



»»» NEWSLETTER «««



JOSEPH HOOD NEWS



»»» ANOTHER BUSY TERM!

As the Summer Term comes to a close, it's been great to see how much our children have achieved. They've shown a really positive attitude, tackling their learning with energy and enthusiasm. One of the highlights this term has been the fantastic range of educational visits – a brilliant way to bring lessons to life and explore new ideas outside the classroom.

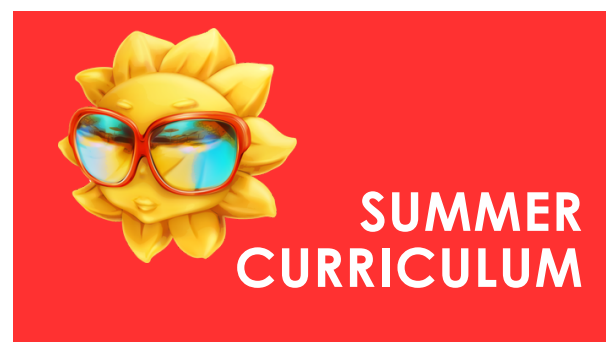
From start to finish, there's been a real buzz around school, and we are proud of how everyone has worked together and supported one another.

Well done to all – it's been a great term!



»»» TOPICS

- Nursery & Reception:** Amazing Animals
- Year 1:** Going on Safari / Katie's Travels
- Year 2:** The Seaside: Then and Now
- Year 3:** Ancient Egypt
- Year 4:** Greeks / Hampton Court- King or Jester?
- Year 5:** Anglo-Saxons and Vikings
- Year 6:** Shakespeare



➤➤➤ CURRICULUM ENRICHMENT

This Summer term, we have enriched our curriculum with the following educational visits and experience Days:

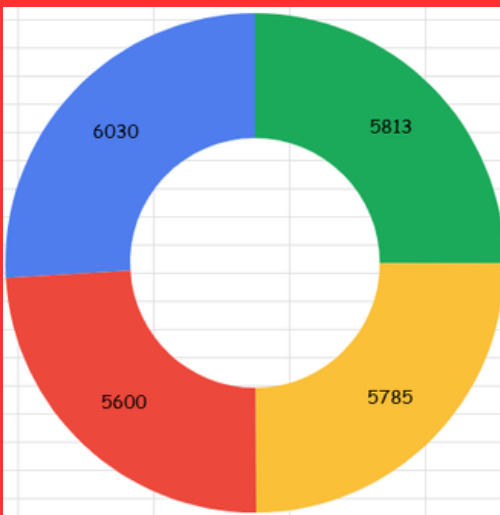
Hampton Court Palace, AfC Wimbledon, Morden Hall Park, Fruit Kebab making, The Globe Theatre, Littlehampton Beach, Viking Day, French Day, Number Rockstar's day, Mill Cottage Farm, Wiggly Wild Show, Emergency services visit, Y6 Ice-Cream Parlour.

We also had 2 very successful residential trips go out of school: Stubbington and PGL Liddington.



➤➤➤ HOUSE POINTS

Congratulations to **Piccadilly House** for winning the House Point Cup this year.



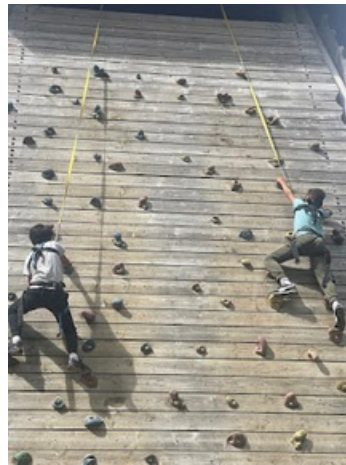
➤➤➤ GREAT RESULTS!

Please celebrate with us the hard work of all children this year. Our end of Key Stage 2 SATs results demonstrate the ongoing hard work and commitment from staff and children. A huge well done to all of the children. We are extremely proud of you all.

