Feltham Hill
Infant and Nursery School

18th September 2026
http:/www.fhi.hounslow.sch.uk/

Newsletter

Whole School Attendance — 95.3%

Dear Parent/Carer,

It has been another busy week at school, and it was wonderful to see so many parents and carers attending our Curriculum Information Meetings. Thank you for taking the time to come along. If you were unable to attend, the presentation slides will be sent home shortly.

A reminder to our Reception parents and carers that their Curriculum Information Meeting will take place next Wednesday, 23rd September.

We have also had lots of interest in our planned parent coffee mornings. Further details, including dates and the focus for each session, have already been emailed to you.

Finally, please can I remind everyone about the importance of safe and considerate parking at drop-off and collection times. We have received reports of local residents being blocked in their driveways. Please ensure that driveways, dropped kerbs and access points are kept clear at all times. The roads around the school will now also be monitored by mobile CCTV enforcement teams, so please take extra care to park legally and safely.

Thank you, as always, for your continued support.
Felicity Sinclair
Acting Headteacher

Needed For Forest School

Our Forest School will be starting next week and Mrs Rolls has asked that if anyone has any pine cones, conkers or sticks or wants to collect any for the school please can they hand them into the office. Thank you





School Email Issues



We have had reports from some parents that they are not receiving emails from us. If you know of a parent that this is affecting please advise them to check their spam/junk folders.

The issue seems to be mainly affecting Gmail users but if they are not receiving the weekly newsletter on a Friday from the school email—office@fhi.hounslow.sch.uk please tell them to get in touch.

If affected, please use the 'report not as spam/junk' feature. Our IT provider has raised the issue with Google.

Thank you for your patience.

Dates For Your Diary

September
Wed 23rd– Learning in Reception meeting 9.00am & 5.00pm

October
Mon 5th — Flu Nasal Spray/Injection Nurs/Rec/Yr 1/Yr 2
Wed 14th– Parents evenings—3.40-6.30pm
Thurs 15th – Parents evenings—3.40-6.30pm

Half Term Holiday
Monday 26th—Friday 31st October

How to report your child's absence or appointment

Send a WhatsApp message to 07962 608 537 by 8:00am.
Please do NOT call the school number to speak to a member of staff or leave a message.
Please include:

- **Your child's full name**
- **Their class**
- **A clear reason for their absence/appointment**
- **Attach photo of any medical documentation/ appointments**

Continue to update the school if your child remains absent due to illness. The school will contact you.

Reception Parents/Carers

Please be reminded of the **Learning in Reception** meeting next **Wednesday 23rd September** at either 9am or 5pm.

We would also like to inform parents/carers of our **home-time procedure**. Please take a moment to read this carefully, as it is important for the safety of all our children.

At home time:

- Please **queue outside the classroom door in the order you arrive**, keeping the queue orderly and avoiding gathering in a crowd around the doorway. Children need clear space to safely leave their classrooms.
- Children are being taught to **wait inside until a school adult calls their name**. Please do not call your child from outside, wave to them or encourage them to come out.
- The **teacher or school adult must call each child and ensure a safe handover** to the adult collecting them before they leave.
- If you have older siblings with you, please ensure they **stay with you in the queue** rather than gathering around the classroom door. This can make it difficult for the younger children to leave and creates confusion.
- Children must be collected by an **adult** or sibling aged 14 or over.

School Lunch Menu
Children are enjoying the fresh meals cooked by our catering team. Please note the published weeks for the menu have changed to what was previously advertised. Please see https://www.fhi.hounslow.sch.uk/school-lunches for the correct week order. We have just finished week 1 of our autumn menu and will be going into week 2 next week.

Ofsted Outstanding Provider

Weekly Class Attendance / Lates League

When Reception children have settled and are attending full time we will start our weekly class attendance and late leagues. The classes that are top at the end of the year will get prizes.

At Feltham Hill, our vision and ethos is about developing the whole child. A key part of this is helping children feel safe, settled and ready to learn – and that starts with being in school, on time, every day.

We want every pupil to attend regularly and arrive punctually. Children who attend well are more likely to feel happy and confident, build strong friendships and make the progress they are capable of.

Polite Reminder – Parking



At drop-off and pick-up times please be considerate to other residents whose roads surround the school, particularly Raleigh Road and Bedfont Road. Please also follow our school rules.

