



Fairholme Primary School

'We believe we can achieve'

A message from Mrs Harris our Headteacher:

What a wonderful start to the Autumn Term it has been. We enjoyed meeting families at our Meet the Teacher meetings and talking to you about the year ahead. Fortunately, the sun came out to play for our Welcome Back picnic, it was a great to see everyone enjoying themselves and getting to know one another.

The children have all returned to school looking very smart in their school uniform and have settled in well to their classes. They have been very busy engaged in learning, learning new routines and getting to know new teachers.

We have lots of exciting things planned for the Autumn Term from an author visiting Nursery, a Poetry trip for our budding poets, Heart Dissecting in Year 6 to a Dinosaur workshop in Year 1!

This week our whole school attendance was 96.4%. Let's aim for 97% next week.

Have a lovely weekend, rest, read, spend time together and we will look forward to seeing you on Monday.

Congratulations...

Gracie and Masroor have been appointed as our Head Girl and Head Boy for this year.

And, Aoife and Keegan were appointed as their Deputies.



Uniform



Our second-hand school uniform shop is open every Wednesday at 3pm in the wooden hall near to the office.

Communication

Please do come and chat to us. Senior staff will be on the playgrounds at the beginning and end of school each day. Class teachers will be available for a chat at the end of the day.

Please do email or call the office, if you need to book an appointment or are unable to come and see us:

office@fairholme.hounslow.sch.uk

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At Fairholme we believe that teaching children to read and helping them to develop a love of reading are some of the most valuable things we can do with them.

Listening to your child read, reading to them and reading yourself are all so important.

Reading is key to our curriculum, being able to read unlocks the curriculum and allows children to engage in their learning process so much more.

Please do try to find time to read with your child on a regular basis.



If you need any help with this, come and chat to us.

Our new after school club, JAG, that will run until 5.45pm each day is starting Monday 25th September. Please do pop and see them.



Our Year 6 children will be thinking about their secondary schools already. You can now apply for your child's secondary school place online at www.hounslow.gov.uk/secondaryadmissions. The closing date is 31st October.

Question of the week

Would you rather live in the clouds or underwater?

Thought for the week

Reading is to the mind what exercise is to the body.


Dates for your diary for the Autumn Term:

Date	Event
4th – 6th October	Year 6 Residential Trip
20th October	Curriculum showcase Come in to school and see your child's books and wonderful learning
10th November	Reception, Ks 1 and 2 Disco
14th November	KS1 and 2 Pantomime in school
15th November	School Photos – individual and sibling
22nd November 23rd November	Parents' Evening
7th December	Christmas Jumper and Christmas Lunch Day
8th December	After school Christmas Fair
8th December	Nursery Christmas Singing 10.45am
12th December	Reception Christmas Performances 9.30am and 2.15pm
13th December	Years 1 and 2 Christmas Performances 9.30am and 2.15pm
14th December	Years 3 and 4 Christmas Performances 9.30am and 2.15pm
15th December	Years 5 and 6 Christmas Performances 9.30am and 2.15pm
21st December	Last day of term, school finishes at 12.30pm
8th January	Spring Term Begins Inset Day for children
9th January	Children return to school