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Thank you to all Spring Grove parents, carers and families for trying so hard with the home schooling. You have impressed us so much with your talents, adaptability and tenaciousness. We know it has not been easy yet all families have ensured that children have accessed their learning and so many of you have go above and beyond and have made the best of challenging circumstances.

A letter was emailed out to all families earlier this week outlining arrangements for school from Monday 8th March. Please make sure that you read this and are familiar with the arrangements.

We look forward to seeing all of the children on **Monday 8th March**. Please ensure that you arrive at the appropriate time and go straight to your classroom.

The important bits are:

- ❖ Attendance is mandatory
- ❖ Staggered start and finish times for the various bubbles
- ❖ Both entrances to school will be open
- ❖ Parents to remain off site in the mornings and say goodbye to children at the gate
- ❖ Parents may enter the school site at pick-up times but must maintain a safe distance from each other and leave swiftly once child has been collected.
- ❖ E-mail or phone school to discuss any issues– we are unable to host parents in the building at the moment.
- ❖ All adults and children over 11 to wear face covering when on school site.
- ❖ Primary children should not wear face coverings in school.
- ❖ School uniform is to be worn.
- ❖ Come to school in PE kit on PE days.
- ❖ School lunches available from 8th March. Parents must book lunches online before returning to school.
- ❖ After school provision will start after Easter.
- ❖ Breakfast Club provision will start after Easter if there are at least 10 children requiring it.

Staggered Start and End Times

Year Group	Start	End
Nursery	8.45am	11.45am (15 hours)
		2.45pm (30 hours)
Reception	8.55am	3.00pm
Years 1 and 2	8.30-8.40am	3.00pm
Years 3 and 4	8.45-8.55am	3.10pm
Years 5 and 6	8.45-8.55am	3.20pm



WORLD BOOK DAY

Dress up as your favourite book character on Friday 12th March



World Book Day was officially on Thursday 4th March but we have decided to celebrate it next week when all of the children are in school. Throughout the week classes will be engaged in activities related to stories and books. On **Friday 12th March** children are invited to come to school **dressed as a book**

character and we will hold a virtual assembly in school so that they can all enjoy seeing each other in their costumes!

School will be OPEN TO ALL CHILDREN from Monday 8th March 2021.

IMPORTANT: SUNSHINE Club will re-open after Easter holidays.

Family Maths Challenge

Hello Mathematicians,

I can honestly say I was so impressed with all of the creative and colourful Mandala patterns you turned in. You always amaze me. I really do enjoy looking at your work and it makes me so happy to know you enjoy these maths activities.

A special well done goes to Aayan J and Nimesh.

Multiplication Table Wheel

If any of you know me, you will hear me talking about the importance of learning the times tables all the time. By the end of Y2 you should know and be able to recall the 2, 5 and 10 times table. By the end of Y3 you should also know the 3, 4 and 8 times table and by the end of Y4 you should know all of the times tables up to 12.

Times tables are so important to learn. If you cannot multiply you will not be able to divide. Times tables also helps us to do fractions, ratio, proportion algebra and so many other areas of mathematics.

This week I would like you to make a multiplication wheel. I suggest you choose a times table you need to learn or improve on. There is a link below that shows you how to do this.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=ZZ7qL7rGLN0>



Please upload a photo of your multiplication table wheel for me to see.

Thank you for taking the time to do this.

Mrs Jasavala

The Family Food Club

School holidays can be challenging for families. Perhaps your financial situation has recently changed or your budget means that you are struggling to put healthy meals on the table during the holidays.

The Family Food Club is excited to be launching this Easter, providing fresh and free takeaway meals, food parcels and activities to any family with children that is in need of a helping hand.

Launched by a group of local volunteers, this club will run at lunchtime on Wednesday 7th and Wednesday 14th April for families to come and collect a takeaway hot meal, offering a choice of meat and vegetarian dishes. Food collection will be from St Johns Church Hall on St Johns Rd and will be compliant with COVID safety guidelines.