- Please don't park across residents driveways
- Please don't attempt to use the school car park
- Please don't park across or block the school gates

We have been informed by Hounslow Council that there will now be Civil Enforcement Officer (CEO) and mobile CCTV Enforcement teams patrolling the area so please ensure you park correctly

Thank you for your cooperation and for helping us keep children safe and being considerate to our neighbours

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School Website

Please take the time to look at our school website. It has a translate button in the top right corner which we hope will be useful to many of our parents. You will find lots of useful information on, for example;

- Lunch Menus
- Term Dates
- Admissions
- Uniform
- Curriculum
- Milk
- ParentPay
- School timings
- Ofsted
- Attendance
- Safeguarding
- Policies
- New events and information

Please click on the following link https://www.fhi.hounslow.sch.uk/

Feltham Hill Infant and Nursery School - Holidays 2026/2027

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Inset Day (School Closed) | School Holidays | Bank holidays | Weekends | 1 | 1.30pm finish - no afternoon nursery



Feltham Hill School Uniform



Grey trousers



Grey Skirt



Grey Pinafore



(Boys and Girls)

Green Logo Sweatshirt



White Polo Shirt



Green Cardigan



Black School Shoes





No Trainers



During warm weather, the following items of uniform are acceptable

Green chequered Summer Dress



Grey Shorts (Not PE)



Hounslow School Nursing Service

National Eye Health Week

21 – 27 September 2026

Steps to Healthy Eye Care:

Have regular health eye check-ups. Ensure your child has had an eye check up by the age of 5 years (the School Nursing Team offer Reception children in the borough a vision check) and then every 2 years or more often if recommended by an optician.

Be aware of your risk of various eye conditions. Speak to your family members, as knowledge of your family history can help you to detect issues before they become more serious.

The best foods for eye health include nutrient-rich fruits and vegetables, such as blueberries, peaches, avocado, kale, leeks, spinach and red peppers. Other foods that are good for eye health are cold water fish, like tuna, sardines and mackerel.

Exercising isn't just good for your body but for your eyes as well. Scientific evidence suggests that engaging in aerobic exercise increases the vital supply of oxygen to your optic nerve to lower the pressure in your eyes. Get your children playing outside!

Screen time: Ensure you and your child have regular screen breaks. Alongside resting your eyes from the strain of digital devices, you should also be giving them a good rest every night to avoid them becoming red, puffy and irritated.

Sunglasses can make a big difference. These don't need to be expensive but it's important that they filter at least 99% of UVA and UVB light to keep your eyes safe. For your children's eye health, you should also ensure they always wear eye protection glasses when out in sunlight. More than half-a-lifetime's worth of UV light will have been absorbed by a child's eyes by the time they reach 18 years old, so it's important to be proactive with protection.

For more information on National Eye Health Week and resources to support eye health, visit the following links:

Vision Matters: https://www.visionmatters.org.uk/

RNIB: How to keep your eyes healthy | RNIB

Moorfields Eye Hospital (NHS) : Moorfields Eye Hospital (NHS) - Moorfields Eye Hospital

11-19 years old? Young people in Hounslow can text a School Nurse on **07507 333 176** for confidential advice and support.

ChatHealth

Receive an answer within one working day from a qualified School Nurse
(Monday to Friday 9.00am-4.30pm)

Parents and carers in Hounslow can text a School Nurse on **07312 263 080** for confidential advice and support for their child or teenager.

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NHS
North West London



A healthier smile starts here

New NHS dental clinics for children in Hounslow

Free, friendly and local.

Is your child aged 0-16 and living in Hounslow? Have they seen a dentist in the last 12 months?

We're here to help with a new service, designed for children/young people who have never seen a dentist or have not seen one in the last 12 months.

What's on offer?

- new NHS dental services for children in Hounslow
- appointments with a child-friendly team
- skilled, caring dental teams used to working with children who may not be used to going to the dentist
- free NHS dental treatment for children and young people
- helpful advice for parents and children on diet, toothbrushing and how to maintain a healthy mouth
- local clinics near family hubs, schools and children's centres.

How to access

Speak to a member of staff to find out more information or contact one of our friendly dental practices.

Dental Beauty Feltham	Dental Beauty Bedfont	Hamilton Dental Care
229 Hounslow Rd, Feltham TW13 6AD	522 Staines Rd, Feltham TW14 8DF	8, Hamilton Parade, Groveley Rd, Feltham TW13 4PJ