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Dear Parent / Carer

Parent / carer survey

As we are approaching the end of the year, we would like to ask parents / carers to complete a short survey to give us feedback. Please use the link below to access the survey and complete by Monday 13th July. Thank you.

<https://forms.cloud.microsoft/e/DQKD7zd8BN>

Staffing update

Now that we are approaching the last few weeks of school, I wanted to inform you that we will be having some changes with staffing. The following staff members will be leaving: Ms Morrissey (Rainbow), Ms Jordan (Y5), Mr Robins (Y4), Mr Watts (Y2), Mrs Hill (Y1), Ms George (music / Y3) and Ms Melnyk (EAL and SEN). I would like to thank all of these staff for their hard work during their time with us and hope that they will all stay in contact. Some staff have positions overseas and others with schools closer to where they live.

As a result, we will have some new staff joining us: Ms Iqbal, Ms Perks, Ms Malarkey, Ms Ahmed, Ms Hafenrichter, Ms Adan, Mr Reynoso and Ms Cowley. All new staff have been asked to attend our transition day (see below) and handover meetings so that we can induct them into the school well before September.

Some of our existing staff will be having a change of role and you will see from the class list for next year that Mrs Kumar, Ms Sheik and Ms Major will be taking on responsibility for classes having completed their qualifications. Ms Saini and Ms Molloy will become Higher Level Teaching Assistants (HLTAs) and Ms Lia and Ms Kelly will become mentors within the school.

Classes for next year

I am attaching a list of where classes are moving for next year, which classes they will be in and with which teacher. We do occasionally split classes or move individuals and where this happened, we liaise with those families directly. On Tuesday 7th July children will be having a transition morning where they spend time in their new class and with their new teacher. Children will be registered in their usual class, come to the hall briefly and then spend the morning with their new teacher. Hopefully this will help to ensure that children are aware of where they will be in September and feel reassured about the changes.



Reports will be distributed next week. We have been notified by the DfE that there will be a delay with KS2 SATs results being published, and we will not receive results until 16th July. We have written a separate letter informing Y6 parents / carers and will do everything possible to get results out to families on the last day of term.

PSA summer fair

On Thursday the PSA held our summer fair. I would like to say thank you very much to the PSA committee for organising, staff and families for assisting with stalls and hope that all of you who attended enjoyed the event. There had been a lot of additional work for the PSA committee with changing the day from the heatwave week, but all the hard work paid off – the weather was perfect, external stall holders were able to accommodate the day change and I thought there was a great atmosphere and lovely community spirit.





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Power professionals day

What an incredible Professionals Day we had at Hounslow Town Primary! It was wonderful to see the entire school dressed as their future or dream careers, showcasing a wide range of aspirations and ambitions. From doctors and teachers to engineers, athletes and entrepreneurs, our children demonstrated that their futures are full of possibilities.



Throughout the day, we were joined by a fantastic group of professionals who visited classes to share their experiences and inspire our pupils. We welcomed jewellers, bankers, cardiac practitioners and data analysts, who spoke about their careers and the pathways that led them to success. Children were also excited to hear from a talented 13-year-old Formula One racer through a special video message, in which she shared her journey, ambitions and experiences. Our visitors commented on how enthusiastic, engaged and inquisitive the children were when discussing their futures.

A particular highlight of the day was the Headteacher's Raffle. Congratulations to Chandhini from 3 Crimson, who won the opportunity to become Acting Headteacher for the morning on Monday and shadow Ms Khalil. What an exciting experience!

A huge thank you to all of our wonderful professionals who generously gave their time, as well as to everyone who donated and helped make the day such a success. It was truly a day filled with inspiration, aspiration and ambition for all.



Free school meal vouchers

I am attaching a letter summarising the changes to free school meal vouchers which was included in the newsletter last week. It is important that families who have been receiving holiday vouchers are aware that this will not continue after Sept '26.

Mr Hamza and Ms Davies will distribute a hard copy of this letter to families who are eligible. If this change is going to result in significant hardship for your family please make Mrs O or Mr Hamza aware and we will see what assistance we are able to provide.

Malawi Fundraiser update...

We would like to thank all the children and families who generously donated to support our link school, Chimphepo School, in Malawi. We raised an incredible £415.85! Your kindness and generosity will make a real difference to the pupils and staff, helping to provide valuable resources and opportunities for learning. It has been wonderful to see our school community come together to support this partnership and demonstrates our shared values of kindness, respect and responsibility.





