

## Holidays in term time

Parents do not have a legal right to take their children out of school in order to go on holiday.

Schools can authorise absence only if:

- there are exceptional circumstances
- the request is made in advance by the parent with whom the child normally lives

If your child is absent from school on a family holiday without authorisation the school will ask the council to serve a Penalty Notice. This Penalty Notice is a fine of £60 which, if not paid within 21 days, rises to £120.

Please refer to the Attendance policy on our website for more information.

## Word of the Week!

# vast

**It means:** Large, huge  
(often describes  
an area)

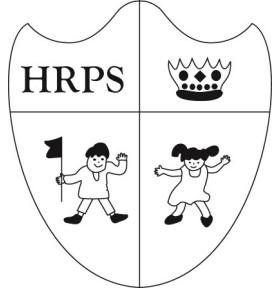


### Can you use this word in a sentence?



### Upcoming Events

Educational Visit	Year groups involved	Date
Spy Mission Centre	Year 5	Tuesday, 5 July 2022
Reception Induction Day	New intake	Wednesday, 6 July 2022
Nursery Induction Day	New intake	Friday, 15 July 2022



### ATTENDANCE & LATENESS

We understand there are times when children are unable to attend school. In these instances please inform the school office before 8:55am.

Tel: 01582 867487 (option 1—voicemail)  
Email: [office@houghtonregisprimary.co.uk](mailto:office@houghtonregisprimary.co.uk)

We encourage parent/carers to ensure that your child(ren) arrives on time. If your child is often late or has more than 10 unauthorised absences in a twelve-week period, they will be referred to the Access and Inclusion Team, who will issue a Fixed Penalty Notice.

We thank you for your support in relation to the above matters.

## FREE SCHOOL MEALS

### How to apply for free school meals

If you think you meet the free school meals eligibility criteria, please call the Local Authority on **0300 300 8306**. When you call to apply for free school meals, please have the following information ready:

- National Insurance numbers and dates of birth for you and your partner
- Dates of birth for your children
- If you receive support from the National Asylum Support Service, your NASS number

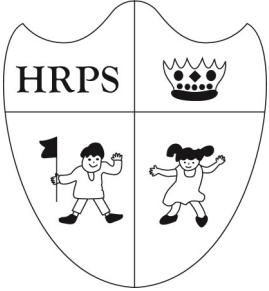
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### This week's Attendance Awards

KS1 -	Purple	- 95.46%
KS2 -	Red	- 95.88%





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NEWSLETTER

1 July 2022

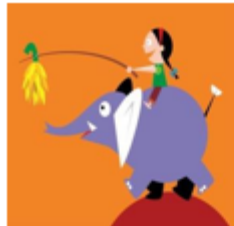


**Danny DETERMINATION**  
says, "DON'T GIVE UP."

Jessica G    Kalina W  
Zac A        Leisha M  
Connor DW   Kacey P  
Mollie S     Kray H

Fleano M

**Colin CURIOSITY** says,  
"THINK FOR YOURSELF."



**Chloe COMMUNICATION**  
says, "RESPECT OTHERS."

Daniel P  
Khalam N-B  
Chloe F  
Evan C

Harper P  
Jaxon-James G  
Lizzie F  
Sophie F  
Annabelle L  
Arthur S  
Mason R

Alexandra E  
David W  
Delia V  
Kade L  
Jorene B  
Nyah B  
Arthur D

**Izzy INDEPENDENCE** says,  
"DO YOUR BEST."

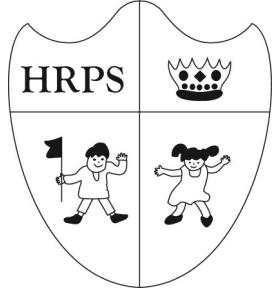


## End of year photos

The photographs have been taken and the children all behaved really well. We were very proud to be told that our year six children were the best the photographer had worked with, well done year six.

The proofs will be delivered on the 4 July and orders need to be submitted back to school by 12 July 2022

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### PE/ACTIVITY WEAR

We are experiencing a high number of children coming to school without the correct clothing for that day's activities such as swimming, football and gymnastics.

Could you please ensure that your child arrives at school with the correct clothing.



### END OF SCHOOL SUMMER TERM 2022

The summer term ends on Friday, 22 July 2022 at **2pm**. Please make a note that children will need to be collected at the earlier time that day.

The new school term starts on Monday 5 September 2022.



## SPORTS DAY

### Thursday, 7 July 2022

KS1 (Year 1 and 2) - 9 - 10:30

LKS2 (Year 3 and 4) - 10:40 - 12:00

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UKS2 (Year 5 and 6) - 1:15 - 3:00

### Friday, 8 July 2022

Nursery Morning - 9:15 - 10:20

Nursery Afternoon - 2:15 - 3:00

Reception (Gold 1 and 2) - 9:15 - 10:20

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