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Dear Parent / Carer

Happy Father's Day to all the dad's , hope you enjoy Sunday!



Proms in the playground

Last week Years 3 and 4 were very lucky on Thursday to have a performance by a 'comedy string quartet' called Graffiti Classics, which was also attended by the Mayor of Hounslow. As part of the classical music concert the children learned an anthem called Song for our Planet and wrote some lyrics for a second verse to inspire our school to take care of the environment. Before half term some children also took part in a Dalcroze workshop, which uses movement to interpret music. Only five schools in Hounslow were selected to have Playground Proms visit their school, so we are grateful to Hounslow Music Service for the opportunity.

"I liked it when the musicians came close to us and played. I loved it when they wore the skirts. I liked it when we put our flags in the air." (Praniti and Maryam, 3 Magenta)

Ukrainian assembly



Thank you to our EAL team who offered a Ukrainian assembly on Wednesday this week to celebrate the language of the term. Children had the opportunity to deepen their understanding of Ukraine, a country that has been in the spotlight in recent years. They listened to a story in Ukrainian, admired traditional Ukrainian clothing and jewellery, and explored the country's rich culture and heritage. They also learned some useful phrases and greetings in Ukrainian, helping them connect more personally with the language.



Lunchtime Behaviour Champions

Coach Michal has recently introduced an initiative to promote positive behaviour Lunchtime Behaviour Champions and this week's **Winners of the Week** are :

- **Reception** – Primrose
- **Year 1** – Sage
- **Year 2** – Mint
- **Year 3** – Ruby
- **Year 4** – Rose
- **Year 5** – Marine
- **Year 6** – Sky



 Well done to all our Lunchtime Behaviour Champions! Keep up the great work! 



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Reception Sport's Day

This year was a huge success, the children had a great time participating in a range of races including egg and spoon, dressing up, hurdles and relay. All of the children put in 100% effort throughout the session and this was reflected in the final results with the Blue team and the Yellow team coming joint 1st with 88 points and the Green team and the Red

Team coming joint 2nd with 87 points. There was only 1 point between them! Well done everyone!

The Reception team would like to thank all parents and carers for their support at the event and for sending children in with the correct colour t-shirt. Also, we would like to give a huge thank you to Coach Michal for organising and running such a fun session.



Email contacts

The end of the academic year is approaching which means that reports will soon be being sent out. As you know, this year we have a new format for reports and they will be distributed electronically. It is essential that we have correct email contacts otherwise you will not receive your child's report. Please ensure that you do this over the next couple of weeks.



ParentPay One-click payments

We have had some queries recently regarding payments on ParentPay and how long it takes for a payment to go through. I have attached a flyer giving details of the One-Click payment method and hope that this answers your questions.

Date change – sports day (repeated message)

We will need to change the date of the Y1 and Y2 sports day from 12th June (as previously advertised) to Wednesday 18th June. I am sorry to have to change the date, but hope that with the notice given it will not be too inconvenient for families. Am really hoping that we have dry weather for all of our sports days! We held our Reception sports day this week – thank you to families who came to support.



Parent governor vacancies (repeated message)

We have been running with parent governor vacancies on our governing body, and I would like to ask any parents / carers who might be interested in this role to let me know. The governing body support the strategic direction of the school and are made up of parents / carers, school staff and co-opted members (from the wider community). There are termly

governing body meetings with all governors and a finance and standards committee. If you would like further information or to express interest, please let me know. There are two vacancies. I have had one parent enquire about the role and it would be great to have a second come forward!

Wraparound Care Bookings – Summer Term (repeated message)

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/>





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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

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Headteacher

Useful dates

Term dates 2024 – 2025		Curriculum events
Summer 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
First day of term	Tues 22 nd Apr	
May bank holiday	Mon 5 th May	
INSET	Fri 23 rd May	
HALF TERM	Mon 26 th May – Fri 30 th May	
Last day of term	Tues 22 nd July (2pm finish)	
Term dates 2025 – 2026		Sports days <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Reception – Tuesday, 10th June, 9:15am–10:30/10:45am • Years 3 and 4 – Tuesday, 17th June, 9:15am–11:15am
Autumn Term 2025		
INSET	1 st & 2 nd Sept 2025	
First day of term	Wed 3 rd Sept 2025	
HALF TERM –	Mon 27 th Oct to Fri 31 st Oct	
Last day of term	Fri 19 th Dec (2pm finish)	
Spring Term 2026		



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INSET Day First day of term HALF TERM Last day of term	Mon 5th Jan 2026 Tues 6 th Jan 2026 Mon 16 th Feb - Fri 20 th Feb Fri 27 th Mar (2pm finish)	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Years 1 and 2 – Wednesday, 18th June, 9:15am–11:15am• Years 5 and 6 – Thursday, 19th June, 9:15am–11:15am
Summer Term 2026 First day of term INSET HALF TERM Last day of term INSET	Mon 13 th Apr 2026 Friday 22nd May 2026 Mon 25 th May - Fri 29 th May Fri 17 th July (2pm finish) Mon 20th July 2026	