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Dear Parent / Carer

Welcome back! I hope everyone had an enjoyable holiday.

Learn to Respect

This week we have celebrated our annual Learning to Respect Week! The children have been busy learning about what 'respect' means, where and how we should show respect and who we should respect, including ourselves. For our craft activity this year, the children are creating their own tiles with their faces to be put together to make a display in the school. Some classes have already completed this, with the help of some of the parents (see 3 Cherry's tiles below for an example!). To finish the week, we have had 'Feel-Good Friday' where children have worn their comfy, 'feel-good' clothes and kindly made a donation towards funds for the school – thank you for your support! Well done to Mrs McKeon for co-ordinating this week, a lovely start back after the holiday.



Parents invited in next week to create file:

Date:	Year Group:	Time:
Monday 28 th April	Year 6	2:00pm – 3:00pm
Tuesday 29 th April	Year 1	2:00pm – 3:00pm
Wednesday 30 th April	Year 2	2:00pm – 3:00pm
Friday 2 nd May	Year 5	9:00am – 10:00am
Friday 2 nd May	Nursery (am)	10:15am – 11:15am
	Nursery (pm)	2:15pm-3:15pm



Enthusiastic Singers Needed!

Children in Years 4, 5 and 6 are invited to join the Friday lunchtime choir in the music room, 12:45pm. We are rehearsing for a summer concert in school on 10th July. Choir is free this term and children don't need to have taken part in Young Voices, but they do need to come to rehearsals every week! If your child is interested, please let Mrs Millet know by email: music@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk



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Archery workshop

Today, the children in 3 Crimson were incredibly fortunate to take part in a Soft Archery workshop led by Coach Michal. They had the chance to learn how to safely and correctly handle a bow and arrow, building both confidence and new skills. The session continued with a range of fun and engaging team games, giving the children an opportunity to practise their aim and develop accurate shooting techniques. It was a thoroughly enjoyable experience, and the children had an amazing time throughout.



Coach Michal will be continuing to deliver this exciting workshop to all our KS2 children over the course of the term.



Playleader training

Today, the whole of 5 Marine undertook their play leader training and for the next 4 weeks they will be supporting younger children with a range of games and activities at lunch times. After they have completed their 4 weeks, every child will receive a personalised certificate. Good luck on this exciting adventure!

Before & After School Clubs – Summer Term 2025

Bookings for our Summer Term clubs are still open! You can secure your child's place via ParentPay. Clubs will begin on Monday, so please take a look at the attached flyer for the full list of club available.



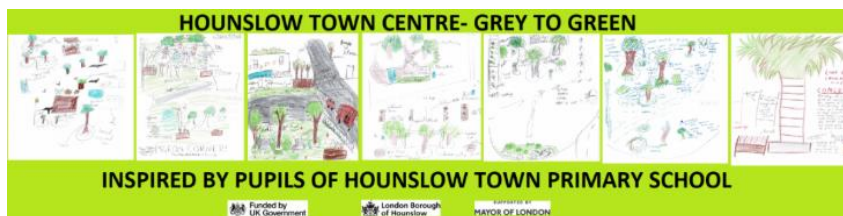
Wraparound Care Bookings – Summer Term

To book a place for your child, simply click on the link below. If you are booking for the first time, you will need to create a new account. Once your account is set up, you will be able to easily book your Breakfast Club and Aftercare sessions.

<https://skillz4life-sports-coaching.classforkids.io/>

Grey to green spaces

You may remember before the holiday I had included information regarding our involvement with the Grey to Green initiative which KS2 School Councillors were involved with. I hope you have seen the banner just near the crossroads by school. Thank you to Mrs Chaouki for co-ordinating this.



Name the vehicle competition

Before Easter, children in Years 4, 5 and 6 took part in a competition to help Hounslow Highways name their four new vehicles – two vans to tackle graffiti in Hounslow, one 'arb' lorry to help look after trees, and one 'grab' lorry.

The winning names were selected by a panel of councillors from the London Borough of Hounslow and the new vehicles now have those names printed on them along with our school's logo!

