



Spring Term

Newsletter 20

7th February '24

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Dear Parent / Carer

Young Voices

Children in Years 4, 5 and 6 took part in Young Voices at the O2 Arena on Tuesday, as part of the largest children's choir in the world! They had been rehearsing the songs since October and were excited to perform with a live band, singers and dancers. Parents in the audience said it was a fantastic concert to watch. A special thank you to the parents (and staff!) who helped accompany the children on the day.



Orchestra unwrapped

On Thursday some of the Year 3, 4, 5 and 6 children had a workshop from musicians from the Philharmonia Orchestra. They got to see and hear string and brass instruments close up and find out how they are played. They also created their own soundscapes and learned about some of the music the orchestra will play at the forthcoming schools' concert at the Royal Festival Hall.



Football competition (message from Coach Michal)

Last week, our Year 5 and 6 boys put in a fantastic performance at the Best Football Hounslow Borough Finals, proudly representing the school.

We started strong, winning all four group stage matches and topping the group to progress to the last 16. In a tough match against Our Lady and St John's Primary School, we drew 1-1 but we held our nerve to win on penalties.

In the quarter-finals, we faced a strong Oak Hill Primary School side and, despite our best efforts, we lost 3-0. I am incredibly proud of their teamwork, determination, and positive attitude throughout the tournament. Well done, boys!

Tuition

First Class Learning Study Centre who run Maths & English tuition in the main hall on Mondays and Fridays, are offering free registration to Hounslow Town School students from 10th - 17th February. If interested, please call Anita on 07710 399538 or go to firstclasslearning.co.uk/hounslow

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Starting nursery (repeated message)

If you have a child born between **1st Sept 2021** and **31st Aug 2022** you are able to take up a nursery place for September. The closing date for applications is **7th March** and a brochure is attached with this newsletter with further information.

Nursery is a crucial stage of a child's education and start of formal schooling. We have 4 nursery classes available and offer either a morning or afternoon session for 3hrs. Children are supported with socialising and developing basic skills. For some children this is their first big step to being independent and we look to work closely with families forming a good partnership to enable all children to reach their potential and enjoy school. If you require any further information about what we offer as a school or assistance with making an application please ask at the school office.

Holiday camp (repeated message)

Bookings are now open for February half term multi-sport camp with Skillz4Life! A flyer with all the information was included with newsletter 17. New WOW activities each day through the week. To book a place for your child please click on the link below to book a place.

<https://forms.office.com/e/f3vsarYvJw>



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

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



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Useful dates

Term dates 2024 – 2025		Curriculum events
Spring Term		PSA / Other 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! psa@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk hounslowtown.psa@outlook.com
INSET	Mon 6th Jan	
First day of term	Tues 7 th Jan	
HALF TERM	Mon 17 th Feb – Fri 21 st Feb	
Last day of term	Thurs 3 rd Apr (2pm finish)	
INSET	Fri 4th April	
Summer Term		
First day of term	Tues 22 nd Apr	
May bank holiday	Mon 5 th May	
INSET	Fri 23rd May	
HALF TERM	Mon 26 th May – Fri 30 th May	
Last day of term	Tues 22 nd July (2pm finish)	