

Educational Experiences Update

WALTON ON THE NAZE — 22 June 2022

On Tuesday, 21 June 2022 our Year 2 and Year 4 pupils had a wonderful time at Walton on the Naze. The sun shone all day and a wonderful time was had by all. The staff present commented that it was amazing to see so many happy smiling faces.

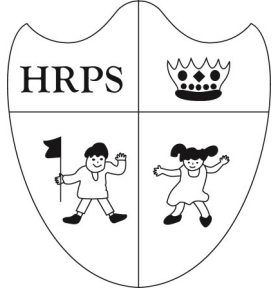
Year 2 had an abundance of time to build sand castles, paddle in the sea, create mermaids and explore the area. After traditional ice-creams were enjoyed, the children went for a walk and located some traditional seaside features. These included the pier, colourful beach huts and a range of traditional and modern seaside houses.

Year 4 explored a local landmark called the Naze Tower and found out about the local history. They then had the chance to explore the beach.

On the way back to Houghton Regis all the children enjoyed a McDonalds with their friends.

Mr Edwards



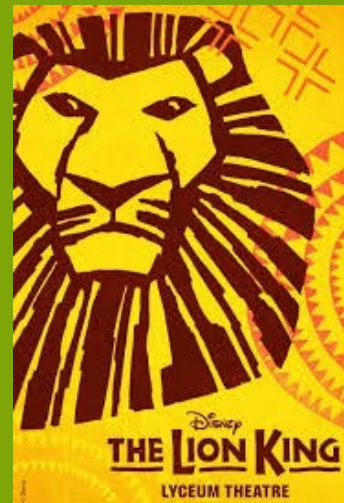


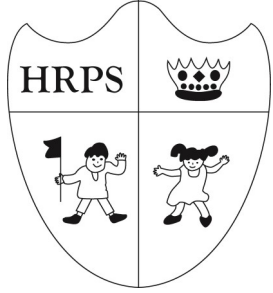
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LION KING MUSICAL — 22 June 2022

On Wednesday, the children and staff in Year 6 visited The Lyceum Theatre to watch a remarkable performance of The Lion King. The cast did an outstanding job of reliving the characters in their true form. Our emotions were put to the test - we laughed, cried, cheered and clapped in amazement. The singing, dancing and acting skills of each actor were fascinating to watch. It was an unforgettable experience for all, and as always, the children's behaviour was exemplary. Thank you to Miss McKune and Miss Rogers for organising this wonderful trip and thank you to Mrs Osborne, Mr Riordan and Mrs Jones for accompanying the children on the day.

Mrs Parmar





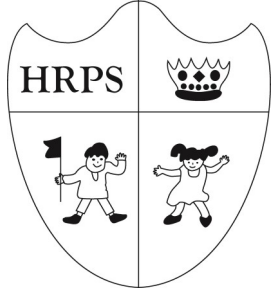
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TENNIS COMPETITION — 22 June 2022

On Wednesday 22 June, some children from Year 4 attended a tennis competition at Dunstable Tennis Club. These children were: Jasmine Q, Lia P, Alfie C and Liam T. Sadly due to a lot of schools pulling out at the last minute it was down to two teams Hadrian and Houghton Regis Primary. The children played incredibly well and gave their all in the scorching sun. Unfortunately for us, Hadrian came out as winners after winning 11-7 in matches. The children were brilliant and represented the school incredibly well.

Mr Hewitt





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!

radiant

It means: Bright or shining (could describe a light or a feeling)

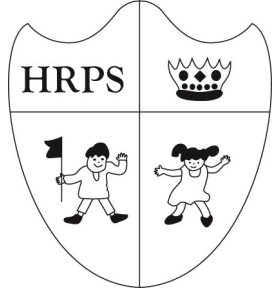


Can you use this word in a sentence?



Planned Educational Visits

Educational Visit	Year groups involved	Date
Local Church visit	Nursery & Reception	Thursday, 30 June 2022
Spy Mission Centre	Year 5	Tuesday, 5 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

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

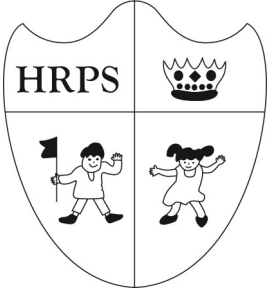
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This week's Attendance Awards

KS1 - Purple - 95.47%
KS2 - Red - 95.87%





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NEWSLETTER

24 June 2022



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

Nathan B
Soraiya N
Lou Lou G
Simone B
Korrey P

Frankie S
Ronnie S
Junior B
Kray H

Emila C
Mason D
Ella P

Colin CURIOSITY says,
"THINK FOR YOURSELF."



Chloe COMMUNICATION
says, "RESPECT OTHERS."

Evie S
Faith D
Archie J

Scarlett-Mae B
Mia P
Tala A
Jasmine I
George F
Jessica G

Jayla G
Aaira A
Kyla S
Bridie F
Ronnie
Emily K

Izzy INDEPENDENCE says,
"DO YOUR BEST."



End of year photos

We have booked the school photographer for Thursday 30 June 2022.

If for any reason, you do not want your child to be photographed, please email the office on office@houghtonregisprimary.co.uk

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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.

PERFORMING ARTS EXTRAVAGANZA SUMMER SCHOOL

Join Christina Marks School of Performing Arts to experience, first hand, the exceptional training, fun, energy and creativity of tuition provided by top industry professionals.

20 free places are being offered to those children entitled to PPG/ free school meals.

If you are interested in registering your child for this summer school please contact Christina on 07525 850232 or christinamarksschoolofperformingarts@hotmail.com

The summer school will be held at Houghton Regis Primary School on 8-11 August 2022, 10am—3pm. A free hot meal will be included.



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

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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