To book your collection slot please contact Rachel (a Year 4 Rauf mum) at rachelmaclure@stjohnsisleworth.org.uk.

Hot off the press

We are proud to announce Spring Grove has been recognised as a 'MUSIC MARK SCHOOL' by Hounslow Music Centre.

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Daffodils around School

It is wonderful to see the Daffodils which we planted in the Autumn Term to mark the 'Hello Yellow Day' are now blooming.

Rithvika (Year 5) has taken some great pictures of them. Don't they look amazing?



Children planting Daffodil bulbs -
October 2020



Daffodils blooming - March 2021

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Celebration Awards

Friday 5th March 2021

Class	Name	Reason
Nursery - Inkpen	Luan	For an amazing Goldilocks story map.
	Jessica	For great progress in her writing, especially with the letters in her name.
	All the families in Nursery	For the amazing support they have given the adults in Nursery and the quality of support they have given to their children in the completion of any activity set. We would have been unable to remotely teach the children the way we have without you administering the games and activities at home. Thank you all.
Reception - Mckee	Adrian	Experimenting with reflection and handing a lovely picture.
	Marian	For always handing in work on time and always with a huge smile!
Year 1 - Donaldson	Aliza	Great work at home.
	Harshin	Great work at home.
	Imaad	Wonderful dinosaur pictures.
	Sanah	Excellent reading.
Year 2 - Grey	Cyrus	For his brilliant effort, determination and attitude towards his learning this week.
	Kanika	For trying her best and always contributing on Google Classroom.
Year 3 - Zephaniah	Aisheek	Constant enthusiasm each day during every lesson.
	Aaliyah	Consistently putting huge amounts of effort into her work each lesson, every week. It is a pleasure to read and mark her work
Year 4 - Horowitz	Aung	Great work in English, particularly a story about a 'One Man Band.'
	Sai Gautam	Great reading in our Guided Reading Google Meet sessions and showing improvement in his story writing skills.
	Daniel	Good improvement in his reading skills and making sensible, thoughtful contributions about a variety of books.
Year 4 - Rauf	Riley	Fantastic and imaginative artwork.
	Skyla	Creative storytelling and dressing up.
Year 5 - Rundell	Anesh and Eias	Excellent scientific thinking.
	Shreya and Rithvika	Outstanding writing last week.
Year 6 - Tan	Catherine	Always taking note of the teacher's comments on GC and improving her work to the best of her ability - well done.
	Nimesha and Syon	Fabulous presentations of their 'Optional Projects' during this week's Live Meet - they have shown interest, enthusiasm and commitment to learn about topics of interest - well done.



GET TESTED today

The chance of a return to normal life on June 21st is not one any of us want to miss.

Hounslow still has one of the highest rates of infections in London.

With schools re-opening on Monday 8th March there will be more contact between families as parents/guardians drop off and collect children from school. Teachers will be taking part in testing twice a week and we want parents to support this effort by accessing our FREE Rapid COVID testing in the community.

Around 1 in 3 people who have COVID-19 don't show any symptoms and can spread it without knowing. We are encouraging ALL parents/guardians who will be taking children to school to get a COVID-19 test. Our centres are open 7 days a week.

What do you need to?

Book a test at www.hounslow.gov.uk/rapidtest or call: 0207 084 9697

Test sites open 7 day a week for people with out symptoms

- **Heston Library** New Heston Road, Hounslow TW5 0LW
- **Hounslow House** 7 Bath Road, Hounslow TW3 3EB
- **Isleworth Library** Twickenham Road, Isleworth TW7 7EU
- **Staines Rugby Club** Snakey Lane, Feltham TW13 7NB

If you have symptoms book a test here <https://www.gov.uk/get-coronavirus-test> or call 119

You might be eligible for support if you need to self-isolate. To find out if you qualify visit:
<https://www.hounslow.gov.uk/hub>

Helps us safely release restrictions and get our children back to school