



Hampton Junior School

A MESSAGE FROM THE HEAD OF SCHOOL

A warm welcome back to our children this week after a much deserved Easter break – I hope that you were able to enjoy the rest and some time with your families. The teachers and children did a great job in adjusting back to the full reopening of the school last month and now this term will really focus on learning, particularly on any gaps which have been identified. Target sheets will be sent out to parents next week following our pupil progress meetings.

Towards the end of last term, I had the honour of judging the Red Nose Day baking competition. It was a hugely difficult task given the high standard of entries but I managed to pick a winner from each year group and an overall winner:

Year 3 - Anna 3E
Year 4 - Seth 4DA
Year 5 - Tia - 5H
Year 6 - Edward - 6G

Overall winner - Eva - 4C

Congratulations to the winners and well done to all who took part. Thank you to Miss Cooper and the school council for organising the competition.

During the Easter break, the FOHJS managed to raise £278.24 from the Easter treasure hunt. A big thank you to everyone who took part and to the FOHJS for organising this lovely community event.

Finally, I would like to inform you that one of our LSAs, Mrs Hovanessian has left her post at the school. I would like to wish Mrs Hovanessian all the best for the future and thank her for the positive impact she has had on the children of HJS during her time here.

Mr Tidd

HJS PRINCIPLES

Each month the school will focus on a different principle.

This month is:



STARS OF THE WEEK



3MA— Teddy Beaumont
3E— Harry Bridgeman
3H— Sam Hill
3S— Abdul Said
4DA - Charlie Cooper James
4C— Zaki Tahir
4W — Junior Mclean
4G— Aaliah Ismail
5N— Mario Trifu
5P— Nell Seymour
5H— Blake Sanderson
6G— Bruno Semedo
6M— Florence Gardner
6S— Leo Vannozzi and Alessia Orru -Johnson



Please note our email address has now changed to
office.hjs@hpp.school



MESSAGES FROM THE OFFICE



WATER

Please can you ensure that your child has a named water bottle in school each day to ensure they stay hydrated whilst the water fountains are currently not able to be used.



STATIONERY

Please can you ensure you regularly check your child's stationery to ensure they have the following items and that these items are regularly checked throughout the term:

Named pencil case, HB pencils (x3), 3000mm ruler, eraser, colouring pencils, purple biro, Pritt glue stick, barrel pencil sharpener, white-board pen, yellow and green highlighter, plastic stud wallet and handwriting pen (once they get their pen licence)

SCHOOL LUNCHES

The charge for school lunches for the first half of the summer term is £62.10 (20th April to 27th May—excluding 3rd May). Please can you ensure Parentpay is topped up so that this money is in your child's account prior to the commencement of the summer term. Thank you



UNIFORM

Please ensure that all items of uniform are named. We have an abundance of uniform (some brand new) with no names inside and we are unable to reunite them with their owners.



Admission to Year 3—September 2021

If you have applied for a Year 3 place for your child in September 2021 you will have been sent an email during the evening of 16th April with the outcome of your application. You will also be able to view this by logging in to the [eAdmissions website](#)

Please ensure that you use the eAdmissions website to either confirm or refuse the school place by 30th April 2021. You must confirm this place even if your child has a sibling already at the Junior School!

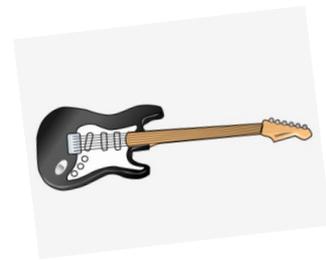


Congratulations to Bushy House for winning last term's Kit Cup



Musical Achievements

Congratulations to Alex Brati in 4C for passing his Grade 1 electric guitar with merit.

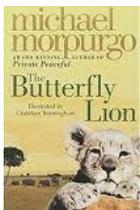


3H enjoyed travelling back in time to Ancient Greece to celebrate all of our learning this past term.

We also really enjoyed our visit from Freshwater Theatre.

3MA were delighted to be awarded with the fruit basket!

They have settled back into the summer term beautifully, already demonstrating that they are ready to learn particularly in their netball lesson where there was fantastic teamwork.



4W – Reward postcards to celebrate the outstanding performances of their emotive speeches inspired by the book, 'The Butterfly Lion' by Michael Morpurgo



6G'S WW2 DAY- 26th MARCH

On Friday 26th March, 2021, 6G had their WW2 DAY. Both Mrs Gale and Mrs Rowan were really impressed with all the different outfits.

