

Year 3 and 4 Sports Day

On Wednesday 7th July, the Year 3 and 4 children took part in their much-anticipated Sports Day. The children were all excited and eager to take part in the number of activities planned for the day, ranging from the egg and spoon race, penalty shoot-out, an obstacle course and various track events. All the children worked collectively in their tube stations, embodying competitive spirit and skill as well as exemplifying good sportsmanship on the field in celebrating their teammates' achievements.

After what has been an unusual time for our children, it was wonderful to see them taking part in this event in a joyous manner, laughing, cheering and generally really enjoying their morning.

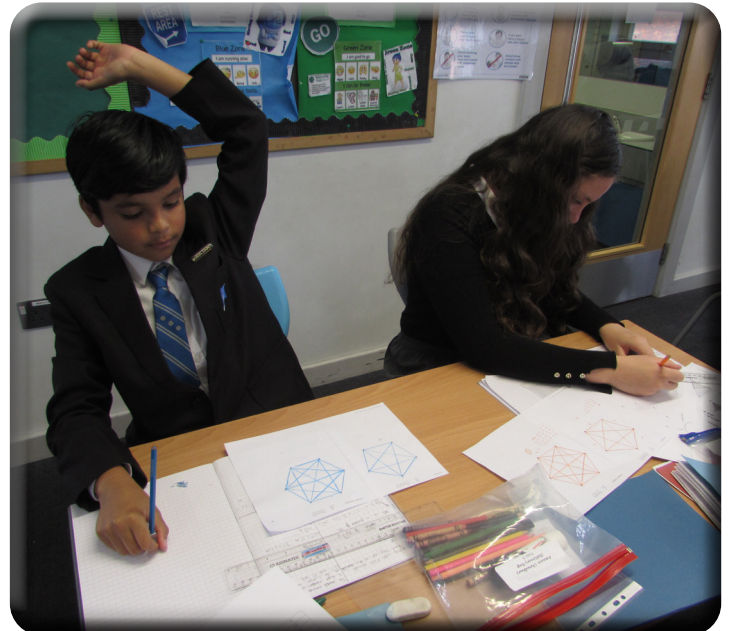
Thank you to the Rosedale College Physical Education (PE) Alliance for putting on such a well-organised and varied morning for the children.





Year 6 Mathematics Challenge

A team of Mathematics specialists from the Mathematics Alliance at Rosedale College visited our Year 6 children last week to do a Mathematics activity that got some children thinking about problem solving in Mathematics. All the pupils involved were very enthusiastic and absolutely loved both the sessions. The investigation they were trying to crack over the two days was the famous 'handshake problem', with the big question being: "How many handshakes will happen in a room of 50 people, if every person were to shake hands with everyone else in the room?" The majority of the pupils felt it was so much fun and they were very impressed with some Mathematics tricks they were shown during the sessions. Well done to all the pupils who took part in the sessions with so much energy and those who came up with the formula in the end. We look forward to working with the College for future sessions in the next academic year.



Preventing Germs - Good Hygiene

Following the advice given by the World Health Organisation (WHO), it is imperative that you follow these basic protective measures against coronavirus:

- Washing your hands frequently
- Maintaining social distancing
- Avoid touching eyes, nose and mouth
- Practise respiratory hygiene

You must also follow the advice given by your healthcare provider, your national and local public health authority or your employer on how to protect yourself from COVID-19.

2021 to 2022 Term Dates

 Terms and Holidays 2021-22 PRIMARY PHASE	
AUTUMN TERM 2021	
Staff Training: (All day)	Wednesday 1st September 2021 [Training – all day]
Staff Training: (Half day)	Thursday 2nd September 2021 [Training – morning only] [Parent Consultation – afternoon and early evening]
Term Begins:	Friday 3rd September 2021 (All year groups)
Half Term:	Monday 25th to Friday 29th October 2021
Term Ends:	Friday 17th December 2021
SPRING TERM 2022	
Staff Training: (All day)	Tuesday 4th January 2022 [Training – all day]
Staff Training: (Half day)	Wednesday 5th January 2022 [Training – morning only] [Parent Consultation – afternoon and early evening]
Term Begins:	Thursday 6th January 2022
Half Term:	Monday 14th to Friday 18th February 2022
Term Ends:	Friday 1st April 2022
SUMMER TERM 2022	
Staff Training: (All day)	Tuesday 19th April 2022 [Training – all day]
Staff Training: (Half day)	Wednesday 20th April 2022 [Training – morning only] [Parent Consultation – afternoon and early evening]
Term Begins:	Thursday 21st April 2022
Bank Holiday:	Monday 2nd May 2022 (May Day)
Half Term:	Monday 30th May to Friday 3rd June 2022
Term Ends:	Wednesday 20th July 2022
Staff Training:	Thursday 21st July 2022
Staff Training:	Friday 22nd July 2022

New YouTube Channel

We have now set up a new YouTube channel where any exhilarating challenges, outstanding performances and notable events will be uploaded for all to view. Please subscribe to Rosedale Primary School via (<https://trhat.co.uk/youtube-pp/>) to stay connected, gain new insights and to avoid missing out on any exciting content uploaded in the upcoming weeks. Please remember to like and share the videos and click the notification bell to receive instant updates each time a new video is uploaded! Thank you for your continued support.

