15th July 2020

Dear Parent/Carer,

**NEW TEXT MESSAGE ALERT SYSTEM**

**‘PARENT HUB’-Year 3 admissions**

HJS are moving to a new alert/messaging system at the end of July utilising a smart phone app called ‘Parent Hub’. This will replace the current ‘Teachers2Parents’ service at HJS which is discontinued at the end of tem

Please see the attached flyer, which provides details and a link enabling you to download the app. We would strongly recommend that you download it before the start of the school holidays, just in case there are any changes to school opening guidelines announced by the government over the summer.

HJS will initially only be utilising the app for messaging. Other services will be explored and possibly added at a later date e.g. News Notes, e-mails, and attachments.

**Year 2 joining in September are strongly encouraged to follow the HJS ‘Year 3 Admissions channel’ to ensure you have all the up to date information for the September start. When you follow you initially register as ‘not a parent’ and then once your child has started in year 3 you go back into the app and ‘add my children’.**

**Please see an easy step guide below:**

* Download the ParentHub app on a smartphone, either apple or android
* Create an account
* Add your email
* Re-enter your email
* Choose and enter a password
* Confirm password
* Create a profile
* Turn on notifications when prompted
* Allow notifications so that you know when texts arrive
* To follow your school
* Join a School
* Enter your school handle, ‘hamptonjun’
* Click on green arrow
* Join school
* Click Not a parent – do not enter your telephone number - you may have to scroll down passed the green symbol
* OK
* Then select HJS Year 3 admissions
* Save
* In September when your child starts Year 3, go into your account and add your child following instructions and prompts. Use 3 dots top right and add my children

Yours sincerely,

**Executive Leadership Team**