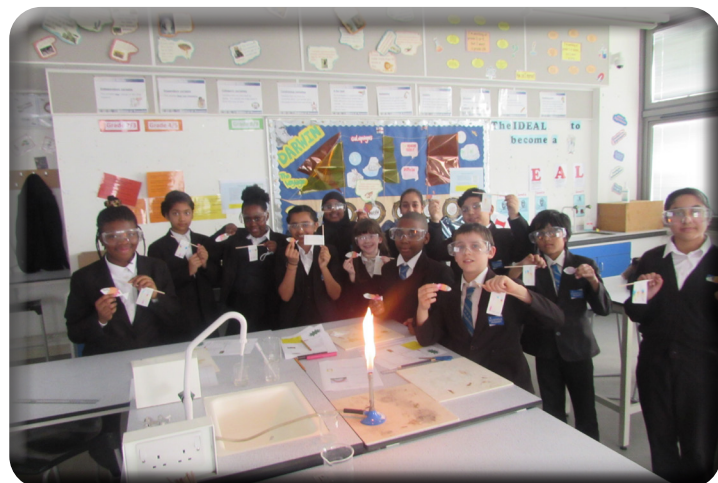
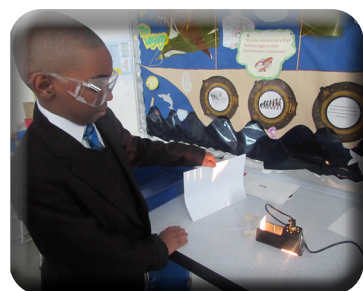
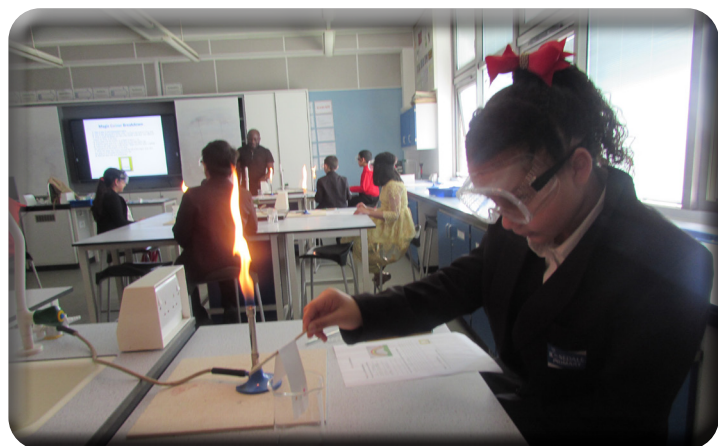


Science Week

Following the successful Science lesson with our Year 6 pupils on Monday 15th March, children in Years 4 and 5 also had the opportunity to don their laboratory coats and take part in thrilling British Science Week activities at Rosedale College. They explored the College's laboratory and were exposed to Science in new and exciting ways, from identifying different metals through a colour flame test activity to the chromatography of coloured markers. The children enjoyed learning about Science in a different environment and particularly revelled in the experiments that expanded their knowledge on various scientific techniques!



St Patrick's Day

On Wednesday 17th March, the Nursery children celebrated the Irish national holiday, St Patrick's Day. They took part in a variety of activities, embracing different parts of Irish culture, from painting rainbows and shamrocks to practising their Mathematics by counting coins and matching them to the correct number pot. All the children enjoyed the opportunity to participate in this unique celebration with fun festivities in an attempt to bring some luck to Rosedale Primary!



Coronavirus in Hillingdon

Infection rates of coronavirus (COVID-19) in the West London area haven't fallen as low as other parts of the capital. As you may be aware, Hillingdon in particular has higher rates of infection. As such, in order to lower the rates across our borough, it is vital that we all do our bit to reduce the spread of COVID-19 as every action we take will help to keep our borough safe. (http://upload.reactcdn.co.uk/rosedale/uploads/document/2_303_xxxx-remember-to-instagram-1080x1080-blue.jpg) We kindly ask all parents, guardians and carers to continue to:

- Wash your hands
- Cover your face
- Keep a safe distance
- Get tested
- Take your vaccine when offered

IPayimpact Update

Earlier this year, we introduced a new cashless catering system, providing parents, guardians and carers with a convenient, secure and verifiable way of making online payments to school meals as well as uniform. IPayimpact has now rolled out a brand-new, modernised look that is easy to navigate and simple to use on your mobile phone or tablet. These exciting, upcoming developments will be visible from Thursday 1st April and you will see the updated user interface when logging into the platform. All functionalities and navigation of the system remain the same. To watch a video demonstration of the key changes, please visit: (<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=HxwEJuC-RY8&t=1s>).



