Cherry Lane Newsletter

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Dates for the Diary- July/September

🕼 Monday 14th July – Rock Steady Concert – AM Monday 14th July – Year 3 & 4 End of year assembly – Invite only Tuesday 15th July – Year 4 Activity – We are Futures Roadshow Wednesday 16th July- Year 5&6 Sports day - AM Wednesday 16th July – Year 3&4 End of year class parties Wednesday 16th July – Nursery teddy bear picnic – AM 10:30-11:30, Full time and PM 2:15-3:15 Thursday 17th July – Reception beach party – No parents Thursday 17th July – Nursery graduation – Parents for photos 11:20am & 3:10pm Friday 18th July – **Year 3** trip to Hertfordshire Zoo Friday 18th July – Reports out to parents Monday 21st July – Year 6 leavers disco 5:30-7pm Monday 21st July – Reception Graduation 1:45pm and Family picnic at 2:15 in reception village Tuesday 22nd July – **Year 6** leaver's assembly 11:30 – Year 6 finish at 12pm **TUESDAY 22ND JULY – END OF TERM – SCHOOL FINISHED AT 2PM**

Tuesday 2nd September – **Training Day- School closed to pupils** Wednesday 3rd September – **Children back to school**





School dinner menu for September is Live on parent pay. Please make sure you book your child's lunch before **27**th **August** for the first week back at school. If you miss the deadline, you MUST provide a packed lunch home. Due to the high volumes we are expecting for lunch in September there will be no exceptions.

From September 2025 breakfast club MUST be booked and paid for in advance via ParentPay. This needs to be booked by the night before in the same way as booking lunch. There is a £2 charge per child per day. Children with have the option to have a healthy breakfast of either toast or cereal.

Please make sure you clear current debt.

We use ParentPay to send text messages and emails updating parents, please make sure your contact information is correct on your ParentPay account.

Children return to school on Wednesday 3rd September (Tuesday 2th is a training day)



Staffing Update:

We are sad to be saying goodbye to some members of staff this year.

Class teachers leaving us are Mrs Rickerby, Mrs Nelson, Mrs Sissons, Mrs Crizzle and our part time teacher Miss Cook. We thank them all they have done for Cherry Lane and wish them all the best for the future. One of our LSAs, Mrs Mobeen is also leaving us and we wish her all the best.



In September, we look forward to welcoming 4 class teachers – Miss Grewal, Mrs Karim, Miss Dietrich and Miss Mackay. Welcome to Cherry Lane.

Miss Atsou will be commencing her maternity leave at the end of this term and we wish her all the best. Miss Dring will be SRP teacher to cover this maternity leave. We're reaching out to ask for your support in promoting this summer's **Holiday Activities and Food** (**HAF**) **programme** in Hillingdon. We have a fantastic range of fully funded free holiday programmes running across the area, offering fun, enriching activities and healthy meals for eligible children.

We would really appreciate your help in:

• Sharing information about the programme with eligible families

• Encouraging sign-ups to ensure children don't miss out on these valuable opportunities

This exciting programme is available to school-aged children from Reception to Year 11 who are eligible for benefits-related free school meals in Hillingdon. This summer's activities include:

- Sports sessions
- Drama and creative arts programmes
- Multi-activity camps
- STEM (Science, Technology, Engineering, and Maths) workshops
- SEND-friendly activity camps
- ...and much more!

As you know, the HAF programme is aimed at children in receipt of benefits-related Free School Meals, but we also have a limited number of **discretionary places** for other vulnerable children. If you are working with a child who does not meet the Free School Meal eligibility criteria, you can request a discretionary place by completing a short referral form [Discretionary place request form].

Full details of our programmes, including how to book and provider contact information, can be found on our website <u>www.hillingdon.gov.uk/haf-programme</u>.

Do you need more information or help?

Contact us via <u>HAFprogramme@hillingdon.gov.uk</u> or on 01895 277881.





W/E 11/07/2025

Attendance

Reception – Hedgehogs 95%

KS1 – 2Z 97%

KS2 – 4R 99%

Walking Bear (Year 1 & 2)

1st – 2M

Walking to school trophy (Year 3-5)

1st – 3C

Walking to school trophy (Year 6)

1st – 6S

Bookworms (KS1)

KS1 – 2Z

Super Stepper Winner

Reception / KS1 – 1A

KS2 – 6C

House points

Gunnersbury

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SCHOOL TERM AND HOLIDAYS FOR THE SCHOOL YEAR 2024/2025

<u>Summer Term - 2025</u>

Training day: Summer 1 starts: Half term: Summer 2 starts: **Training day:** Term ends: Tuesday 22nd April (school closed to pupils) Wednesday 23rd April Monday, 26th May to Friday, 30th May Monday 2rd June Monday 30th June (school closed to pupils) Tuesday 22rd July @ 2pm

Bank Holidays

2025

May Day Bank Holiday: Monday, 5th May Spring Bank Holiday: Monday 26th May Summer Bank Holiday: Monday 25th August

<u>Autumn Term - 2025</u>

Training Day: Autumn 1 starts: Training Day: Half term: Autumn 2 starts: Term ends:

Tuesday, 2nd September (school closed to pupils)
arts: Wednesday, 3rd September
Friday 24th October (school closed to pupils)
Monday, 27th October to Friday, 31st October
arts: Monday 3rd November
Friday, 19th December @2pm
(3 additional Teacher Training Days are to be confirmed)

HOLIDAYS ARE NOT AUTHORISED DURING TERM TIME

KEY CONTACTS

Head Teacher: Miss Tranter

Reporting an absence – Choose telephone option 1

Welfare – Choose telephone option 2

Admissions – Mrs Haddad – Choose telephone option 3

Business Manager – Mrs Sondi – Choose telephone option 4

To speak to main office please hold

If you wish to make an appointment to see a teacher, please contact the school office.