1. Graffiti vehicle 1 = GRAFF-EATER (Reyansh, 4 Berry)
2. Graffiti vehicle 2 = VANISHER (Sikandar, 4 Scarlet Class)
3. 7.2 Tonne Arb Vehicle = WOODY THE WOODCHIPPER (Zhulieta, 5 Marine)



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4. 26 Tonne Grab vehicle = GRABZILLA (Abel, 6 Topaz)

The four children who either chose the name or represented their class went to Hounslow Highways on Friday to have a tour of the building and were awarded certificates and prizes in a special unveiling event. They even got to see the newly named vehicles and sit in them! Well done to all involved! Thank you to Miss George and Mrs Agarwal for taking the children.



Be vigilant...

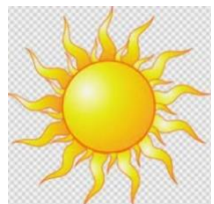
A parent informed me yesterday that his wife had been on her phone outside the Pears Road gate around 3pm, waiting for the gate to open, and a man rode passed on his bike and snatched the phone out of her hand. This is the third incident I have heard of recently where phones have been stolen on streets close to the school.

I also notice that many of our older children leave the school site with their phones in their hands, and know how upset children would be to have this happen to them. Please speak with your child about not having their phone out in the streets – I don't want children to worry unnecessarily, but also they need to be 'streetwise' and understand that sadly these things occasionally happen.

It would be lovely if adults model this to children... when dropping children off or collecting please try not to be on your phone. It is lovely for children to come into school having had you wishing them a good day and collect them asking how their day has been!

Hot weather

I believe that forecasts for next week are saying we will have very hot weather. Please ensure children are suitably dressed and wear sunhats or caps. While there is access to water fountains, please also ensure children have (named) water bottles in school – do not give children very expensive water bottles as it is upsetting if they are lost or damaged, just a simple water bottle will do the job. Lastly, we cannot apply sunscreen to children in school, but if you wish to, please apply at home and this should be sufficient for the day.



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.





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Contact emails are:

- For Nursery families: nurseryteacher@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk
- For Reception families: receptionteacher@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk
- For Y1 families: year1teacher@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk
- For Y2 families: year2teacher@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk
- For Y3 families: year3teacher@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk
- For Y4 families: year4teacher@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk
- For Y5 families: year5teacher@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk
- For Y6 families: year6teacher@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk
- For Rainbow families: rainbowteacher@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk
- For music: music@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk
- For any password enquiries please go to: passwords@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk

Miss Laura Khalil
Headteacher

Useful dates

Term dates 2024 – 2025	Curriculum events
<p>Summer Term</p> <p>First day of term Tues 22nd Apr</p> <p>May bank holiday Mon 5th May</p> <p>INSET Fri 23rd May</p> <p>HALF TERM Mon 26th May – Fri 30th May</p> <p>Last day of term Tues 22nd July (2pm finish)</p>	<p>PSA / Other</p> <p>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!</p> <p>psa@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk</p> <p>hounslowtown.psa@outlook.com</p>
<p>Term dates 2025 – 2026</p> <p>Autumn Term 2025</p> <p>INSET 1st & 2nd Sept 2025</p> <p>First day of term Wed 3rd Sept 2025</p> <p>HALF TERM – Mon 27th Oct to Fri 31st Oct</p> <p>Last day of term Fri 19th Dec (2pm finish)</p> <p>Spring Term 2026</p> <p>INSET Day Mon 5th Jan 2026</p> <p>First day of term Tues 6th Jan 2026</p> <p>HALF TERM Mon 16th Feb - Fri 20th Feb</p> <p>Last day of term Fri 27th Mar (2pm finish)</p> <p>Summer Term 2026</p> <p>First day of term Mon 13th Apr 2026</p> <p>INSET Friday 22nd May 2026</p> <p>HALF TERM Mon 25th May - Fri 29th May</p> <p>Last day of term Fri 17th July (2pm finish)</p>	



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Mon 20th July 2026