Sign up for the Parent Parking Pledge!

Do you want to help Rosedale Primary School achieve Safe and Sustainable Travel?
See below for more information and how you can help us make a change!

Reception and Nursery Easter Bonnet Parade - Monday 29th and Tuesday 30th March

In previous years, we have held Easter Bonnet Parades for the Nursery and Reception children and this year will be no different! However, there will be a change as to how this will be run.

On Friday 26th March, all children in Nursery and Reception will be given Easter Bonnet Packs which will contain items to make an Easter bonnet at home, over the weekend. On Monday 29th March, all children must bring their bonnets to school in preparation for the parade. The parade dates are as follows:

Monday 29th March - Reception at 2:00pm

Tuesday 30th March - Lark at 10:00am and Owl at 2:00pm

Unfortunately, at this moment in time, we are unable to facilitate a live event and thus are unable to invite a live audience to watch the parade. However, it will be recorded and premiered on our new YouTube channel on Wednesday 31st March. Further details on the premiere will be shared in next week's school news.


Whilst this is dissimilar to the way it has been done in previous years, we hope that it will give all our families a chance to still get involved and bring some Easter cheer to the children.


End of Term - Wednesday 31st March

Parents, guardians and carers are reminded that Wednesday 31st March 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.

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Monday 29th	2:00pm	Reception Easter Bonnet Parade
Tuesday 30th	10:00am	Lark Easter Bonnet Parade
	2:00pm	Owl Easter Bonnet Parade
Wednesday 31st	Reception and Nursery Easter Bonnet Parade Premiere	
Wednesday 31st	End of Term - Staggered Dismissal times from 12:00pm	
APRIL		
Thursday 1st to Tuesday 20th	Easter Holidays	
Wednesday 21st	Start of Term - Staggered Entry times from 8:50am	



Week Commencing: *Monday 29th March*

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MONDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Chicken Sausages with Mashed Potatoes and Onion Gravy	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Chicken Sausages with Mashed Potatoes and Onion Gravy	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	<i>Orange Jelly</i>	<i>Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts</i>
TUESDAY		
Meal Choice 1	Beef Lasagne with Fresh Salad	Halal
Meal Choice 2	Beef Lasagne with Fresh Salad	Non Halal
Meal Choice 3	Vegetarian Lasagne with Fresh Salad	Vegetarian
Meal Choice 4	Minced Beef with Gluten free Pasta	Gluten/ Dairy Free
Dessert Choice	<i>Chocolate Mousse</i>	<i>Fresh Fruit and Yoghurts</i>
<i>Please note that all main meals are served with Fresh Vegetables of the Day</i>		

Easter Holidays

School will be closed from **Thursday 1st to Tuesday 20th April** for the Easter holidays. School reopens again on Wednesday 21st April at the staggered entry times.

Parent Consultation -

Monday 19th and Tuesday 20th April

The online Parent Consultations will take place via your child's Microsoft Teams account on Monday 19th and Tuesday 20th April. Each child will have received a letter confirming the date and time of their appointment, as well as including your child's Microsoft Teams email. 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.

Parent Parking Pledge

As a school, we are promoting safe and sustainable travel to and from school. With this in mind, we have been looking at ways that we can achieve this and work together with the local community and families. One of the ways we are hoping to achieve this is by asking parents, guardians and carers to sign up for the Parent Parking Pledge. During peak travel times, congestion and parking has continued to be a problem. The parking pledge promotes consideration of others, road safety and reduction of idling; it would also include the willingness to engage in active travel. This would mean trying to travel to school by foot, bike or scooter around once a week. If families sign up for the parking pledge, you will be able to display the parking pledge sticker in your window, showing your commitment to helping us achieve our goal of safe and sustainable travel. To sign up for the pledge and for more information, please visit <https://trhat.co.uk/roadsafetyparking-rp/>. Thank you.