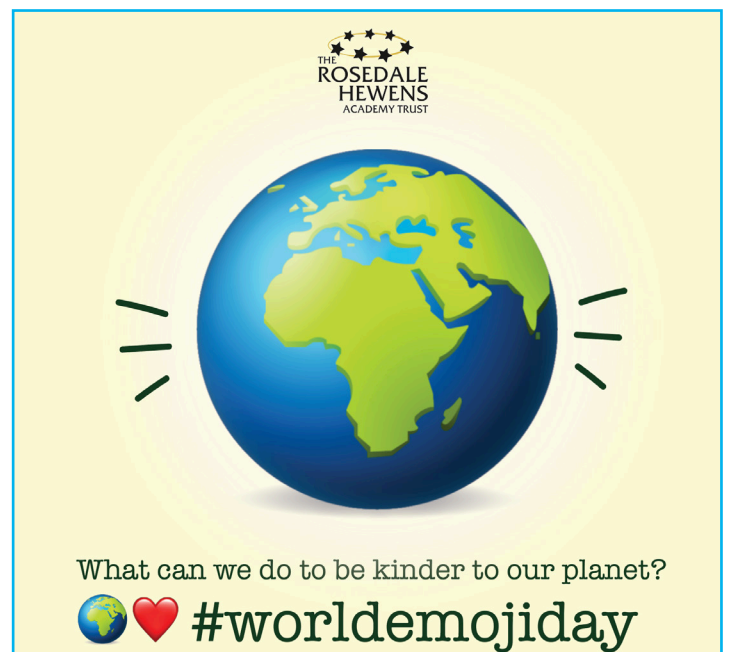


World Emoji Day – Saturday 17th July

WE LOVE OUR PLANET but it is in need of a little more love and kindness from us all. During the summer holidays, you will be spending more time at home; we want you to think about what you can do to make our planet smile more.

What can we do to be kinder to our planet?

- Save water
- Walk more
- Recycle
- Turn off all electricity when not in use
- Be kind to everyone you meet



Report Packs

Please note that you will be given your child's report pack on Wednesday 21st July when you collect your child from school. These contain your child's reports and parent consultation times. The report packs will only be handed to parents, guardians or carers. If you are unable to collect them on this day, they will be kept in the School Office for safekeeping and you will be advised to collect them on either Thursday 22nd or Friday 23rd July. After such time, the packs will be posted to your home address. Thank you.

End of Term - Wednesday 21st July

Parents, guardians and carers are reminded that Wednesday 21st July is the last day of term. Children will be dismissed at staggered times starting from 11:30am. Please see below for times:

Year Group	Pick-Up Time
Lark	11:30am
Reception, Years 1 and 2	12:00pm
Years 3 and 4	12:15pm
Years 5 and 6	12:30pm

Please note that afternoon Nursery will not be open on this day. Also, due to the early dismissals, there will be no aftercare provision available on this day.

Parent Consultation - Wednesday 1st and Thursday 2nd September

The online Parent Consultations will take place via your child's Microsoft Teams account on Wednesday 1st and Thursday 2nd September. Each child will receive a letter in their report packs confirming the date and time of their appointment, as well as your child's Microsoft Teams email address. If you have lost or forgotten your password, please let the School Office know.

Each appointment is 10 minutes long, therefore, please ensure you log in with sufficient time to allow the appointments to run smoothly and on schedule. If you miss your appointment slot, you will need to contact the School Office to rearrange another time to speak with your child's class teacher.

Should you have any questions regarding Parent Consultations, please feel free to contact the School Office. Thank you.

 JULY to SEPTEMBER 2021	
JULY	
Monday 19th	Year 6 Leavers Party
Wednesday 21st	End of Term - Staggered Dismissal time from 11:30am
Thursday 22nd July to Thursday 2nd September	Summer Holidays
SEPTEMBER	
Wednesday 1st to Thursday 2nd	Parent Consultation from 1:00pm

	Week Commencing: Monday 19th July
	MENU 4

MONDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Spaghetti Bolognese	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Spaghetti Bolognese	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Mediterranean Pasta Bake	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Bolognese with Gluten free Pasta	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Raspberry Jelly	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
TUESDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Chicken Sausages with Mashed Potatoes and Beans	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Chicken Sausages with Mashed Potatoes and Beans	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Vegetarian Sausages with Mashed Potatoes and Onion Gravy	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Gluten free Pork Sausages with Mashed Potatoes without Milk or Butter	Gluten/Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	Jam and Coconut Sponge	Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts
<i>Please note that all main meals are served with Fresh Vegetables of the Day</i>		

Start of Autumn Term - Friday 3rd September

Please be reminded that school commences for the Autumn Term on Friday 3rd September at the normal time of 8:30am. It is essential that your children arrive on time as lessons will begin promptly. It is extremely important that every child makes a positive start to the new school year!

Earth Day Poems

We are pleased to publish our final winning poem from the Earth Day Poem Competition. We hope you have enjoyed reading the children's poems and understanding how they feel about making sure our Earth is well cared for.



Climate Change by Azalfa

Storms, rising sea levels, waves

These need to be solved before we are in our graves

Droughts and destruction, is this not strange?

These are the effects of climate change.

The Earth is demanding for our help

It has gotten to the point where you can hear it yelp

Our animals need to be protected

The polar bears, snow leopards and pandas are being affected

Climate change needs to come to an end

Think of the Earth as your friend

So take care of it, protect it

Take this as a challenge, do you commit?

Coronavirus Restrictions

Following the government's announcement on Monday 12th July with regard to the new coronavirus rules and restrictions, we will be reviewing our policies and procedures in the forthcoming weeks. Any updates will be posted on the School's Coronavirus Advice and Guidance page via: <https://www.rosedaleprimary.co.uk/135/coronavirus-advice-and-guidance>. Further information will be available for when the children return to school in September.