Throughout the course of the day, we learnt about Lilian Bader and her 'hidden story'- what an amazing lady!

We also learnt about the 'Dambusters' and produced a Google Presentation up on our Google Classrooms. We were definitely interested in learning all about the bouncing bomb and Dr Barnes Wallis.

Finally, we had a drama session in the afternoon with Freshwater Theatre Company. A great day!







6G News

Rameiya Kaur delivered a presentation about Vaisakhi to the class. We also ate some Indian sweets.



RED NOSE DAY



Congratulations to Eva in 4C for her winning Red Nose Day bake also also to our other finalists.
Great job everyone!



Year 5 - Tia - 5H



Year 3—Anna 3E



Seth 4DA



Year 6 - Edward - 6G



BEFORE AND AFTER SCHOOL CLUB

FIT FOR SPORT

They offer a simple online system that allows parents to book sessions which run until 6pm. They have limited spaces available at this time so please do book as soon as possible. Hayley is the site manager and will be working closely with her colleague Ryan to run the provision.

Bookings can be made at the following site:

<https://www.fitforsport.co.uk/extended-school-clubs/find-your-school/detail/hampton-junior-school>

• parenthub

Hampton Junior School

would like you to join their channel on Parent Hub.

Just tap "Add a School" in the app and enter the handle below...

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The Parent Hub app is FREE to download and use.

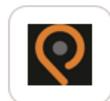


What is Parent Hub?



Parent Hub is a FREE app that helps keep you up to date with what's going on at school via text messages.

Instructions for Parents



1. Download the Parent Hub app from your app store (iPhone or Android).
2. Create yourself an account.
3. Choose "Add a School" and enter the school handle (above) and follow instructions for set up.
4. Ensure you have Banner Style (Persistent) enabled in your phone settings.

Visit www.parenthub.co.uk to find out more

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Dear Parent / Carer

The Hampton Junior School Amazon Wishlist has been updated! It's a great way to show support of the amazing staff at HJS. Of course, as always, purchasing items from the wishlist is completely voluntary. We ask that if you do purchase an item that you use "gift options" if available to note the teacher the item is being purchased for. Gift options won't always be available, so we also ask that you send an email to the info@ address for the school letting the front office know what has been ordered and who it is for so it can be properly distributed once it arrives. When you order an item, you are using your personal Amazon account but the item is being sent to the school. It's simple! Please consider using smile.amazon.uk whenever you make Amazon purchases, as it's an easy way to donate a portion of your spending to HJS (if you select them as your choice).

In these ever-changing times, teachers are requesting items such as tripods and webcams that may make home learning easier to accommodate live sessions as well as wipes to sanitise items at school. There are many great items on the wishlist that are needed for all children once they return as well and for the children now at school, so please feel free to browse the wishlist using the link below:

[Hampton Junior School Amazon Wishlist](#)

We appreciate your support very much.

Thank you for your continued support



Outee 20 Pcs Pencil Grips Holder Pen Writing Grip Posture Correction Tools for Kids, 2 Design

★★★★★ 5
£8.99 ✓prime

Item added 9 October 2019

Add to Basket

[Buying this gift elsewhere?](#)

"Miss Harden, Year 3: 2 styles of pencil grip to help develop the tripod pencil grip and improve handwriting in year 3. "

Thank you for your continued support,

Patrick Tidd
Head of School

KEEPING CHILDREN SAFE IN EDUCATION

If you have any concerns about the safety or welfare of your child please speak to one of the designated child protection officers, you can also seek advice or guidance for the agencies below:

Patrick Tidd Head of School – D.S.L - Designated Safeguarding Lead

Helen Lockey Executive Headteacher – D.D.S.L. – Deputy Designated Safeguarding Lead

Fiona Johnston/Emily Boswell - Co-opted Governor – with responsibility for Safeguarding

Mr Sej Bhabra—Chair of Governors

 HM Government





CORONAVIRUS STAY ALERT TO THE SYMPTOMS

**HIGH TEMPERATURE
OR NEW CONTINUOUS COUGH
OR LOSS OF TASTE OR SMELL?**

No one in your household should leave home
if any one person has symptoms.

Find out how to get a test, and how long to
isolate, at [nhs.uk/coronavirus](https://www.nhs.uk/coronavirus)

STAY ALERT ▶ CONTROL THE VIRUS ▶ SAVE LIVES

**If ANY of your family have ANY COVID symptoms please stay
at home until you have received a negative test result.**