KS2 SATs Tests	RWM Combined %	Reading % EXS+	Reading % GDS	Maths % EXS+	Maths % GDS+	Grammar Punctuation
Joseph Hood 2025	66	84.4	37.3	84.3	39.2	88.2
Merton	64.5	80	35.3	80.7	34.8	-
National	60.6	74.3	28.5	73.1	23.8	72

➤➤➤ KEEPING ACTIVE AT JHPS

This term, we have participated in a large variety of sporting events and activities: Athletics, Football, Cricket, Sports Days, Rounders, Climbing, Zip lining, Tennis, Family Fun Run Day.



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>>> A FEW GOOD BYE'S

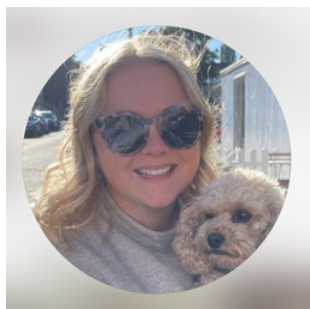
Year 6 will be leaving us this week. It is always such a sad time however, we know that the children are well prepared for the next stage in their school life. We wish every one of them the best of luck.
Keep in touch !



GOOD
LUCK!



We are also saying good bye to a few staff members.
Mrs Child's, Mr Johnston and Miss Fahmida.
Mrs Bartlett will also be leaving to start her maternity leave.
We wish them all lots of luck.
They have all played a valuable role in supporting our children.



Be Ready 

Be Respectful 

Be Safe 



ATTENDANCE

100%

Congratulations to all of the children who have achieved 'GOLD' award this year. They will be receiving a voucher. We had our Silver Breakfast this week with our Silver and Gold Attendance Award children. Well done.

Our Gold winners: Freddie (Y3), Shin (Y3), Ellis (Y3), Ivann (Y3), Archie (Y4), Yuvaan (Y4), Bethan (Y5), Lucas (Y6)

Our Silver winners: Arthur K, Remy, Clover, Lola, Piotr, Joy, Jessica S, Neve, Edward, Josh P, Rosie, Lizzie, Eva P, Matilda A, Moritz, Luke G, Jamie H, Himari, Matias, Yulli, Uthara, Grace W, Ryo, Bella S-S, Emilia T, Luko, Joana K, Daria T, Amelie V-C, Reiley, Samuel, Thea, Oluwaunmise, Alec J, Zachary F, Daniel C, Seb F, Ettore, Ariana S, Emma D, Leo J, Charlie W.



MODERN FOREIGN LANGUAGES



A message from Madame D'Cruz:

We ended our DT and French fashion topic on the cat walk! The children had a fantastic time modelling their waistcoats and announcing with a 'je porte un gilet..' what they were wearing. Some children showed off their great sewing skills others held theirs together as their project didn't quite go to plan. Nevertheless, we had fun! We learnt some new French words and attempted some sewing skills. The Year 5 children really enjoyed the fashion show and are eager to take on the Waistcoat fashion show challenge next year! Year 6 you have been a wonderful year group -

Au revoir et bonnes vacances, bonne chance pour septembre.

AUTUMN TERM 2025 -KEY DATES FOR START OF TERM

- 01/09- INSET DAY
- 02/09- CHILDREN IN Y1 TO Y6 START BACK TO SCHOOL.
- 02/09- NURSERY AND RECEPTION CHILDREN BEGIN BACK ON STAGGERED DATES. YOU SHOULD HAVE RECEIVED A LETTER WITH YOUR CHILD'S START DATE.
- 05/09- PGL PARENT MEETING
- 08/09- YEAR 6 COFFEE MORNING
- 08/09- YEAR 6 SWIMMING STARTS
- 09/09- YEAR 5 COFFEE MORNING
- 10/09- YEAR 4 COFFEE MORNING
- 11/09- YEAR 3 COFFEE MORNING
- 16/09- YEAR 2 COFFEE MORNING
- 17/09- YEAR 1 COFFEE MORNING
- 15/09- RECEPTION COFFEE MORNING
- 28/09- YEAR 6 TRIP TO ISLE OF WIGHT- PGL
- 01/10- NURSERY COFFEE MORNING

Have a great SUMMER



Nursery have their say ...

