>th</sup> Dec <b>(2pm finish)</b></p> <p><b>Spring Term 2026</b>  <b>INSET Day</b>                <b>Mon 5<sup>th</sup> Jan 2026</b>            First day of term        Tues 6<sup>th</sup> Jan 2026            HALF TERM              Mon 16<sup>th</sup> Feb - Fri 20<sup>th</sup> Feb            Last day of term        Fri 27<sup>th</sup> Mar <b>(2pm finish)</b></p> <p><b>Summer Term 2026</b>            First day of term        Mon 13<sup>th</sup> Apr 2026  <b>INSET</b>                      <b>Friday 22<sup>nd</sup> May 2026</b>            HALF TERM              Mon 25<sup>th</sup> May - Fri 29<sup>th</sup> May            Last day of term        Fri 17<sup>th</sup> July <b>(2pm finish)</b>  <b>INSET</b>                      <b>Mon 20<sup>th</sup> July 2026</b></p>	