

Pirate Assembly



Last term, the Year 1 children had a great time celebrating Pirate Day in their pirate outfits. They were all very proud of their performance in assembly where they showcased their pirate knowledge to all their parents, guardians and carers. They enjoyed making tasty treasure wheels and got creative with their very own treasure maps.





Compass Workshop



On Monday 6th June, the Year 6 children took part in a Compass Workshop led by the students at Hewens College. The children got the opportunity to sharpen their compass skills in preparation for secondary school. Thank you to Hewens College for all your support.



Superhero Day



Last term, our Reception children blew us away with their super outfits. The children were in full character all day and engaged in various superhero activities. What a super day for Reception!





Tesco Donation

We would like to say a huge thank you to Sharon from Tesco for her helpful donation to our breakfast club resources. We hope to work more closely with our local community in the future.



Multiplication Tables Check - Year 4

Until Friday 24th June, the Year 4 children will be taking their Multiplication Tables Check (MTC) at school, which became statutory in September 2021. The MTC is a Key Stage 2 assessment to be taken by pupils at the end of Year 4 in June. It is an online test where pupils are asked 25 questions on times tables from 2 to 12.

For every question, pupils will have 6 seconds to answer and in between the questions, there is a 3 second rest. The questions are generated randomly based on the rules of the MTC, however, questions about the 6, 7, 8, 9, and 12 times tables come up more often. The purpose of the MTC is to ensure pupils' times tables knowledge is at the expected level.

Parents, guardians and carers are being asked to ensure that the children practise on Times Tables Rock Stars (TTRS) which will be of great benefit in preparing them for the Multiplication Tables Check. We suggest practising 10 to 15 minutes a day for optimal results.



Hillingdon Weekly Challenges

Hewens Primary School will be taking part in the Summer Hillingdon Weekly Physical Challenges as the children had so much fun getting involved in the challenges last year. These challenges will allow children to get active, have fun, improve health, engage new audiences and increase motivation.

The Physical Education (PE) Co-ordinator will provide your teachers with instructions of what you need to do each week. Your teachers will show this video in class. These challenges will be done in school and all scores will be recorded by your teachers by Thursday, the following week.

Please see the schedule below for all upcoming challenges.

- Week 5: Fast Feet – Launched on Friday 17th June
- Click to view: (<https://youtu.be/4eFAZdHd1rU>)
- Week 6: Air Balloon – Launching on Friday 24th June
- Week 7: Obstacle Course – Launching on Friday 1st July
- Week 8: Plank Challenge – Launching on Friday 8th July

World Music Day

World Music Day was officially launched in 1982. It is celebrated every year on the 21st June. Each year, people are encouraged to listen to their favourite music and share it with others.

At Hewens Primary School, we will be celebrating World Music Day on Friday 1st July with a special music assembly in the quad. Each class will represent a country, its flag and perform a song or dance related to the country. We aim for all the children to experience the diverse genres of music celebrated across the world and how this relates to their cultures and experiences.

We also want the children to appreciate that music is a wonderful creative outlet for us to enjoy. It has many positive effects on health and wellbeing as when we listen to our favourite songs, we are overwhelmed with joy and happy memories.

Sports Day

During the week commencing Monday 20th June, Hewens Primary will be celebrating National Sports Week by dedicating this week to Sports. On Tuesday 21st June, we will be hosting our Nursery to Year 2 Sports Day and on Wednesday 22nd June, we will be hosting our Years 3 to 6 Sports Day.

All Sports Days will be held at Hewens College field and **parents, guardians and carers are invited to attend**. Please see further information below for allocated times.

Date	Time	Year Group
Tuesday 21st June	9:15 to 11:15am	Little Acorns (AM and PM)
		Reception
	12:45 to 2:45pm	Year 1 Year 2
Wednesday 22nd June	9:15 to 11:15am	Year 3 Year 4
		Year 5 Year 6
	12:45 to 2:45pm	Year 5 Year 6

All children are required to wear the full and correct Physical Education (PE) Kit for Sports Day. If your child requires a PE Kit, please make sure you place an order via iPayimpact in advance to ensure its arrival prior to your child's Sports Day.

All children will also need their own water bottle which must be clearly labelled with their name.

Sun Cream and Hats

As we have reached the summer months, please ensure your child is wearing sun cream particularly on sunny days (which should be applied before coming to school) and a sun hat for when they are outside. Thank you.

World War II Workshop - Year 6

On Thursday 23rd June, Year 6 will take part in an interactive topic workshop. The workshops are being held to inspire an interest in the topics they have learnt. Most importantly, the children will garner first-hand experience about the topics through storytelling and drama.

Please ensure that your child does not miss out on this engaging learning experience!

New Reception Parents' Meeting

On Thursday 23rd June, there will be a meeting for parents, guardians and carers of children who are starting in our Reception in September 2022.

This meeting will be held in our Main Hall at 2:00pm. You will receive further information on the day in your new starter pack regarding uniform purchase. Thank you.

HHPSSA Cross County Competition

Hewens Primary School will be taking part in the HHPSSA Cross County Competition on Thursday 23rd June. A number of children from Years 5 and 6 have been selected to represent the School.

This event will take place at Charville Academy at 4:15pm and parents, guardians and carers are welcome to attend.

You will have received a letter regarding the event; please return the permission slip by Monday 20th June to authorise your child's attendance.


