

Hampton Hill Junior School



Curriculum Newsletter

Y6

Summer Term 2024

This newsletter is designed to give you an outline of the work we will cover this term and highlight ways in which you can help your child.

Dear Parents/ Carers

We are committed to a broad and balanced curriculum. We hope you find this information useful.

The pupils have lots to celebrate and look forward as they move towards the end of their time at HHJS. There will be a range of events and end of year celebrations for them to enjoy. Further details will follow.

SATS week begins on Monday 13th May.

We will soon start work on their Leavers' book and Leavers' Fundraising Events (more details to follow)

- Learning behaviour focus for this term: REFLECTION/ ADVENTURE
- Trips/ costings planned for this term: Swimming £32.75 (letters sent separately)
Orange Tree theatre / British Museum
- PE KIT days: 6OC – TUESDAY & FRIDAY/ 6F WEDNESDAY & THURSDAY/ 6D -TUESDAY & WEDNESDAY
Please make sure they arrive in their PE kit. (Navy/Black plain bottoms and house colour school t-shirt)
- Home School Diaries need to be in school: Everyday. Timetable for looking at each child's weekly.

KEY DATES THIS TERM: Further dates are likely to be added and will be forwarded accordingly- along with any changes to dates)

DATE	EVENT
Monday 15 th April	INSET DAY
Tuesday 16 th April	Children return
Friday 19 th April	Y4 Cake sale
Monday 22 nd April	Clubs start/ Book Fair arrives
Monday 6th May	Bank Holiday
Monday 13 th May	Y6 SATs start
Thursday 16 th May	Bushy Park trip (pm sats celebration)
Friday 17 th May	Post SATs sponsored walk (PTA)
Wednesday 22 nd May	Class photos
Thursday 23 rd May	Secondary Transfer of information day
Friday 24th May	INSET DAY
Monday 27th -31st May	HALF TERM WEEK
Monday 3 rd June	Children return
Tuesday 4 th June	Swimming begins at Hampton Pool
Wednesday 5 th June	Dragon's Den
Friday 7 th June	Mufti Day for the summer fair sweetie tombola
Sat 8 th June	Y6 fundraiser Car Wash at school
Mon 10 th June	National Fieldwork week – Geography. Fiver Challenge starts
Wed 12 th June	Orange Tree Workshop Hamlet 6OC
Thursday 13 th June	Orange Tree Workshop Hamlet 6D and 6F
Tuesday 18 th June	Hamlet performance at the Orange Tree theatre
Thursday 20 th June	PTA Football event England v Denmark
Friday 21 st June	Y6 Fiver challenge fair after school (3.30-4.30)
Sat 22 nd June	Carlisle CSA summer Fair

Monday 24 th June	Diversity Week
Thursday 27 th June	Trip to British Museum
Friday 28 th June	Y3 Cake sale/ Mufti Day for the summer fair for bottle tombola-yr 6 to Hampton school for sporting activities (2 hrs am)
Monday 1 st July	Transition day
Tues 2 nd July	Open Evening
Thursday 4 th July	Upper school Sports day
Sunday 7 th July	PTA Summer Fair
Wednesday 10 th July	French Day
Thursday 11 th July	Annual Reports sent out
Monday 15 th July	Dress Rehearsal production - pm
Tuesday 16 th July	Swimming Gala at Hampton pool/ Leavers Disco
Wednesday 17 th July	The production performance evening
Thursday 18 th July	The production performance evening
Wed 24 th July	Leavers' assembly/ End of term 1.45pm

SUBJECT AREAS:

English: Just So / Alma/ Shakespeare/ Production/ Spell Shed

Maths: Shape/ position and direction/ Fiver Challenge/ Revision of the year and gap filling

Science: Science classification/ Evolution and Inheritance

R.E: Humanism, responsibility and morality

Computing: 3D modelling/ Microbits

Music: Sing Education plan

PHSE: Relationships / Changing Me (Sex and Relationship Education)

P.E.: Gymnastics- vaulting/ athletics/ cricket (6OC) / swimming

French: Preparing for French Day; around town, at the café/creperie.

History: Ancient Greeks

Art/DT: DT cookery/ sewing/ Art -pottery

Attainment: Age Related expectations (A.R.E)

Attainment is based on where they should be against age related expectations. Attainment and Effort are measured as follows:

— (*Below expected*) = (*Expected*) + (*Above expected*)

Homework

Children should focus on reading, spelling and multiplication tables, five days a week for ten minutes each- we would greatly appreciate your support with this.

Spelling Lists will be available via the newsletter. Your child may receive differentiated spellings. If you have any questions, please see your class teacher.

In Year 6, additional home learning activities may be sent home.

We also are keen to encourage the children's wider interests and activities outside of school. We love to hear about the exceptional things they have been up to using the WOW cards to acknowledge this. (The Yellow postcards you send in are celebrated and displayed in class).

At a time when school budgets are so tight, we also greatly appreciate your support for our fundraising efforts- ranging from responding to information which can be found on the FUNDRAISING page of our website, through to wonderful opportunities, such as buying our chicken's freshly laid organic eggs on the playground, or just getting behind fundraisers run by the children.

If you have any concerns or queries, do please use your child's Home School Diary to communicate these to your child's teacher.

We look forward to an exciting term. Thank you for your continued support.

Best Wishes

The Y6 Team: Miss O'Connor (Year Leader), Mr Foster, Ms Crinnion and Miss Dixon