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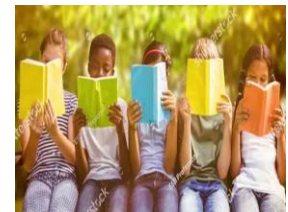
Year 2 Athletics Borough Finals

On Tuesday 30th June, eight of our Year 2 pupils proudly represented the school at the Year 2 Athletics Borough Finals. The children competed in a range of events, including the 50m Sprint, 300m Run, Long Jump and Vortex Throw. Throughout the competition, they demonstrated fantastic determination, enthusiasm and sportsmanship, representing the school with pride and showing an excellent attitude from start to finish.

Many of our pupils delivered outstanding individual performances, with several winning their respective events. Collectively, the team achieved an excellent 5th place overall in the borough, which is a fantastic accomplishment against some very strong competition.

Summer reading challenge flyer

I always ask children to keep up their reading over the summer – it is such an important skill for children to maintain and affects their progress and achievement in every subject. It is also such a pleasurable activity – I know that I read much more in the holiday as feel that I have more time. Please promote and encourage children to read over the holiday. I am attaching a leaflet about the summer reading challenge which may also get children reading.



Family lending library (message from Mrs Griggs)

Due to circumstances beyond our control, the family lending library has now closed for the end of term. If you still have books or games could you please return them to the box in the front office. Thank you for visiting us and using our service, we look forward to seeing you all again in September.

Lost property

We have a mountain of lost property (!) and really need this claimed before the end of the school year. Mrs Shepherd has been gathering clothes and has them on rails and in boxes near the main entrance, so please take a look if you think your child has lost something.



In September we will have a big push on school uniform – it gives us a sense of identity and belonging. Children should wear the correct school uniform and any other items e.g. head coverings should be school colours. During the excessive heat we did say children could come into school in looser and cool clothing, but normally school uniform applies. Please ensure you are ready for September and have the correct uniform for children.

Behaviour champions

Reception – Sunshine

Year 1 – Jade

Year 2 - Green

Year 3 – Ruby

Year 4 – Coral

Year 5 – Teal

Year 6 – Aqua

Well done to all the winners!





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HAF

Families with children living in the borough who are aged between 5 and 16 years and entitled to benefit related free school meals, can attend the Holiday Activity and Food Programme (HAF) activities for free. When families are registered for benefits related free school meals, they should have automatically received their voucher/s to book on 19 June.

HAF in Summer will be delivered by experienced providers with fun and enriching activities featuring sports and games, cooking, computing coding, music, circus skills and much more. Eligible children can attend up to 16 sessions from 20 July to 21 August and enjoy a free, nutritious meal every day. All the HAF activities information for Summer and support for booking can be found on Hounslow Family Service Directory HAF programme website. Hounslow HAF can be contacted at HAF@hounslow.gov.uk



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/>

Summer Holidays Multi-Sports Camp – Bookings Now Open!

Bookings are now open for **Summer Holidays Multi-Sports Camp** with Skillz4Life Sports Coaching!

FREE HAF-funded places are available for eligible families.

To book your child's place or find out more, please visit our website and follow the online booking steps:

<https://www.skillz4life-sportscoaching.co.uk/multi-sports-camps/hounslow>

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



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For any password enquiries please go to: passwords@hounslowtownprimary.co.uk

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Useful dates

Term dates 2025 – 2026	Curriculum events
<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>	<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</p>
<p>Term dates 2026 – 2027</p>	<p>hounslowtown.psa@outlook.com</p>
<p>Autumn Term 2026 INSET Wed 2nd Sept First day of term Thurs 3rd Sept 2026 HALF TERM Mon 26th Oct - Fri 30th Oct Last day of term Thurs 17th Dec (2pm finish) INSET Fri 18th Dec</p>	
<p>Spring Term 2027 INSET Mon 4th Jan HALF TERM Mon 15th Feb - Fri 19th Feb Last day of term Thursday 25th Mar (2pm finish)</p>	
<p>Summer Term 2027 First day of term Mon 12th April May bank holiday Mon 3rd May INSET Fri 28th May Half term Mon 31st May - Fri 4th June Last day of term Wed 21st July (2pm finish) INSET Thurs 22nd July</p>	