

Highfield Primary School



Newsletter

23rd May 2024

Key Stage 2 SATS

Well Done to all the children in Year 6 who have completed their statutory assessments this half term. Next half term Year 1 children will be competing their phonics screening and the Year 4 children will be taking part in the national multiplication checker. Results from all assessments will be shared with parents with the school reports.

Changeable Weather

Please could parents ensure their child/children are appropriately dressed either wearing a waterproof jacket and/or bringing a sunhat and a water bottle both named. Sun cream should be applied before school.

We would ask that to avoid any losses or accidents children do not bring sunglasses into school.

Medical Appointments

Please could all parents try to make any medical/dental appointments after school or during the school holidays where possible.

Attendance Summer 1 – Top three classes:

1st Ocelots 98.00%
2nd Squids 97.30%
3rd Impalas 96.40 %

Holidays

A polite reminder to parents we are unable to authorise holiday during term time. Parents who choose to take their children out of school during this time may be subject to a fine as set out in the school policy.

Holiday Dates for 2024/2025 can be found on the website

School Street

Following an extended period without the camera we are pleased to report that the camera has now been re-installed. Which we hope will make the road outside the school safer for all users. Please note the school is not able to provide any exemptions.

Friends of Highfield

With effect from Friday 7th June 'Frozen Fridays' make a welcome return to Highfield. The Friends of Highfield are also busily planning the Summer Fete, Friday 12th July. Should you wish to help please catch one of the parents (Mrs Askew, Mrs Joseph or Miss West) in the playground or speak to the office who can pass your details on.

Wake Up Wednesdays

Every Wednesday we send you, via Parentmail, up to date information on how to keep your child safe on line. Please do share this information with your children.

After School Activities:

Summer 2 Clubs:

Monday	Arts and Crafts – Years 1, 2, 3, 4, 5 & 6 Girls Football – Years 3, 4, 5 and 6
Tuesday	Athletics Years 4, 5 and 6 Tennis - Years 2, 3 and 4 Lego Club - Years R, 1, 2, 3 and 4
Wednesday	Athletics Years Rec, 1, 2 & 3 Choir Years 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6
Thursday	Rounders Club Years 1, 2, 3 and 4 Tag Rugby Years 3, 4, 5 and 6 Ukulele Years 3, 4, 5 and 6

Uniform Reminders

Please can parents ensure children only wear their Highfield jumper or cardigan on PE days over their PE T-shirts, if required. Children may wear an additional layer should it be required in the playground. All jewellery, including stud earrings and watches must be removed for PE activities, including clubs.

Should you have any unwanted uniform in good condition please hand please bring it into Reception so that it may be used for other children.

The next half term will be a very busy time at Highfield with all classes going on trips. The key dates for next half term are on the list below, details of which can also be found on the website.

I would like to thank you all for your continued support of Highfield Primary School and hope you all have very restful half term with your families.

Ms L Corrigan
Headteacher

Important Dates Summer 2024

June 2024

Monday 3 rd June	Year 4 Multiplication Checks during June
Tuesday 4 th June	Years 2, 4 and 5 Police Talks
Tuesday 4 th June 2 pm to 3 pm	Police Internet Safety Presentation Parents
Thursday 6 th June	Year 3 & 6 Trip to Chessington
Friday 7 th June 3.15 pm	Friends of Highfield Frozen Fridays
Monday 10 th – Friday 14 th June	Year 1 Phonics Screening
Tuesday 11 th June	Years 3 & 6 Police Talks
Thursday 13 th June	Class photographs
Monday 17 th to Thursday 20 th June	Year 6 Bikeability
Monday 17 th June 10 am	Year 5 & 6 Parents Meeting Life Bus
Friday 21 st June	Year 5 & 6 Life Bus Sessions
Monday 24 th June to Friday 28 th June	Sports Week
Thursday 27 th June 2.15 pm	Reception Stay and Play
Thursday 27 th June	Year 1 and 2 Lego Land Trip
Friday 28 th June 9.15 am	Year 1, 2 and 3 Sports Morning
Friday 28 th June 2.15 pm	Years 4, 5 and 6 Sports Afternoon

July 2024

Tuesday 2nd July	Transition Day
Wednesday 3 rd July	New to Reception Parent Meeting
Thursday 4 th July	New to Nursery Parent Meeting
Thursday 4 th July	District Sports after School
Friday 12 th July 2.30 pm	Friends of Highfield Summer Fete
Tuesday 16 th July	Dogs Trust Workshops
Tuesday 16 th July 3.15 to 4.30	Reception to Year 5 Disco
Thursday 18 th July 9.15 am	Year 3, 4 and 5 Production to Parents
Thursday 18 th July 2.15 pm	Year 3, 4 and 5 Production to Parents
Friday 19 th July	School Reports to be sent home via Parentmail.
Monday 22 nd July 9.15 am	Year 6 Leavers Production 9.15 am
Monday 22 nd July 2.15 pm	Year 6 Leavers Production 2 pm
Monday 22 nd July	Year 6 Leavers Disco
Tuesday 23 rd July	School finishes at 1.5 pm.

New School Year starts on Tuesday 3rd September 2024 - Monday 2nd September is a Training Day.