'Future Life' Presentation - Year 6

On Friday 24th June, officers from the Metropolitan Police Services will be coming in to deliver a presentation on increasing awareness of gangs and knife crime to our Year 6 children. Please ensure your child attends school on this day.

Battle of Britain Bunker Trip - Year 6

On Tuesday 28th June, the Year 6 children will be attending the Battle of Britain Bunker in Uxbridge. We would like to remind parents, guardians and carers that the reply slip and payment for the Battle of Britain Bunker are due by **Monday 20th June**.

All payments should be made through your child's iPayimpact account.

 <h2 style="text-align: center;">JUNE TO AUGUST 2022</h2>		
JUNE		
Friday 17th to Friday 24th		Multiplication Tables Check - Year 4
Friday 17th		Fast Feet Challenge begins
Tuesday 21st		World Music Day
Tuesday 21st	9:15am	Nursery and Reception Sports Day
	12:45pm	Years 1 and 2 Sports Day
Wednesday 22nd	9:15am	Years 3 and 4 Sports Day
	12:45pm	Years 5 and 6 Sports Day
Thursday 23rd		World War II Workshop
Thursday 23rd	2:00pm	New Reception Parent Meeting
Thursday 23rd	4:15pm	HHPSSA Cross County Competition
Friday 24th		'Future Life' Presentation - Year 6
		Air Balloon Challenge
Monday 27th to Wednesday 29th		London Rocks
Monday 27th June to Friday 1st July		Maths Week London
Tuesday 28th		Battle of Britain Bunker Trip - Year 6
Wednesday 29th and Thursday 30th		Last Days of Fun Clubs
Wednesday 29th		Ned's Mindset Missions Virtual Assembly
Thursday 30th	2:00pm	New Nursery Parent Meeting
JULY		
Friday 1st	1:45pm	World Music Day Assembly
Friday 1st		Obstacle Course Challenge
Monday 4th to Friday 8th		Monster Kickabout
Tuesday 5th		Transition Day
		Hearing and Vision Screening - Reception
Friday 8th	3:00pm	Summer Fair
Friday 8th		Plank Challenge
Monday 11th to Friday 15th		Alliance Challenge
Monday 18th		Year 6 'Take Over the School Day'
Monday 18th	4:00pm	Year 6 Leavers Disco
Tuesday 19th	10:00am	Year 6 School Leaving Ceremony
Tuesday 19th		End of Term - 12:00pm dismissal
Monday 25th to Thursday 28th		Summer School - Week 1
AUGUST		
Monday 1st to Thursday 4th		Summer School - Week 2

Advance Notice: Summer Fair - Rent a Table

On Friday 8th July, we shall be holding our annual Summer Fair, starting at 3:00pm. If you are interested in renting a table, please see the School Office with a deposit of £5. All money raised will be used to fund medals and trophies for our ongoing School's Challenge Quizzes.

		Week Commencing: Monday 20th June MENU 4
MONDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Spaghetti Bolognese	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Spaghetti Bolognese	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Mediterranean Pasta Bake	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Bolognese with Gluten free Pasta	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Raspberry Jelly	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
TUESDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Chicken Sausages with Mashed Potatoes and Beans	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Chicken Sausages with Mashed Potatoes and Beans	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Vegetarian Sausages with Mashed Potatoes and Onion Gravy	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Gluten free Pork Sausages with Mashed Potatoes without Milk or Butter	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Jam and Coconut Sponge	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
WEDNESDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Chicken with Noodles and Vegetable Stir Fry	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Chicken with Noodles and Vegetable Stir Fry	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Vegetable Stir Fry with Noodles	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Chicken with Vegetable Stir Fry	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Vanilla Ice Cream with Peaches	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
THURSDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes, Stuffing and Onion Gravy	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes, Stuffing and Onion Gravy	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Cheese and Onion Tart	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Roast Chicken with Roast Potatoes and Gluten free Gravy	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Chocolate Sponge	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
FRIDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Fish Fingers or Battered Chicken with Potato Wedges	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Fish Fingers or Battered Chicken with Potato Wedges	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Macaroni Cheese	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Gluten free Fish Fingers with Gluten free Potato Wedges and Beans	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Custard Tart	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
<i>Please note that all main meals are served with Fresh Vegetables of the Day</i>		

Advance Notice: Summer School

Hewens Primary School will be hosting an eight-day Summer School for pupils who are currently in Reception to Year 5. This will be held on **Monday 25th to Thursday 28th July and Monday 1st to Thursday 4th August** from 9:00am to 3:00pm. Unfortunately, we are not able to accommodate our current Nursery and Year 6 pupils. Summer School will be free for pupils who are entitled to Free School Meals (parents, guardians and carers who receive this benefit from the government). If you wish for your child to take part and they are not entitled to Free School Meals, this will attract a cost of **£5** per day. **We will send out an electronic form via text message for you to complete if you wish for your child to participate.**

No Smoking, Vaping and Use of Electronic Cigarettes

Smoking constitutes a fire risk and is a proven hazard to our health. Although harmful to all, passive smoking is particularly dangerous for babies and children. **Parents, guardians and carers are reminded that smoking, vaping and use of electronic cigarettes is strictly prohibited on the School grounds and is not permitted outside the School gates.** Please support us in our duty of care for your child by ensuring that you adhere to our 'No Smoking' policy. Thank you.