VICTORIA JUNIOR SCHOOL NEWSLETTER

Friday, 25th April 2025

Welcome back everyone. We hope you had a peaceful and relaxing break.

Although this Half Term is only five weeks long, it will be a very busy time for us, especially for our Year 6 pupils, who will be doing their SATs from the week beginning Monday, 12th May. We wish them all the best while they revise and recap all the fantastic learning they have been doing.

Dates for your Diaries:

Tuesday, 6th May & Thursday, 8th May - Parent's Evening

Monday, 12th May - Thursday, 15th May: Year 6 SATs

Reminders:

Please have a look at the attached documents we have sent you via email. Many thanks.

Please can we remind you that we are a nut free school. Please ensure no nut products are brought into school for lunch or as treats for celebrations etc...



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As I am sure, many of you are aware of the tragic incident that took place a few weeks ago in Bedfont. Three young adults unfortunately lost their lives and one of them was a former pupil at our school - Jimmy. Staff who have been at VJS during Jimmy's time here, have very fond memories of him and are devastated with this very sad news. He was a bright and happy-go-lucky child who touched all of our hearts.

I'm sure you will join us in wishing his family and friends sympathy and compassion.

May he rest in peace.

"Wherever a beautiful soul has been, there is a trail of beautiful memories."



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Supporting emotional health and wellbeing

Hounslow Family Hubs, in partnership with Solihull Approach, inourplace, and the NHS, are offering free online courses to support emotional health and wellbeing from pregnancy to 19+.

Designed by clinical psychologists, these courses help you better understand your child at every stage.

The courses can be translated into 108 languages using the Google Translate widget, with some of the courses including voiceovers in languages such as Modern Standard Arabic and Urdu.

For more information, please visit: https://inourplace.co.uk/hounslow/

Use code LBHPARENTS to register at: https://inourplace.heiapply.com/online-learning/courses

For more information contact familyhub@hounslow.gov.uk

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Hounslow's Special Educational Needs and Disabilities Information Advice and Support Service (SENDIASS)

We are excited to announce our brand-new SENDIASS website is live! You can view it here:

www.hounslowsendiass.orq.uk

Hounslow's Special Educational Needs and Disabilities Information Advice and Support Service (SENDIASS) provides free and confidential guidance regarding SEND for Hounslow parents, carers, children and young people aged 0-25.

We have worked hard to create a new website that is more accessible for Hounslow residents to use, so that families can better understand their rights and SEND policies, navigate Education, Health and Care plans (EHCPs) and prepare for annual reviews, mediation and tribunals. It will be a vital resource for Hounslow families who have children with SEND, who need increased support.

To get in touch with the SENDIASS team, call the helpline at 020 8583 2607 (Monday-Friday, 9AM-2PM) or email sendiass@hounslow.gov.uk. This is a self-referral service and professionals cannot refer on behalf of families.

For further information about SEND, including what advice and support is available within the borough, visit the Hounslow SEND Local Offer website: <u>SEND Local Offer I London Borough of Hounslow</u>





Recognitions

Since we have been back from the Easter holidays, children have been focusing on 'Being Ready'. Please celebrate the fantastic effort your children have been putting into their targets and see below those children who received certificates over the past week.

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Elm	Finley	Rowan	Raniesha	Holly	Victoria	Chestnut	Kaden











Friday, 25th April 2025

Summer Term 2025

Tuesday 22nd April - First day Summer Term

Monday 5th May - May Day Holiday (school closed)

Friday 23rd May - INSET Day (school closed to pupils)

Monday 26th May to Friday 30th May - Half Term Holiday

Monday 2nd June - First day Summer Term 2

Tuesday 22nd July - Last day Summer Term (school closes at 2pm)

VICTORIA JUNIOR SCHOOL CALENDAR 2025-2026



School open



Holidays and Bank Holidaysschool closed



INSET day (staff training) school closed for pupils

School opens for the Autumn Term on Wednesday 3 September 2025

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OCTOBER
School Closed on Friday 24
October 2025 for an Inset day
School closed for Half Term on
Monday 27 October to
Friday 31 October 2025

<u>NOVEMBER</u> Second half of the Autumn Term begins on Monday 3 November 2025

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DECEMBER School closes at 2pm on Friday 19 December 2025

School opens for the Spring term on Monday 5 January 2026

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FEBRUARY
School closed for Half Term on Monday 16 February to Friday 20 February 2026.
School Closed on Monday 23 February 2026 for an Inset Day
Second half of the Spring Term begins on Tuesday 24 February 2026

MARCH School closes at 2pm on Friday 27 March 2026

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APRIL
School opens for the Summer Term
on Monday 13 April 2026

MAY School Closed for Bank Holiday on Monday 4 May 2026 School closed for Half Term Monday 25 May to Friday 29 May 2026

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JUNE
Second half of the Summer Term
begins on Monday 1 June 2026

JULY School closes at 2pm on Friday 17 July 2026

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