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Dear Parent / Carer

Cold weather

You don't need me to tell you that the weather has changed! Please make sure that children come to school with coats, hats, scarves and gloves if necessary. We do continue to go outside for lunch and breaks unless it is very wet. Please also make sure that children's clothing is named – if something is lost it is much more likely to find its way back to your child if their name is written on it.



It is very common at this time of year for winter viruses to spread. We will be taking precautionary steps to limit the spread of illness e.g. regular handwashing, using tissues or elbows when sneezing or coughing etc. We will endeavour to ensure good ventilation. Should your child be very unwell please inform the school following the usual absence procedures.



PSA winter fair

Thank you to children who brought in donations today for the winter fair next week. We had a good response, and I hope that children are looking forward to the fair on Thursday 4th December after school. The PSA committee have worked really hard to organise this event and I hope that you will come along to support and enjoy.

Managing a difficulty

If your child has a difficulty or argument in school, please raise with staff rather than approach children or families directly. We have had a couple of instances where parents / carers have approached other children, and this nearly always results in making the matter worse. Children do feel intimidated when approached by an unfamiliar adult, and families will often take exception to their child being put in this position. It isn't always easy to resolve a difficulty, but managing a difficulty through the school is the best approach.



Author and illustrator visit

As publicised last week, we have Stephen Mangan and his sister Anita visiting on Monday. They will be working with children in Y3 – 6 and giving input on writing and illustrating. Some of their books have been shared in our reading assemblies and you should have had an opportunity to purchase a signed book. We are really looking forward to this visit!



Behaviour champions

Well done to the classes below who have won our behaviour champions awards this week:

Reception – Primrose

Year 1 – Sage

Year 2 - Lime

Year 3 – Magenta

Year 4 – Scarlet

Year 5 – Marine

Year 6 – Sky





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Wraparound care bookings (repeated message)

To book a place for your child in Breakfast Club and Aftercare, please click on the link below to book a place. When booking for the first time, you will need to create a new account.

Once your account is set up, you can conveniently book your Breakfast Club and Aftercare sessions.

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

Starting Reception (repeated message)

If your child will be starting in Reception **next** year, you must apply by 15th January '26.

You can access online brochures and guides from

www.hounslow.gov.uk/primaryadmissions or contact the admissions team on 020 8583

2711 / 2721 or admissions@hounslow.gov.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

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 2025 – 2026	Curriculum events
<p>Autumn Term 2025 INSET 1st & 2nd Sept 2025 First day of term Wed 3rd Sept 2025 HALF TERM – Mon 27th Oct to Fri 31st Oct Last day of term Fri 19th Dec (2pm finish)</p>	<p>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</p>
<p>Spring Term 2026 INSET Day Mon 5th Jan 2026 First day of term Tues 6th Jan 2026 HALF TERM Mon 16th Feb - Fri 20th Feb Last day of term Fri 27th Mar (2pm finish)</p>	<p>Reception nativity performances Week of 8th Dec Christmas lunch Wed 17th Dec</p>
<p>Summer Term 2026 First day of term Mon 13th Apr 2026 INSET Friday 22nd May 2026 HALF TERM Mon 25th May - Fri 29th May Last day of term Fri 17th July (2pm finish) INSET Mon 20th July 2026</p>	